

## **CIRCULAR**

SUBJECT	ISSUE DATE	NUMBER	
EOI to Clubs – Hosting Silver Medallion Patrol Captain (SMPC) Courses 2024	Wednesday 20 December 2023	20/23-24	

То	Clubs, Presidents, Secretaries, Captains, Chief Training Officers, SLSS Area Education & Lifesaving Coordinators, SMPC Facilitators			
From	Director Education			
СС	BOM, LSOC, EC, SSC, Y&JDC, MSC			

Surf Life Saving Sydney is seeking expressions of interest from club/operational areas for the hosting of the SMPC courses currently being scheduled for the first half of 2024.

The draft program is for four (4) courses to be conducted between February 2024 and May 2024 – refer schedule below.

The intention is to offer the theory and practical training component in the candidates' local environment. Capacity constraints would limit the ability of SLS Sydney to conduct courses in every club, so club's are encouraged to submit their EOI's with a view to including members from adjacent clubs or operational area. SLS Sydney will also be looking to spread the allocation of courses across the branch.

Clubs/operational areas willing to host the course would need to be able to offer:

- a suitable space for training up to 25 candidates for the theory component (including AV equipment);
- parking near the club for SMPC facilitators on the practical day for the vehicle carrying training equipment; and
- four non-participant members who can assist during the practical day as actors (members of the public) and assist with radio comms.

## How to Complete the EOI

Please complete this jotform link if your Club is interesting in hosting one of these 4 SMPC courses on offer <a href="https://form.jotform.com/233509317268056">https://form.jotform.com/233509317268056</a>

## Expressions of interest will close on Wednesday 10 January 2024 COB.

Note: Due to timeframe constraints, the venue for the February course may be determined prior to closing date if a suitable respondent is identified.

A separate circular will be issued early January 2024 seeking EOI's from Clubs for candidates for these courses.

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## **Draft Dates**

We propose the following dates for scheduled Silver Medallion Patrol Captain courses for February, March, April, and May 2024.

DAY	DATE	COMPONENT	VENUE	TIME
Course #8 February 2024				
Tuesday	6/2/2024	Theory	ТВА	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Thursday	8/2/2024	Theory	ТВА	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Saturday	10/2/2024	Practical	ТВА	8.30 am to 4.30 pm

DAY	DATE	COMPONENT	VENUE	TIME
Course #9 March 2024				
Tuesday	19/3/2024	Theory	ТВА	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Thursday	21/3/2024	Theory	ТВА	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Saturday	23/3/2024	Practical	ТВА	8.30 am to 4.30 pm

DAY	DATE	COMPONENT	VENUE	TIME
Course #10	urse #10 April 2024			
Tuesday	16/4/2024	Theory	TBA	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Thursday	18/4/2024	Theory	TBA	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Saturday	20/4/2024	Practical	TBA	8.30 am to 4.30 pm

DAY	DATE	COMPONENT	VENUE	TIME
Course #11	May 2024			
Tuesday	14/5/2024	Theory	ТВА	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Thursday	16/5/2024	Theory	ТВА	6.30 pm to 9.30 pm
Saturday	18/5/2024	Practical	ТВА	8.30 am to 4.30 pm





