



Circular

Title:	WBC Branch Junior Championships 2021-22 - Entry Circular
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Department:	Sport
Audience:	All Wide Bay Capricorn Branch Clubs, Surf Sports Officers & Junior Activity Chairs
Summary:	Entry details for 2021-22 WBC Branch Junior (Under 8 to Under 14) Championships
Date:	16 December 2021

Event: WBC Junior Branch Championships 2021-22

Date: Saturday 5th & Sunday 6th February 2022

Venue: Nielson Beach, Bundaberg SLSC

Nominations are now open for the Wide Bay Capricorn Junior Branch Championships 2021-22.

Distribution of Circular:

It is important that the information in this Circular is brought to the attention of all Carnival Officials, Team Managers, Coaches and Competitors.

Non receipt of this Circular will not be taken as an excuse if a Club, Team or Individual does not comply with the requirements outlined in this and other Bulletins and Circulars.

ENTRIES

The method of entry is via SEMS for all Clubs. The name of the event is 'WBC Branch Junior Championships 2021-22'.

Entry Fee:

All competitors - \$5.00 (Inc.GST) per event will apply.

Late Entry Fees - \$30.00 (Inc.GST) plus \$5.00 (Inc.GST) per event will apply to all entries.

A Tax Invoice for all entries (including late entries) will be issued to all Clubs in the week after the event.

Entries Close:

Midnight Sunday, 30TH January 2022.

Changes to Existing Entries/Additional Events:

Any changes to existing entries can occur up to close of Entries (Midnight Sunday 30th January 2022) via SEMS

Entry Conditions:

All Competitors wishing to compete at the WBC Junior Branch Championships 2021 must have the relevant SLSA Award for the Age Group as well as the relevant age competition evaluation they wish to compete in by the close of entries to be eligible to compete.

All entered athletes must have completed and signed the SLSA 'Application for Membership Form' and paid any required membership fee as proof of their eligibility to race.

Competition eligibility is *the* SLSA AUSTRALIAN SURF SPORTS MANUAL NO 3, 37th Edition, November 2021

NB: It is an offence to enter a person who does not meet any of the above requirements. Any irregularities will be considered and dealt with by the appropriate Committee(s).

Dress of Competitors:

Club competition Caps MUST be worn in all races to assist with identification of athletes for these Championships.

SLSQ Policy MS13 (01.07.2017) will be adhered to, requiring all competitors in ocean or water-based surf life saving events held in Queensland to wear high visibility lycra/rash top/singlet.

In regard to swimwear, please refer to SLSA AUSTRALIAN SURF SPORTS MANUAL NO 3, 37th Edition, November 2021

ADMINISTRATION

Team Manager and Assistants:

All Team Managers and Assistants must have completed an application/appointment form and Screening Form for Suitability Card (Blue Card). [Team Manager Declaration 2021-22 season \(jotform.com\)](https://jotform.com)

Team Managers and Assistants are to wear the designated Hi Vis vests, which will be distributed at the Team Managers meeting. Each club will be responsible for their given vests, until they are returned to Branch Gear and Equipment Officer at the conclusion of Championships.

Team Managers must attend all briefings.

Support Personnel:

All Clubs are required to provide support for the Championships in the form of Officials/IRB Driver/Crew and Orange Shirt Water Safety. The required level of support will be commensurate with the number of Club competitors nominated.

Rosters in broad terms for Support Personnel will be released 10 days prior to the Championships. Individualised Rosters will be released 5 days before the Championships, conditional upon all information being received from Clubs within the designated timelines.

All appointed Officials will be required to be current SLSA Officials and the holder of a current Blue Card. Probationary Officials are also welcome to nominate and officiate as long as they meet required criteria.

Clubs must provide 1 Official per 8 competitors or part thereof.

To nominate as an Official Online [-Club Officials Nomination Form 2021-22 season \(jotform.com\)](https://www.jotform.com)

Nominations for Officials close Sunday 23rd January 2022

Officials having trouble nominating online should contact Jacki on 41111000 or email slsabc@lifesaving.com.au

CLUBS NOT SUPPLYING THE PRE-REQUISITE NUMBER OF OFFICIALS, IRB DRIVER/CREW AND ORANGE SHIRT WATER SAFETY MAY BE DENIED A START AT THE CARNIVAL.

Medal Presentation and Point Scoring:

Winners and place getters from each event in each age group will receive WBC Branch Championship medals progressively throughout the event.

Club point scores will be determined on a 6 Point for 1st down to 1 Point for 6th place system across all events. An Overall Points Score and Handicap Club Points Score winners will be presented with the trophies at the completion of competition to the winning Clubs.

