

Centralised Bronze Medallion / SRC Courses

Audience: Club Administrators, Club Education Officers, Trainers and Assessors
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 Distributed by e-mail to: Club Administrators, Trainers and Assessors, Training Consultants
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<p>Summary:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> SLSWA will be delivering centralized training courses in both the Bronze Medallion (Certificate II in Public Safety, Aquatic Rescue) and Surf Rescue Certificate. Clubs should identify and nominate participants. The availability of places in these courses will be limited. Venues for these courses will be determined after expressions of interest have been received 	<p>Action:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Clubs to provide candidate names and contact details to SLSWA by 5:00pm Friday 19th September 2008.
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Surf Life Saving Western Australia (SLSWA) is committed to supporting club based training and identifying ways and opportunities to do this. As a result SLSWA will co-ordinate and deliver a series of centralised training courses to compliment clubs delivering Bronze Medallion and Surf Rescue Certificate Courses. This is designed to assist clubs and provide alternative options where they find it difficult to run their own courses. This alternative solution will be a user-pays system that is sustainable and does not take the place of clubs training their own Bronze Medallion and SRC courses.

	Bronze Medallion	Surf Rescue Certificate
When	Mon 6th – Fri 10th October (school holidays) Candidates must be available on all days	Thurs 2nd – Fri 3rd October (school holidays) Candidates must be available on all days
Where	Venue TBA based on expressions of interest Country courses will be investigated if minimum numbers are met	Venue TBA based on expressions of interest Country courses will be investigated if minimum numbers are met
Time	9:00am – 4:00pm	9:00am – 4:00pm
Cost	\$180 per candidate This will cover primarily instructor costs and also materials, manuals etc Clubs will be invoiced prior to the course	\$100 per candidate This will cover primarily instructor costs and also materials, manuals etc Clubs will be invoiced prior to the course
Eligibility	15 y.o current financial member	13 y.o current financial member
Numbers	10 – 40 per course The number of courses will be determined by EOI and filling minimum course numbers.	10 – 40 per course The number of courses will be determined by EOI and filling minimum course numbers.

Clubs that have more than 5 participants will be required to send a supervisor (minimum 18 y.o). Clubs could use this opportunity to send a supervisor who wishes to become a Training Officer or who is already in training to become a qualified Training Officer.

Future dates and courses may be set depending on the success of this alternative solution and the need for it into the future. For any further information please contact Julian Khaw at SLSWA during business hours on 9243 9444.

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