

2008/09 THE NAVY - THE TEAM WORKS SURF ROWERS LEAGUE

Audience: Club Administrators
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Summary:

This circular outlines the Boat Series the 2008/09 The Navy - The Team that Works Surf Rowers League.

Action:

Clubs to enter online at www.mybeach.com.au
Entries close the Wednesday before each event at 5pm. Late entries will be taken at a fee of \$100 per crew. Events will be available to enter online from Wednesday 5th November.



The Australian Surf Rowers League with their sponsor "The Navy – The team works" have provided the opportunity for Western Australian Rowers to participate in the **Navy Surf Rowers National League**. This is a State based series from which the six states will select their team for the Interstate Challenge at the ASRL Australian Open in Broulee. In addition to the opportunity to represent Western Australia crews will be competing for over \$13 000 of prize money, travel subsidies and spot prizes.

To become eligible for entry in the series crews must register with the ASRL by filling out the Entry form and paying the \$35 per head entry fee. The entry fee is heavily subsidised from the sponsorship agreement with the Navy and will give the competitor

- Entry into the Navy Surf Rowers National League
- Opportunity to be selected as your States representative crew in each racing division
- The chance to win your share of \$4500 worth of spot prizes
- Full team outfitting as the State team for the Navy Interstate Challenge
- Crew entry fee into the ASRL Open at Broulee
- Navy the Team Works Racing Singlet

- Navy SRNL Cap
- Navy SRNS Bumper Sticker

Note: Singlets, Caps and stickers will only be available for the first 400 entries received by the ASRL so get your entries in early to avoid missing out.

The carnivals are being run by SLSWA under the standard rules of racing and crews will be required to enter each carnival through the normal procedure including paying carnival entry fees to SLSWA. Clubs must enter their crews at www.mybeach.com.au. They will open online on Wednesday 5th November. Entries will be \$50 per crew. Clubs will be directly invoiced. Each member of the crew must be entered in their team.

Venues and dates for the Navy Series are as follows:

Round 1 - November 16, 8am - Scarborough Beach

Round 2 - November 30, 8am - Trigg Island

Round 3 - December 14, 9am - Secret Harbour

Round 4 - January 17, 1pm - Leighton Beach (Fremantle). This is run in conjunction with the premiership Series.

The winner of the series will be decided by aggregate points accumulated across the four rounds with equal points allocated for place getters from each round. In the event of a dead heat there will be a count back with the highest place getter in the last round declared the winner. Points will be allocated using the following table.

1st place - 10 points

2nd place - 8 points

3rd place - 7 points

4th place - 6 points

5th place - 5 points

6th place - 4 points

7th & 8th - 3 points

9th & 10th - 2 points

All others - 1 point

Club Championship: The top ranking crew from each club in each division will be used to calculate the champion club for Western Australia. Additional weighting will be given to the results from the Open divisions of racing and the under age categories using the following multiplier.

Open Men and Women: 3 x

U19, U23 men and women 2 x

Reserves 1 x

Under this system first place in the Open division would earn your club 30 points, with first place in the U19 division earning 20 points and first place in Reserves only 10 points. This is calculated using the point's allocation table on the previous page and the multiplier above.

Prize money will be allocated for the Club Championship as follows.

1st place - \$1500

2nd place - \$1200

3rd place - \$900

4th place - \$400

5th place - \$200

6th place - \$100

Travel Subsidies: A travel subsidy of \$300 per rower will be available for the Under 19 and Under 23 members of the State Team for the Australian Open in Broulee.

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**PAUL ANDREW
CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER**