

Circular 3618

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2020 NSW Youth Pathway Cup Athlete Nominations

Attention: NSW Club Presidents, Club Secretaries, Club Competition Officers, Branch Officers,

Coaches & Competitors

Actioned by: U14 and U15 athletes wishing to gain selection in the 2020 NSW Youth Pathway Cup

Team

Date: 29 October 2019

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| Summary | SLSNSW is calling for nominations from athletes wishing to gain selection in the 2020 NSW Youth Pathway Cup Team. |
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| Action | Please complete the Online Nomination Form by 11pm Sunday 17 November 2019 |

SLSNSW is calling for nominations from athletes wishing to gain selection in the 2020 NSW Youth Pathway Cup (YPC) Team competing at the 2020 YPC to be held at Alexandra Headland Beach, Queensland on Friday 24 January. The team camp will be at the Sunshine Coast Recreation Centre from Wednesday 22 January – Saturday 25 January 2020.

Team Management:

Team Manager: Monique Williams Lead Coach: Rachelle King Assistant Coach: Thomas Simpson Assistant Coach: Michael Gedz

Team Composition:

The YPC Team will consist of a maximum of 5 male and 5 female in each U14 & U15 age groups (a total of 20 team members). Athletes must be a minimum age of 13 years and a maximum of 14 years on or before midnight 30 September 2019 (i.e. Under 14 or Under 15 age groups) and hold a proficient Surf Rescue Certificate (SRC).

 Competitors must meet requirements as per SLSA Policy 5.4 Eligibility to compete in SLSA Competition (November 2017 version).

Travel:

All travel and accommodation will be included in the athlete levy. Flights will be booked from Sydney domestic airport to Sunshine Coast airport. Further information will be distributed to successful athletes.

Team Levy:

A levy of \$600-700 (incl. GST) will be payable for all successful team members to assist with the cost of the team. Clubs will be invoiced for this team levy and it will then be up to the club to pass on this expense to the individual.

How to Nominate:

- 1. All nominating members are asked to familiarise themselves with the SLSNSW <u>Selection Policy</u> and the SLSNSW <u>Athlete & Management Agreement</u>. All athletes will be required to comply with the guidelines and expectations set out in these documents.
- 2. Complete the <u>Online Nomination Form</u> by **11pm Sunday 17 November 2019** It is anticipated that all candidates will be notified by 16 December 2019
- 3. All nominees must be current financial members and proficient with their relevant awards. All nominations must be endorsed by both Club representatives prior to selection, please contact your Club to acquire letters of endorsement
- 4. After the close of nominations, Branch will be sent all nominations from within their Branch. Branch will then be required to provide endorsement for nominations to SLSNSW within 48 hours. Individuals are <u>not</u> required to seek a letter from Branch prior to nomination. If Branch does not endorse the nomination, it will be the responsibility of the Branch to communicate this to the member.

E-Learning:

All successful athletes and team management members will be required to complete both the ASADA Level 1 Anti-Doping and Match Fixing e-learning courses. Both of these courses are free of charge and provide an opportunity to develop a knowledge and understanding of anti-doping and match fixing in sport. Moving forward, SLSNSW strongly believe this is a great additive to the structure of any touring team and/or squad and is vital for elite competition and athlete development.