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To: Junior Coordinators
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Aquatic Sports Council
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From: Drew Urlichs
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Subject: 2009 Under 13 Development Camps

Action: All applications due (1) month prior to the commencement of the camp

Life Saving Victoria's (LSV) *Leadership and Development Pathway* aims to develop leadership and life skills and assist clubs with youth retention.

The 2009 Under 13 Development Camp is designed to assist junior members in the transition from Nippers to Cadets. Camp participants will complete problem solving exercises, face personal challenges, participate in activities that involve trust and teamwork and develop a state-wide network.

Dates

In 2009, LSV is offering the choice of three (3) weekends:

- Saturday, 17 January – Sunday, 18 January 2009
- Saturday, 14 February – Sunday, 15 February 2009
- Saturday, 14 March – Sunday, 15 March 2009

Location

The Camp will be held at:
LSV Headquarters
200 The Boulevard
Port Melbourne

Application Process

To ensure that candidates are of a high quality and that LSV's youth are exposed to as many learning and development opportunities as possible, clubs are requested to follow the application process outlined below.

1. Clubs inform and encourage as many people in the appropriate age group as possible to nominate for the 2009 U13 Development Camps.
2. Interested candidates should apply for a position on the 2009 U13 Development Camps via the LSV Website - <http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/www/html/666-under-13-development-camp-nomination-form.asp>
3. All applications need to be completed one (1) month prior to the commencement of the camp. No late applications will be accepted.

Selection Process

- (1) A panel from LSV will assess the quality of each online application. Clubs are guaranteed one (1) position on the 2009 U13 Development Camps but if the camp quota has not been met, the remaining positions will be allocated to clubs who nominated more than one application.
- (2) All applicants must obtain Prior Club Endorsement from a committee member before submitting their online form. Applicants who do not provide club endorsement information will not be considered for the Development Camp.
- (3) LSV will contact the club's Junior Coordinator and to discuss the most relevant representatives from your club. Successful applicants will be notified on the outcome of their application three weeks prior to the camp commencing.

Cost

\$165 per participant (including GST).

Payment Details

The Manager, Youth & Leadership Development will contact the club committee in relation to the payment of the camp. Clubs will need to specify if they will be funding a member's involvement in the camp or that the individual will be invoiced for the cost for being involved. Invoices will be done post each of the three camps.

Further Information

For more information on LSV's *Leadership and Development Pathway* please visit the LSV website - <http://www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/www/html/346-overview.asp>

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