



Dee Why SLSC Awards and Recognition

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Awards presented at the Clubs Annual General Meeting

Life Member

- Managed by
 - Club Secretary to get this information out and ensure valid nominations are received in time
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination with a second club member
- Submission Due
 - **Submit nomination by April 30th**, and must be signed by two members.
- Criteria
 - Must be a member
 - Must hold a Bronze Medallion award as issued by SLSA
 - Have rendered 15 years of service to the club and have rendered distinguished or special service to the club in the achievements of its objects
- Process
 - Once received, to be assessed by life membership sub-committee to confirm accuracy of information, possibly to gather further information where required. No recommendation to be made
 - To be voted on by Management Committee, if there are multiple submissions then the management committee will first vote on which submission to consider, from here they must vote with a 2/3 majority to put that nomination forward to the membership at the AGM
 - Nomination submitted to the AGM requiring a positive vote of 2/3 to be successful
 - Awarded at the AGM
 - Successful nominee will receive a Life membership pin and Blazer
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The information supplied must be primarily about service to Dee Why SLSC, information about other levels of SLS such as Branch, State and National and other non-connected organisations may be used as supporting and character information only
 - Contribution to DYSLSC and its objects
 - Patrol Service (surfguard record)
 - Record of Awards achieved (surfguard record)
 - Positions, roles, and responsibilities held
 - Initiatives implemented
 - Awards and honours achieved
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members



Prominent Service

- Managed by
 - Secretary for the Club Management Committee
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination with a second club member
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by May 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in June.
- Criteria
 - Club members and non-members eligible for this award
 - Must have rendered 5 years of service to the club and have rendered prominent or special service to the club in the achievements of its objects
- Process
 - Awarded at AGM
 - Awardee will receive a prominent service certificate
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The information supplied must be primarily about service to Dee Why SLSC, information about other levels of SLS such as Branch, State and national and other non-connected organisations may be used as supporting and character information only
 - Patrol service (surfguard record) if applicable
 - Record of awards achieved (surfguard record) if applicable
 - Positions, roles, and responsibilities held if applicable
 - Initiatives implemented
 - Awards and honours achieved if applicable
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members



Outstanding Service

- Managed by
 - Secretary for the Club Management Committee
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination with a second club member
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by May 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in June.
- Criteria
 - Must be a member
 - Have rendered 10 years of service to the club and have rendered outstanding or special service to the club in the achievements of its objects
- Process
 - Awarded at AGM
 - Awardee will receive an Outstanding service plaque
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The information supplied must be primarily about service to Dee Why SLSC, information about other levels of SLS such as Branch, State and national and other non-connected organisations may be used as supporting and character information only
 - Contribution to DYSLSC and its objects
 - Patrol service (surfguard record)
 - Record of awards achieved (surfguard record)
 - Positions, roles, and responsibilities held,
 - Initiatives implemented
 - Awards and honours achieved
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members



Distinguished Service

- Managed by
 - Secretary for the Club Management Committee
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination with a second club member
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by May 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in June.
- Criteria
 - Must be a member
 - Have rendered 15 years of service to the club and have rendered distinguished or special service to the club in the achievements of its objects
- Process
 - Awarded at AGM
 - Awardee will receive a distinguished service pin
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The information supplied must be primarily about service to Dee Why SLSC, information about other levels of SLS such as Branch, State and national and other non-connected organisations may be used as supporting and character information only
 - Contribution to DYSLSC and its objects
 - Patrol service (surfguard record)
 - Record of awards achieved (surfguard record)
 - Positions, roles, and responsibilities held
 - Initiatives implemented
 - Awards and honours achieved
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members



Senior Club Person of the Year

- Managed by
 - Secretary for the Club Management Committee
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination with a second club member
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
 - Must be finalised before SLS Branch Awards Of Excellence due
- Criteria
 - Must be a financial member of the club
 - Must be over the age of 21
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards Night including the AGM
 - Awardee will receive a Trophy and will be added to the perpetual Trophy that remains at the club
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The winner of this award will be put forward as the club's nominee as Branch Volunteer of the year award
 - Looking at the current season primarily and the previous 2 seasons for support
 - Patrol service (surfguard record) if applicable
 - Record of awards achieved (surfguard record) if applicable
 - Positions, roles, and responsibilities held if applicable
 - Initiatives implemented, how has this resolved an issue/challenge
 - Awards and honours achieved if applicable
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members
 - How have they inspired others in the club?
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Junior Club Person of the Year

