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To: Aquatic Sports Executive
Club Presidents
IRB Competition Coordinators
Officials
Aquatic Sports Council
Club Secretaries
Club Team Managers

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From: Drew Urlichs – Manager, Aquatic Sports

Date: 28 April 2010

Subject: **AMENDED 2010 Southern States IRB Challenge – Entries NOW OPEN**

Action: Submit entries by midnight on Tuesday, 8 June 2010 - NO LATE ENTRIES WILL BE ACCEPTED

For additional details on this Circular please contact:
Drew Urlichs on 03 9676 6957 or email drew.urlichs@lifesavingvictoria.com.au
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This circular outlines information for the 2010 Southern States IRB Challenge Carnival Weekend.

The Southern States IRB Challenge started in 2008 between Victorian and South Australian clubs, designed to develop and promote IRB racing in the southern states of Australia. Tasmania and Western Australia have been invited to compete for the first time this season.

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A1 Event Time Frame

Southern States Saturday, 12 June 2010 (Warrnambool SLSC)

7:45am	Competition Committee Meeting	Warrnambool SLSC
8:00am	Work Crews Report	LSV IRB trailer
10:00am	Officials Report	Warrnambool SLSC
10:30am	Team Managers Meeting	Warrnambool SLSC
11:00am	Competition to Start	
5:00pm	Competition Concludes	
6:30pm	Presentation, Dinner & Social Night	City Memorial Bowls Club

Presentation Dinner & Social Night (Saturday Night)

Saturday Venue: City Memorial Bowls Club
Price: \$20 per head for 2 courses, Drinks at Bar Prices
Address: 58 Cramer Street, Warrnambool
RSVP: Email approx numbers to Colin, colin@oceansuits.com.au by 5:00 pm on Monday, 7 June



TRE IRB Premiership Series Round #3 – Sunday, 13 June 2010 (Warrnambool SLSC)

7:00 am	Competition Committee Meeting	Warrnambool SLSC
7:30 am	Work Crews Report	LSV IRB trailer
8:30 am	Officials Report	Warrnambool SLSC
8:45 am	Team Managers Meeting	Warrnambool SLSC
9:00 am	Competition to Start	
3:00 pm	Competition Concludes (Approx)	
6:30 pm	Presentation Debrief	Warrnambool SLSC

Presentation Dinner & Social Night (Sunday Night)

Sunday Venue: Warrnambool SLSC
Price: \$12.00 per head.
Address: Clubs to advise approx numbers to Colin, colin@oceansuits.com.au by 5pm Monday 7th June.

A2 Events

Southern States IRB Challenge

Men's Mass Rescue
Women's Mass Rescue
Men's Surf Rescue
Women's Surf Rescue
Men's Teams Rescue
Women's Teams Rescue
Men's Tube Rescue
Women's Tube Rescue
Lifesaver Relay (Open)

***Note: Lifesaver Relay Victorian Clubs will be taken from results from Bancoora Carnival (First 3 teams), South Australia & Tasmania also to nominate 3 teams.**

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A3 Events Conditions

Southern States IRB Challenge Saturday, 12 June 2010

This carnival is to be held using a round robin format

All events with the exception of the Life Saver Relay will complete 2 rounds of racing. The top 3 point scoring crews from each state will then contest the final. Events where 9 or less crews have entered will be a straight final. A count back formula will be used if crews tied on points to decide the finalists.

Points will be awarded 9 down to 1 for 1st to 9th place. Crews who fail to complete the course or are disqualified will receive zero points for that event. The **State** with the highest points tally after the 9 finals will be the 2010 Southern States IRB Challenge Champions.

Trophies will be awarded for 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each event.

The winning state will receive a perpetual plaque.

TRE IRB Premiership Series Round #3



This carnival is to be held using knock out format.

All events will utilise a knockout form of racing down to a final.

Pennants will be awarded to all event winners.

A Carnival Winners Pennant will be awarded to the club who finishes 1st overall on the day.

A4 Rules and Regulations

Clubs are reminded that to take part in IRB Competition there are a number of rules and regulations relating to equipment, training and competition rules that need to be taken into consideration. If you are unaware of any of these requirements, all relevant documents are listed on the LSV website - www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au and SLSA website - www.slsa.com.au.

Please Note

IRB, Motor and Equipment Procedure for IRB Competition Bulletins 4.1, 4.2.1, 4.2.2 & 4.2.3 (April 2010).

<http://www.slsa.asn.au/default.aspx?s=adminresources&id=44>

Please note that if SLSA issues a Circular/Bulletin in relation to any changes in IRB Competition rules and regulations, the Carnival Referee will endeavour to inform all clubs ASAP to the event conditions.

A5 Entry Procedure

Entry Procedure

Entry fee will also be as per the summer competition season with \$12.00 (GST inclusive) being charged per competitor for each day of competition.

