

## Circular

<b>Title:</b>	<b>2022/23 Age Manager Information Sessions (Amended)</b>
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<b>Audience:</b>	Youth Directors, Junior/Nipper Directors, Club Administrators, Nipper and Youth Age Managers
<b>Summary:</b>	This circular contains a schedule of sessions for club members on SLSWA Woodside Nipper and Youth Resources and general information for the upcoming season.
<b>Action:</b>	Members are required to complete the <a href="#">online registration form</a> to secure a position at the selected information session by the date outlined.

To assist clubs with the development of their Nipper (U6-U13) and Youth (U14-U17) Age Managers, Surf Life Saving WA will run Age Manager Information Sessions. These sessions will be approximately one hour long and will cover topics including Preliminary Evaluations update, the Woodside Nippers Administration App update, the Woodside Nippers Program, the SLSWA Youth Program and Member Protection update. The table below has the planned schedule of **Age Manager Information Sessions**. Fully qualified Age Managers, who hold the Age Managers Course Certificate, who attend one of these sessions will have their award updated for a further renewal period.

Date	Time	Venue	Clubs invited
Saturday 10 September 2022	10:00am	Dampier Community Hub	Dampier SLSC
Monday 19 September 2022	6:00pm	Mullaloo SLSC	Quinns Mindarie, Mullaloo, Sorrento, Trigg Island, Scarborough
Tuesday 20 September 2022	6:00pm	Yanchep SLSC	Yanchep, Quinns Mindarie, Alkimos
Wednesday 21 September 2022	6:00pm	Fremantle SLSC	Swanbourne, North Cottesloe, Cottesloe, Fremantle, Coogee Beach, Floreat, City of Perth
Monday 10 October 2022	6:00pm	Surf Life Saving WA	All
Wednesday 12 October 2022	6.30pm	Secret Harbour SLSC	Coogee Beach, Secret Harbour, Mandurah, Port Bouvard
Thursday 13 October 2022	6:00pm	City of Bunbury SLSC	Binningup, City of Bunbury, Dalyellup Beach
<b>Saturday 15 October 2022</b>	<b>8:00am*</b>	<b>Busselton SLSC</b>	<b>Busselton, Margaret River, Smiths Beach</b>
Sunday 16 October 2022	11:00am	Denmark SLSC	Denmark
Sunday 16 October 2021	4:00pm	Albany SLSC	Albany
Monday 17 October 2021	6:00pm	Esperance-Goldfields SLSC	Esperance-Goldfields
Saturday 22 October 2022	9:00am	Geraldton SLSC	Champion Bay, Geraldton, Dongara Denison

Session previously scheduled for Thursday 22 September 2022 has been cancelled as it is now a Public Holiday

\*Time has been changed to 8am to accommodate another event at BNSLSC.

If you are planning to attend one of these sessions, please [register online](#) by:

- 5pm, Friday 2 September 2022 for Dampier
- 5pm, Sunday 18 September 2022 for the Mullaloo, Yanchep, Fremantle and Trigg venues
- 5pm, Sunday 9 October 2022 for the SLSWA session
- 5pm, Tuesday 11 October 2022 for Secret Harbour, City of Bunbury, Busselton, Denmark, Albany and Esperance-Goldfields venues
- 5pm, Sunday 16 October 2022 for the Geraldton session

### Youth Age Manager Program

The Youth Age Manager Program (for U14 & U15's) introduces the pathway of an Age Manager to SLS youth members. SLSWA run a Youth Age Managers Program Course which allows course participants to develop skills in assisting with the delivery of the Woodside Nipper Program. To become a Youth Age Manager member must:

1. Be 13 - 14 years of age
2. Be a registered and financial member of their club
3. Visit the [Youth Program page](#) on our website, scroll down and complete the **Expression of Interest Form** (ticking Youth Age Manager box)
4. Attend a Youth Age Manager Program Course (2-hour duration)
5. Assist in the delivery of the Woodside Nipper Program on 3 club days

The facilitator of the Age Manager Information Session will be available to run a shortened Youth Age Manager Program Course (approximately 1 hour duration) at the conclusion of the Information Session should there be enough youth members in attendance (minimum 5). Youth that attend both the Information Session and shortened course will be marked off as having completed step 4 above.

Alternatively, if the majority of youth planning to attend are more interested in doing one of the other Youth Pathway Programs such as the Youth Officials Program, Youth Trainers Program, Youth Coach Program or Youth Event Producer Program this can be arranged but prior notification will be required by emailing [youth@sllwa.com.au](mailto:youth@sllwa.com.au) before the registration close date.

Youth planning to attend one of these sessions are asked to [register online](#) and answer "Yes" to the U14/U15 attending to do Youth Course question. Please register by:

- 5pm, Thursday 8 September 2022 for Dampier
- 5pm, Thursday 15 September 2022 for the Yanchep, Mullaloo, Fremantle and Trigg venues
- 5pm, Thursday 6 October 2022 for the SLSWA session
- 5pm, Monday 10 October 2022 for Secret Harbour, City of Bunbury, Busselton, Denmark, Albany and Esperance-Goldfields venues
- 5pm, Wednesday 19 October 2022 for the Geraldton session

### Action

Club Administrators and/or Youth/Junior/Nipper Directors are asked to forward this Circular on to existing and new Nipper and Youth Age Managers. **Please encourage all Age Managers to attend.**

Additionally, please inform youth members interested in the Youth Pathways that at these sessions are being held and provide an opportunity to complete one of the Youth Pathway Program Courses.

Any questions relating to the Age Managers Information Sessions should be directed to David Somers, Member Development Coordinator, via emailing [dsomers@sllwa.com.au](mailto:dsomers@sllwa.com.au) or phoning 9207 6666 during business hours.



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