- Managed by
 - Secretary for the Club Management Committee
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination with a second club member
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in June.
- Criteria
 - Must be a financial member of the club
 - Must be over the age of 13-21
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards Night including the AGM
 - Awardee will receive a Trophy and will be added to the perpetual Trophy that remains at the club
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The winner of this award will be put forward as the club's nominee as youth volunteer of the year at the Branch awards of excellence
 - Looking at the current season primarily and the previous 2 seasons for support
 - Patrol service (surfguard record) if applicable
 - Record of awards achieved (surfguard record) if applicable
 - Positions, roles, and responsibilities held if applicable
 - Initiatives implemented, how has this resolved an issue/challenge
 - Awards and honours achieved if applicable
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members
 - How have they inspired others in the club?
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Awards presented at the Clubs Presentation & Awards Night

Club Award Categories

Presidents Award

- **Managed by**
 - Club President
- **Who can nominate**
 - Club President
- **Submission Due**
 - N/A
- **Criteria**
 - Must be a financial member of the club

- **Process**
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Awardee will receive an award deemed appropriate by the club president
- **Requirements / information**
 - N/A
- **Considerations**
 - This is an award determined by the club president awarded to a member of the club who they deem eligible taking into consideration efforts and achievements in the current season assisting in the achievement of club goals and towards moving the club forward

Senior Club Person of the Year (also presented at the Clubs AGM)

Refer to criteria above

Junior Club Person of the Year (also presented at the Clubs AGM)

Refer to criteria above



Club Life Saving Award Categories

Patrol Captain of the year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
 - Ratified by the Club Captain and decided on 2 weeks prior to the club presentation evening.
- Criteria
 - Must be a financial member of the club
 - Must hold the beach management award
 - Must be a patrol captain listed as the captain for an active or active reserve patrol
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Awardee will receive a Trophy and will be added to the perpetual Trophy that remains at the club
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The winner of this award will be put forward as the club's nominee as patrol captain of the year at the Branch awards of excellence
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Initiatives implemented, how has this resolved an issue/challenge
 - Impact had on Dee Why SLSC and its members
 - How have they inspired the members on their patrol?
 - How have they managed ensuring the attendance, financial status, and proficiencies?
 - How have they encouraged their team to upskill?
 - How have they mentored members on their team
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Patrol Team of the year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captain Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
 - Ratified by the Club Captain and decided on 2 weeks prior to the club presentation evening.
- Criteria
 - Must be an active or active reserve patrol
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Members of the winning patrol will receive an appropriate award preferably useful on patrol eg, patrol jacket
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - How has this patrol worked as a team
 - How have they supported each other
 - How have they upskilled to ensure redundancy in the patrol
 - How have they welcomed new members to their patrol
 - Have they been active on patrol
 - How have they worked with the Lifeguards and managed the beach as a cohesive unit
 - How have they managed attendance, financial status, and proficiencies?
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Senior Patrol Person of the Year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Bronze holder
 - Must be rostered on an active or active reserve patrol
 - Must be over 21
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Members of the winning patrol will receive an appropriate award preferably useful on patrol eg, patrol jacket
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The winner of this award will be put forward as the club's nominee as Surf lifesaver of the year at the Branch awards of excellence
 - Looking at the current season's efforts with reference to the last 3 years
 - Have they done 100% patrols and had 0 no shows?
 - Have they done volunteer hours or substitute hours?
 - Do they communicate well and are they reliable?
 - Have they upskilled this season or assisted in encouraging others to upskill
 - What relevant positions, roles, or responsibilities do they hold?
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Junior Patrol Person of the Year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Bronze holder
 - Must be rostered on an active or active reserve patrol
 - Must be over 15 up to 21yrs
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Members of the winning patrol will receive an appropriate award preferably useful on patrol eg, patrol jacket
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The winner of this award will be put forward as the club's nominee as Junior Surf lifesaver of the year at the Branch awards of excellence
 - Looking at the current season's efforts with reference to the last 3 years
 - Have they done 100% patrols and had 0 no shows?
 - Have they done volunteer hours or substitute hours?
 - Do they communicate well and are they reliable?
 - Have they upskilled this season or assisted in encouraging others to upskill
 - What relevant positions, roles, or responsibilities do they hold?
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Cadet Patrol person of the year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Surf Rescue Certificate holder
 - Must be rostered on an active or active reserve patrol
 - Must be over 13-15
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Members of the winning patrol will receive an appropriate award preferably useful on patrol eg, patrol jacket
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The winner of this award will be put forward as the club's nominee as Surf lifesaver of the year at the Branch awards of excellence
 - Looking at the current season's efforts with reference to the last 3 years
 - Have they done 100% patrols and had 0 no shows?
 - Have they done volunteer hours or substitute hours?
 - Do they communicate well and are they reliable?
 - Have they upskilled this season or assisted in encouraging others to upskill
 - What relevant positions, roles, or responsibilities do they hold?
 - Have they done something in response to an identified need or problem?
 - Have they done something new or different to achieve results?
 - Have they had to overcome any challenges to make a difference or achieve success?
 - Have they inspired others to think or to do things differently?
 - How do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Junior Lifesaver of the Year – as per Branch

