



Strand Surf Lifesaving Club

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SSLC: Nipper Member Agreement 2019/2020

Agreement entered between:

Members Name: _____

Date: _____

Parents or Guardians Name: _____

Contact Number: _____

Email Address: _____

“The Nipper – as represented by (You)

And

Strand Surf Lifesaving Club

(The Club)

General agreement

Agreeing to this contract is required in order to join or maintain membership with the Club. Nipper Membership passes onto the parents of the member and both are bound by the club rules and expectations.

It is expected of Nippers to comply with a minimum basic expectation in order to retain their status as members of SSLC.

This agreement outlines the minimum requirements for Nippers to be considered in good standing with the club and also guidelines and certain rules.

The phrase “In Good Standing” has bearing on your continuous membership with the club and whether you retain your membership and whether U14 Nippers will be allowed to join the ranks of Jnr Lifesaving with SSLC. Should your membership be suspended, and should You not be in good standing with the club, the club may at their discretion not issue You a clearance certificate.



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General

- All Nippers are to respect the club premises and facilities.
- Bathrooms are to be left clean and tidy
- Shower time is 3 minutes maximum after training or competitions only.
- Nippers shall at all times obey and listen to their coaches
- Bullying shall not be tolerated
- Nippers are expected to compete in and pass the pool swim and nipper exam. Failing to do so shall exclude You from partaking in Competitions as is the requirement.
- You are expected to attend at least 2 training sessions per month and compete in at least 2 competitions through the season
- Should you wish to attend nationals, you have to compete in at least 2 competitions including WP champs.
- Please indicate your availability for competitions at least 3 weeks prior to the respective competition.
- You are expected to assist in loading and unloading of craft from the trailers before and after all events.
- Nippers may not make use of craft stored in the lifeguard garage unless they have asked and received permission from the duty squad leader.
- You are to take good care of craft which you may be using and ensure that you rinse all craft prior to returning them to the containers for storage.
- Craft must be stored directly after it has been rinsed off.
- No craft may be removed from the club unless permission has been granted by the Nipper Officer, Club Captain, Club Vice Captain or Club Chairman
- Craft should never simply be left in front of the Garage.
- Any damage to Craft must immediately be reported to your coach.
- Practice commences on Sunday at 10h30 sharp and ends at 12h30. Please be on the beach by 10h15 ready to commence. Friday training is voluntary.
- You may be required to assist in beach clean ups as well as fundraising for the club from time to time.
- You will always show respect to all other members of the Club.
- Nippers and their parents are to please show respect to our lifeguards as well as masters who will be assisting lifeguards from this season. This may include having to follow instructions as given by either lifeguards or Master lifeguards.
- You are expected to have a wetsuit.
- Parents are requested to please keep an eye on their own children and not drop them off and return to collect them later.
- Nippers may not enter the ocean during any official SSLC training session unless they have passed the swimming pool test.
- Parents and Nippers are expected to support their coaches at all times.
- Parents and Nippers are to conduct themselves respectfully at any competition whilst representing SSLC.



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- Please keep the space immediately in front of the lifeguard station clear whilst the lifeguards are on duty.
- Please refrain from standing in front of the garage which hosts surf ski's as well as lifeguard equipment.
- Please would parents and Nippers ensure to keep our deck in an organised manner and free of litter.
- Please would all Nippers and parents pack chairs away after using it.
- All Nippers are to assist in setting up of whatever may be required when SSLC is hosting a competition.
- Nippers and their Parents will have access tags to bathrooms and main gate only.
- Should any Nipper or Parent have any complaint, please raise this firstly with their immediate Coach or otherwise with the Nipper Officer.
- Signature of this document indicates that You and Your parent/s/guardian have read and understood the contents herein.
- Failure to sign this document will make You ineligible for club membership.

Signature of Nipper _____

Signature of Nipper Parent/Guardian _____

Signature of Nipper Officer _____