QLD Youth Surf Life Saving Championships 2022:

Competitors wishing to compete at these Championships please note the following:

TEAM MANAGERS **MUST** SUBMIT THE NAME OF QUALIFIED RESTRICTED EVENT COMPETITORS WHO WISH TO COMPETE AT STATES TO BRANCH ADMINISTRATOR **AFTER JUNIOR BRANCH CHAMPIONSHIP, ON SUNDAY, 6th February 2022.**

NOTE Qualifying restricted events competitors names **MUST** only be submitted by either:

1. SEMS results printout (tick, cross and write in replacement)
- Or**
2. Junior States Restricted events nomination forms (hand out to Team Managers at Team Manager's meeting)

NO FREE FORM EMAILING OF NAMES WILL BE ACCEPTED

NB – There is no qualification for Under 15 Events, however, members **MUST be eligible for the respective events under the 'Eligibility Criteria' listed under the Entry Conditions of 2022 QLD Youth Championships - Entry Circular **198.12.2021****

COMPETITION EVENTS

Individual events:

U8 Female Beach Flags
 U8 Female Beach Sprint
 U8 Female Deep Wade
 U8 Female Wade Race

U8 Male Beach Flags
 U8 Male Beach Sprint
 U8 Male Deep Wade
 U8 Male Wade Race

U9 Female Beach Flags
 U9 Female Beach Sprint
 U9 Female Board Race
 U9 Female Surf Race
 U9 Female Wade Race

U9 Male Beach Flags
 U9 Male Beach Sprint
 U9 Male Board Race
 U9 Male Surf Race
 U9 Male Wade Race

U10 Female Beach Flags
 U10 Female Beach Sprint
 U10 Female Board Race
 U10 Female Surf Race
 U10 Female Wade Race

U10 Male Beach Flags
 U10 Male Beach Sprint
 U10 Male Board Race

U10 Male Surf Race
 U10 Male Wade Race

U11 Female 1 km Beach Run
 U11 Female Beach Flags
 U11 Female Beach Sprint
 U11 Female Board Race
 U11 Female Surf Race
 U11 Ironwoman

U11 Male 1 km Beach Run
 U11 Male Beach Flags
 U11 Male Beach Sprint
 U11 Male Board Race
 U11 Male Surf Race
 U11 Ironman

U12 Female 1 km Beach Run
 U12 Female Beach Flags
 U12 Female Beach Sprint
 U12 Female Board Race
 U12 Female Surf Race
 U12 Ironwoman

U12 Male 1 km Beach Run
 U12 Male Beach Flags
 U12 Male Beach Sprint
 U12 Male Board Race
 U12 Male Surf Race
 U12 Ironman

U13 Female 1 km Beach Run
 U13 Female Beach Flags
 U13 Female Beach Sprint
 U13 Female Board Race
 U13 Female Surf Race
 U13 Ironwoman

U13 Male 1 km Beach Run
 U13 Male Beach Flags
 U13 Male Beach Sprint
 U13 Male Board Race
 U13 Male Surf Race
 U13 Ironman

U14 Female 2 km Beach Run
 U14 Female Beach Flags
 U14 Female Beach Sprint
 U14 Female Board Race
 U14 Female Surf Race
 U14 Ironwoman

U14 Male 2 km Beach Run
 U14 Male Beach Flags
 U14 Male Beach Sprint
 U14 Male Board Race
 U14 Male Surf Race
 U14 Ironman

Team events:

U8 Beach Flag Teams (2 males, 2 females) 4
 U8 Female Beach Relay 4
 U8 Male/Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U8 Female Wade Relay 4
 U8 Male/Mixed Wade Relay 4

U9 Female Beach Relay 4
 U9 Male/Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U9 Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U9 Female Board Relay 3
 U9 Male/Mixed Board Relay 3
 U9 Female Surf Team 4
 U9 Male/Mixed Surf Team 4
 U9 Female Wade Relay 4
 U9 Male/Mixed Wade Relay 4

U10 Female Beach Relay 4
 U10 Male/Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U10 Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U10 Female Board Relay 3

U10 Male/Mixed Board Relay 3
 U10 Female Surf Team 4
 U10 Male/Mixed Surf Team 4
 U10 Female Wade Relay 4
 U10 Male/Mixed Wade Relay 4
 U11 Female Beach Relay 4
 U11 Male/Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U11 Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U11 (Male/Mixed) Cameron Relay 4
 U11 Male Board Rescue 2
 U11 (Male/Mixed) Board Relay 3
 U11 (Male/Mixed) Surf Team 4
 U11 Female Board Rescue 2
 U11 Female Cameron Relay 4
 U11 Female Surf Board Relay 3
 U11 Female Surf Teams 4
 U12 Female Beach Relay 4
 U12 Male/Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U12 Mixed Beach Relay 4
 U12 (Male/Mixed) Cameron Relay 4