- Managed by
 - Junior activities Coordinator and U14s age manager
- Who can nominate
 - For all U14 Nippers, part of their program
- Submission Due
 - As per notification by Branch, usually in December/January.
- Criteria
 - Must be an U14 Nipper
 - Must achieve the Surf Rescue Certificate this season
- Process
 - All U14 members should be involved in this process, Mandatory
 - SRC Course is run on the October long weekend, U13 members from the previous season and any new U14s registered should be contacted for a briefing about what it is about to be an u14 and the requirements and commitments for the course
 - At the assessment and presentation for the SRC course at the end of the long weekend, the JLOTY information from branch is given to the candidates
 - Within 1 month, an interview process with a minimum of 3 independent interviewers should be scheduled, as a part of their nipper program, attendance is mandatory, this will be the selection process for the JLOTY candidate. The candidate should be prepared with the entire application filled out as if they were presenting to branch
 - The successful nominees will sit down with a mentor and go through their nomination and fine tune it prior to submission
 - The successful nominees will sit with a mentor and fine tune the interview process
 - Branch Submission due approx. Late December, Early January
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - The primary idea and how well thought out it is an important part of the selection process
 - The interview and how the candidate manages is a very important part of the selection process
 - Preparation for the interview is not mandatory, spontaneity and the ability to think on their feet is as good a quality as being well prepared



IRB Driver of the year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Silver Medallion IRB Driver award holder
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Winner will receive a personal life jacket with their name printed on it and will be added to the perpetual trophy that remains at the club
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Have they assisted with nipper water safety?
 - Have they assisted with training courses?
 - Have they volunteered or assisted with club or branch carnivals or setup for assessments?
 - Are they in the boat during their patrol keeping their skills honed
 - Do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



IRB Crewperson of the year

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current IRB Crew award holder
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Winner will receive a personal life jacket with their name printed on it and will be added to the perpetual trophy that remains at the club
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Have they assisted with nipper water safety?
 - Have they assisted with training courses?
 - Have they volunteered or assisted with club or branch carnivals or setup for assessments?
 - Are they in the boat during their patrol keeping their skills honed

Do they model positive and supportive attitudes, behaviours, and actions?



Top 10 Patrolling members

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - N/A
- Submission Due
 - April 30th
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Surf Rescue Certificate or Bronze holder
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
- Requirements / information
 - Surfguard patrol hours
- Considerations
 - This is calculated for the current season by all patrolled hours contributed at Dee Why SLSC as extracted from surfguard



100% Patrols

- Managed by
 - Club Captain and Club Captains Team
- Who can nominate
 - N/A
- Submission Due
 - April 30th
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Surf Rescue Certificate or Bronze holder
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
- Requirements / information
 - Surfguard patrol hours
- Considerations
 - A member is eligible for 100% patrols if they have complied with the following
 - no-show hours
 - The total of all patrolled hours is greater than or equal to rostered hours



Club Education & Training Award Categories

Bruce Richardson Award

- Managed by
 - Chief Training Officer and Training Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a financial member of the club that completed their bronze in the early part of this season or the latter part of last season
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Medallion to keep and their name engraved on the Bruce Richardson perpetual trophy that stays at the club
- Requirements / information
 - Nomination must be received before the submission date
- Considerations
 - This award is for a new Bronze member who has not only successfully achieved their Bronze Medallion but has also used this award and new skills to the benefit of the club
 - What other awards have they achieved
 - How did they support other members during the course
 - What was their attitude and commitment to the course
 - Are they a candidate moving forward for the education department



