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Club Lifesaving Agreement 2008/2009

Audience: Presidents, Club Captains, Lifesaving Directors
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Summary:	Action:
<p><i>Club Lifesaving Agreement</i></p> <p>All clubs are required to complete their Lifesaving Agreements and have all parties sign the agreement one month before commencing their first patrol.</p> <p>All clubs have been issued with a new agreement for the 2008/2009 patrol season which they must complete and have it passed by all required parties.</p> <p>SLSWA has included background information inside the package to assist clubs in producing the agreement.</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Clubs to study provided statistics and compare with local knowledge.2. Clubs to build up knowledge of local accesses and danger points (Black Spots).3. With obtain information produce a Lifesaving Agreement that best suits the local community and the club.4. Return completed and signed Lifesaving Agreement to SLSWA one month prior to commencement of first patrol.

As clubs continue to increase their level of professionalism a new Lifesaving Agreement is required to better articulate the high level of effort undertaken by clubs to provide a first class service to their local community. To assist clubs in producing the agreement SLSWA has provided with the package:

- State patrol statistics (Surfguard)
- Club patrol statistics (Surfguard)
- State Compliance Program report
- Club Compliance Program report
- ABSAMP data on the club's local beach

The Lifesaving Agreement for 2008/2009 patrol season has been designed to better attend to the different patrol details of all 28 Western Australian Surf Lifesaving Clubs as well as allowing clubs to show what they do outside the flags and identify to clubs and SLSWA gaps in our services.

All Lifesaving Agreement packages have been mailed to all clubs and should arrive within a week of this circular. If you have any questions or queries regarding anything inside the package or to do with the Lifesaving Agreement please do not hesitate to contact Josh McCleery (Lifesaving Officer) via phone: (08) 9243 9444 or via email: jmcclery@mybeach.com.au