U12 Male Board Rescue	2	U14 Female Cameron Relay	4
U12 (Male/Mixed) Board Relay	3	U14 Female Board Relay	3
U12 (Male/Mixed) Surf Teams	4	U14 Female Surf Teams	4
U12 Female Cameron Relay	4	U14 Male Board Rescue	2
U12 Female Board Rescue	2	U14 Male/Mixed Cameron Relay	4
U12 Female Board Relay	3	U14 Male/Mixed Board Relay	3
U12 Female Surf Team	4	U14 Male/Mixed Surf Teams	4
		2 Person R&R Championship	2
U13 Female Beach Relay	4	5 Person R&R Championship	5
U13 Mixed Beach Relay	4	All Age Relay (U11-U14)	8
U13 Male/Mixed Beach Relay	4	All age Relay (U8-U14)	7
U13 Female Board Rescue	2	Junior March Past (U11-U15)	12
U13 Female Cameron Relay	4		
U13 Female Board Relay	3	Newly included Events	
U13 Female Surf Teams	4	U11 Female 2 x 500m Beach Run Relay	2
U13 Male Board Rescue	2	U11 Male 2 x 500m Beach Run Relay	2
U13 Male/Mixed Cameron Relay	4	U12 Female 2 x 500m Beach Run Relay	2
U13 Male/Mixed Board Relay	3	U12 Male 2 x 500m Beach Run Relay	2
U13 Male/Mixed Surf Teams	4	U13 Female 2 x 500m Beach Run Relay	2
		U13 Male 2 x 500m Beach Run Relay	2
U14 Female Beach Relay	4	U14 Female 2 x 1 km Beach Run Relay	2
U14 Mixed Beach Relay	4	U14 Male 2 x 1 km Beach Run Relay	2
U14 Male/Mixed Beach Relay	4		
U14 Female Board Rescue	2		

COVID SAFE

SLSWBC is operating under an Industry Approved Covid-Safe Plan and as such there will be slight alterations to the manner in which the event is delivered, with a number of Covid-Safe processes and guidelines being implemented this year. Further information will be provided in this regard in the Final Carnival Bulletin (which will be circulated approx. 1 week prior to the event) as well as during the Team Manager Briefing on the day of the event as well.

GENERAL NOTES

Events will be conducted in accordance with the latest version of the SLSA AUSTRALIAN SURF SPORTS MANUAL. The Surf Sports Manual can also be accessed on the SLSQ Club Management Apps via most portable communication devices.

All gear and equipment may be scrutineered at any time during the carnival.

Competitors for an event must be ready and able to compete when that event is marshalled. Events will not be held up for competitors without the proper equipment/apparel or who are competing in another age group /arena.

COMPOSITE TEAMS Shall be in line with a resolution adopted at Branch Council Meeting, and shall continue to be trialled as follows:

- a) Have mixed/male and female team events
- b) Clubs nominate their teams as club teams
- c) Team Managers to liaise with each other to formulate team prior to marshalling.
- d) Composite Teams must only come from a maximum of TWO (2) different clubs (will be enforced this year).
- e) If composite get placing they get the medals
- f) Points will be allocated for composite team towards champion club on pro-rata basis where possible (eg. surf team winning - each competitor gets 1.5 points towards their club.)
- g) Charges (fees) to club done after carnival is over.

Composite teams are not eligible to compete at the State Youth Championships.

MEETING/BRIEFING TIMES:

Meeting and briefing time will be advised closer to the date, once the program is finalised.

NB: Competition shall commence at 8:00am on the first morning of competition.

FINAL BULLETIN, COMPETITOR LISTING and TIMETABLE OF EVENTS:

These will be distributed to all Clubs no later than 48 hours after close of entries, subject to the timely lodgement of information by ALL participating Clubs.

SPECIAL NOTES

Under 11 to Under 14 Team events are separate gender events at the QLD Youth State Championships and will be at this Branch Championships. If Clubs are unable to make a full male or female team, they may nominate a mixed team which will compete in the Male team event. Female competitors, who competes in a Female Team event, **can not** compete in a mixed team in the same event.

Should you require additional information, please contact either or the undersigned for clarification. The smooth running of these Championships is dependent on the provision of timely information and support for your Club's competitors.

We look forward to a safe and successful Championship.

Thank you for you and your Club's support, it is greatly appreciated.

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