Club Trainer of the Year
Refer to SNB Branch Criteria

Club Assessor of the Year
Refer to SNB Branch Criteria

Club Facilitator of the Year
Refer to SNB Branch Criteria



Surf Sports Award Categories

Masters Athlete of the year

- Managed by
 - Surf Sports Coordinator & Surf Sports Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Bronze award holder
 - An athlete over the age of 30 who has achieved sporting excellence.
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Put forward for the SLS SNB Masters Athlete of the year.
 - Winner will receive the appropriate trophy
- Requirements / information
 - Has the athlete competed in any representative teams (including international competition) during the current season. If so, list the team and how they contributed to the success of the team?
 - List the competition results achieved by the athlete in the current season at championship carnivals or major surf sport events.
 - In the current season how is the athlete a positive role model, a good sportsperson and/or an ambassador for Surf Life Saving? How do they contribute to broader lifesaving activities and engage with other members (including juniors or mentoring)
 - Does the athlete hold any coaching and / or officiating qualifications.
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Achieve their personal best throughout the season
 - Exemplary performance in competition
 - Competitive determination
 - Versatility across multiple disciplines
 - Attended Branch/State/Aussies in individual and teams
 - Mentored fellow competitors and promoted teamwork throughout the season



Youth Athlete of the of the year

- Managed by
 - Surf Sports Coordinator & Surf Sports Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - All nominees must be SLSA financial members (or affiliated organizations).
 - Nominations should focus on activities during the current Surf Life Saving season, from 1st July to 30th June.
 - Where ages are mentioned, this refers to the members age as at the 30th September in the current season.
 - An athlete aged 15 or older who has achieved sporting excellence in Open Aged Competition.
 - A Youth aged competitor (i.e. aged 15 to 18 years as at 30th September in the current season) may be nominated for both
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Put forward for the SLS SNB Youth Athlete of the year.
 - Winner will receive an appropriate trophy
- Requirements / information
 - List the competition results achieved by the Youth Athlete in the current season at championship carnivals or major surf sport events.
 - Has the Youth Athlete competed in any representative teams (including international competition, if relevant) during the current season. If so, list the team and how they contributed to the success of the team.
 - In the current season how is the youth athlete a positive role model, a good sportsperson and /or an ambassador for Surf Life Saving. Do they contribute to broader lifesaving activities and engage with other members (including juniors, mentoring, coaching or officiating).
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Achieve their personal best throughout the season
 - Exemplary performance in competition
 - Competitive determination
 - Versatility across multiple disciplines
 - Attended Branch/State/Aussies in individual and teams



Surf Sports Team of the of the year

- Managed by
 - Surf Sports Coordinator & Surf Sports Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - The 37th edition of the Surf Sports Manual defines a team as an event that is contested by more than one competitor from the same club or lifesaving unit who may either complete an event or race together as a discrete unit (eg. Boat race, IRB race, surf teams, R&R etc.) or separately (e.g. relay events, board rescue etc.)
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Put forward for the SLS SNB Surf Sports Team of the year.
 - Winner will receive an appropriate trophy
- Requirements / information
 - List the competition results achieved by the Team in the current season at Championship carnivals (branch, state, nationals) or major surf sports events.
 - Has the team competed as a Branch/State or National representative team during the current season.
 - In the current season, how has the Team been positive role models and shown good sportsmanship and/or been good ambassadors for Surf Life Saving, Do they contribute to broader lifesaving activities and engage with other members (including juniors).
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Exemplary team performance
 - Teamwork and communication
 - Collective versatility and contribution
 - Commitment to continuous improvement and resilience



Athlete of the year

(Nelson Chad Trophy for Most Consistent Competitor)

- Managed by
 - Surf Sports Coordinator & Surf Sports Team
- Who can nominate
 - Any financial club member can put forward a nomination.
- Submission Due
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Criteria
 - Must be a current Bronze award holder
 - An Athlete aged 15 or older who has achieved sporting excellence in Open Aged Competition
 - A Youth aged competitor (i.e. aged 15 to 18 years as at 30 September in current season) may be nominated for both the Athlete of the Year and Youth Athlete of the Year. However, only results achieved in Open Age Events and Open Age Team representation are considered for Athlete of the Year Award.
- Process
 - Awarded Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Put forward for the SLS SNB Athlete of the Year Award.
 - Winner will receive an appropriate trophy
- Requirements / information
 - Must complete nomination prior to close off
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts
 - Achieve their personal best throughout the season
 - Exemplary performance in competition
 - Competitive determination
 - Versatility across multiple disciplines
 - Commitment to continuous improvement and resilience
 - Shown passion and enthusiasm for all things Dee Why and SLS
 - Attended Branch/State/Aussies in individual and teams
 - Mentored fellow competitors and promoted teamwork throughout the season