- (a) All entries for the season will be processed through our online registration website:
www.registration.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/tide/registration
- (b) All clubs are advised to read the entry process closely to ensure there is no confusion as to the procedure that should be followed
- (c) The internet registration system uses a club username and login as per Victorian Championships. Please contact Life Saving Victoria on (03) 9676 6957 or email drew.urlichs@lifesavingvictoria.com.au if you are unsure of your club's login
- (d) Please click on point one "read instructions for entries" on the www.registration.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/tide/registration site for information on how to enter competitors into events
- (e) Click on enter competitors into Events (Click All to review all competitors)
- (f) Please have the following information ready before entering competitors into events
 - Surname and Given Name (No Nicknames)
 - Gender – (M/F)
 - Membership Category (AS – Active Senior (18+), AJ – Active Junior (15-18), RA - Reserve Active, LM – Life Member, C – Cadet 15+)
 - Date of Birth (dd/mm/yyyy)
 - Event Codes (Please refer to table below)

(Please note the team name must accompany each entry i.e. 301/A or 301/Blue)
(The driver must be identified by placing an * next to the entry i.e: 101/A* or 101/Blue*)
(For events containing two drivers the second driver is indicated by the % symbol)

- (g) IRB Competition Codes as follows:

301	Surf Rescue Male
302	Mass Rescue Male
303	Tube Rescue Male
304	Teams Rescue Male
307	Lifesaver Relay
3001	Surf Rescue Female
3002	Mass Rescue Female
3003	Tube Rescue Female
3004	Teams Rescue Female
- (h) Please review all entries by clicking the blue button (view competitor entries by event)
(Please note – Sweep indicates the driver)



- (i) For future rounds of the IRB season you can import data from a previous round by selecting import competitors from a previous competition
- (j) All invoices for entries will be issued to clubs following the events

Please Note:

Southern States IRB Challenge

All entries must be in no later than **midnight on Tuesday, 8 June 2010** to allow heat and lane draws to be completed.

IRB Premiership Carnival #3

All entries must be in no later than **midnight on Tuesday, 8 June 2010** to allow heat and lane draws to be completed.

No team configuration forms will be required due to online entry system.

Clubs are required to enter for both days of competition as two separate formats are conducted.

NO LATE ENTRIES will be accepted as draws need to be completed. Deletions from team sheets can be made until 10:00 am on both days.

Draws will be made available on Thursday, 10 June 2010. Please visit www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au click sport, programs and downloads for a copy of the draws.

A6 Competition Eligibility

Competition Eligibility forms are not required as used in the past. The IRB Competition Panel has agreed the best process forward is for accredited IRB coaches to forward a fax or email to Drew Urlichs - Manager Aquatic Sports on 03 9676 6957 or email drew.urlichs@lifesavingvictoria.com.au listing names and signing off competitors by close of entries before the first carnival attended by that club as per the following IRB competition rules requirements:

3.6.1.4

- (a) Drivers are required to:
 - (1) Have held the IRB driver award for a minimum of (6) six months, be currently proficient as required by SLSA and logged (20) twenty IRB driving hours within the previous twelve months.
 - (2) Be endorsed by a current licensed Surf Coach as being competent for IRB competition.
- (b) Crewpersons are required to:
 - (1) Be a minimum of sixteen years of age
 - (2) Have held the IRB crewpersons award for a minimum of (6) six months, be currently proficient as required by SLSA and have logged a minimum of (20) twenty IRB crewing hours within the previous twelve months.
 - (3) Be endorsed by a current licensed Surf Coach as being competent for IRB competition
- (c) Patients are required to:
 - (1) Be a minimum of (15) fifteen years of age.
 - (2) Have held the IRB crewpersons award for a minimum of (3) three months, be currently proficient as required and have logged (20) twenty IRB crewing hours within the previous (12) twelve months, or, hold the IRB crewpersons and be currently proficient as required by the SLSA and have logged (20) twenty competition specific IRB training hours of a current licensed Surf Coach.
 - (3) Be endorsed by a current licensed Surf Coach as being competent for IRB Competition.
- (d) Handlers, at the date of competition are required to:
 - (1) Hold the IRB crewpersons certificate and be currently proficient as required by SLSA.
 - (2) Be entered in the competition contested and wear a competition cap whilst handling the IRB.
Note: Exemption may be given by the Referee for a competitor to be an IRB handler for a club other than their own.
- (e) Competitors should be conversant with all current specifications, competition rules and event conditions pertaining to IRB competition and comply accordingly. Attention is also drawn to other relevant sections of the 33rd Edition Surf Sports Manual, including Section 2: General Competition Conditions and any other relevant circulars or bulletins, which must also be complied with.



A7 Officials

Officials are to be supplied as per clubs state requirements.

Chief Referee for Southern States challenge will be David Earl.

Chief Referee for TRE IRB premiership Series #3 will be Michael Keys.

Victoria

Clubs are to provide **one (1) accredited official** per team entered of which ever gender has the greatest number of teams.

For example - Four (4) male teams and one (1) female team = Four (4) officials,
One (1) male team and three (3) female teams = Three (3) officials.

Officials are to be entered into the online competition system the same way as competitors are entered. Officials are to be entered via the "000" code.

A8 Scrutineering

Clubs must ensure they comply with SLSA rules and regulations regarding IRB competition. Random scrutineering and fuel testing **will** take place throughout the duration of the season.

Accommodation

For all booking enquiries please use: Warrnambool Visitor Information Centre
1800 637 725
vic@warrnambool.vic.gov.au