Official of the of the year

- Managed by
 - Surf Sports Coordinator & Surf Sports Team
- Who can nominate
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Submission Due
 - **30th April**, to be ratified by the Surf Sports Coordinator and decided on 2 weeks prior to the club presentation evening. Submit to surf.sports@dyslsc.org.au
- Criteria
 - Must be an accredited surf sports official who has made a significant contribution to both officiating at a local, branch, state, national and or international level, and to the educational development of the other officials in SLS.
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Put forward to SLS SNB Official of the Year.
 - Winner will receive an appropriate trophy
- Requirements / information
 - What officiating qualifications does the member currently hold, Core, Technical or Senior Official?
 - List the members officiating roles they have fulfilled during the season at local, Branch, State, National and International level (where applicable)
 - Describe the Officials achievements during the current season, including examples, areas of achievement may be in mentoring, training, documentation and process, new programs, solving problems etc.
 - Please provide examples of how the official adheres to and is a role model of the values of SLSA, Surf Sports and the SLSA Match Fixing Policy
 - List any training of development the official has undertaken this season to improve themselves and their impact.
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts



Coach of the of the year

- Managed by
 - Surf Sports Coordinator & Surf Sports Team
- Who can nominate
 - Submit nomination **by April 30th** for review at the management meeting, 2nd Wednesday in May.
- Submission Due
 - **30th April**, to be ratified by the Surf Sports Coordinator and decided on 2 weeks prior to the club presentation evening. Submit to surf.sports@dyslsc.org.au
- Criteria
 - Must hold coaching qualifications
 - An accredited coach who has made significant contribution to athlete performance at a state, national and or international level, to the development of athletes in SLS activities outside of surf sports, and to the educational development of other coaches in SLS.
- Process
 - Awarded at the Club Presentation & Awards night
 - Put forward as the SLS SNB Coach of the Year.
 - Winner will receive an appropriate trophy
- Requirements / information
 - What coaching qualifications does the member currently hold, Foundation, Development or Performance Coach.
 - What coaching roles has the member fulfilled during the current season at Club, Branch (where applicable), State, National and International Level?
 - List the competition results attributed to the coach, where this member was the primary coach for the athlete and/or team, in the current season.
 - Has the coach been involved in any mentoring and development of other coaches, creating of supporting documentation and /or programs. Provide examples of where the coach has shown a positive and supportive attitude, behaviour and actions (including who it has impacted and how) in the current season.
 - Has the coach undertaken any personal development to improve themselves as a coach in the current season.
- Considerations
 - Looking at the current season's efforts and competitors results attributed to coach.



SLS SNB Branch Awards:

SNB Club Awards

- Volunteer of the year – (same person as Senior Club – POTY - Dee Why)
- Youth Volunteer (15-21) – (same person as Junior Club – POTY - Dee Why)
- Innovation of the year
- Administrator of the year
- Community Education Program of the year
- Services Team of the year
- Club of the year

SNB Education Awards

- Trainer of the year - (same person as Club Trainer – POTY – Dee Why)
- Assessor of the year - (same person as Club Assessor – POTY – Dee Why)
- Facilitator of the year - (same person as Club Facilitator – POTY – Dee Why)

SNB Surf Sports Awards

- Athlete of the year
- Youth Athlete of the year
- Masters Athlete of the year
- Surf Sports Team of the year
- Official of the year
- Coach of the year

SNB Surf Life Saving Awards

- Patrol Captain of the year - (same person as Club Patrol Captain OTY Dee Why)
- Support Operations person of the year
- Youth Surf Lifesaver of the year- (same person as Club Junior Lifesaver OTY Dee Why)
- Surf Lifesaver of the year - (same person as Club Senior Lifesaver OTY Dee Why)



SLS Service Awards: (5 / 10 / 15 / 20 / 25 / 30 / 35 / 40 + Years)

SLS Service Awards are presented at the Club Presentation & Awards Night

Age Manager Service Award

National Patrol Service Award

Coaching Service Award

Officiating Service Award

Training Service Award

Assessing Service Award

Facilitating Service Award

SLS Service Awards are presented at the Club Annual General Meeting

Long Service Award 25 years +

National Medal Award

SLS Service Awards are managed by the Clubs Member Services Coordinator and/or Club Registrar

Data can be retrieved from Surfguard



SLS State Awards:

Nominated from the winners of Branch Awards

State Life Membership

State Distinguished Service award

State Outstanding service awards

State Prominent service

SLSA National Awards:

Nominated from the winners of State Awards

SLA Life Membership

SLA Distinguished Service award

SLA Outstanding service awards

SLA prominent service

Government volunteer/service awards:

Rotary awards

Volunteer service awards

Local council awards

National Awards, Australian Medal and OAM