

Final Event Information

2023 NSW Board Riding Championships 6 – 7 May, North Avoca SLSC

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Team App

SLSNSW will use TeamApp as the primary method of communication for the event.

If you do not currently have access, please download TeamApp and search for 2023 NSW Board Riding.

All draws, updates and results and documents will be accessible via TeamApp, as well as the event web page: https://www.surflifesaving.com.au/event/2023-board-riding-championships/

Event Information

SLSNSW will be using Live Heats to distribute event draws, judging and results.

Live Heats event page: https://liveheats.com/events/

Event Schedule

Please note, the event draw is subject to change based on conditions and no shows, with the potential for walk throughs.

Marshalling for the first event age category will commence at 7am. Competition will commence at 7.30am each day of the event.

All heats are 15 mins unless otherwise specified by the Referee. Please note that scheduled times are approximate and may change so please ensure you arrive at the event site early to ensure you do not miss your heat.

	SATURDAY 6 MAY (7am report for a 7:30am start)		
	BANK 1 North		BANK 2 South
1	40 – 55 Male Long Board Heat 1		Youth Female Longboard Heat 1
2	40 – 55 Male Longboard Heat 2		Youth Female Longboard Heat 2
3	40 – 55 Male Longboard Heat 3		Youth Female Longboard Heat 3
4	Open Male Long Board Heat 1		Open Female Long Board Semi - Final 1
5	Open Male Long Board Heat 2		Open Female Long Board Semi - Final 2
6	Open Male Long Board Heat 3		Youth Male Clubbie Board Semi Final 1
7	Open Male Long Board Heat 4		Youth Male Clubbie Board Semi Final 1
8	Open Male Long Board Heat 5		Youth Female Longboard Semi – Final 1
9	Open Male Long Board Heat 6		Youth Female Longboard Semi – Final 2
10	40 – 55 Male Long Board Semi – Final 1		Youth Female Clubbie Board Final
13	40 – 55 Male Long Board Semi – Final 2		Youth Male Clubbie Board Final
14	55+ Male Longboard Final		Open Female Clubbie Board Final
15	Youth Male Longboard Heat 1		Open Male Clubbie Board Heat 1
16	Youth Male Longboard Heat 2		Open Male Clubbie Board Heat 2
17	Youth Male Longboard Heat 3		Open Male Clubbie Board Heat 3
18	Youth Male Longboard Heat 4		Open Male Clubbie Board Heat 4
19	40 – 55 Male Longboard Final		Open Male Clubbie Board Heat 5
20	40 – 55 Female Longboard Final		Open Male Clubbie Board Quarter Final 1
21	Youth Male Longboard Semi – Final 1		Open Male Clubbie Board Quarter Final 2
22	Youth Male Longboard Semi – Final 2		Open Male Clubbie Board Quarter Final 3
23	Open Male Longboard Quarter – Final 1		Open Male Clubbie Board Semi Final 1
24	Open Male Longboard Quarter – Final 2		Open Male Clubbie Board Semi Final 2



25	Open Male Longboard Quarter – Final 3	Open Male Clubbie Board Final
26	Youth Male Longboard Final	Youth Female Longboard Final
		Open Female Longboard Final
		Open Male Longboard Semi – Final 1
		Open Male Longboard Semi – Final 2
		Open Male Longboard Final
ESTIMATED FINISH TIME 4.30pm		

	SUNDAY 7 MAY (7am report for a 7:30am start)		
	BANK 1 North	BANK 2 South	
1	Open Male Short Board Heat 1	Open Male Short Board Heat 2	
2	Open Male Short Board Heat 3	Open Male Short Board Heat 4	
3	Open Male Short Board Heat 5	Open Male Short Board Heat 6	
4	Open Male Short Board Heat 7	40-55 Female Short Board Final	
5	Board Riding Team Final		
7	U15 Male Short Board Heat 1	U15 Male Short Board Heat 2	
8	U15 Male Short Board Heat 3	U15 Male Short Board Heat 4	
9	U13 Male Short Board Semi Final 1	40-55 Male Short Board Heat 1	
10	U13 Male Short Board Semi Final 2	40-55 Male Short Board Heat 2	
11	Open Male Short Board Heat 1	40-55 Male Short Board Heat 3	
12	Open Male Short Board Heat 2	U13 Female Short Board Semi Final 1	
13	Open Male Short Board Heat 3	U13 Female Short Board Semi Final 2	
14	Open Male Short Board Heat 4	40-55 Male Short Board Semi Final 1	
15	U15 Male Short Board Semi Final 1	40-55 Male Short Board Semi Final 2	
16	U15 Male Short Board Semi Final 2	40-55 Male Short Board Final	
17	U19 Male Short Board Heat 1	U19 Male Short Board Heat 2	
18	U19 Male Short Board Heat 3	U19 Male Short Board Heat 4	
19	55+ Male Short Board Final	U19 Male Short Board Heat 5	
20	Open Male Short Board Quarter Final 1	Open Female Short Board Semi Final 1	
21	Open Male Short Board Quarter Final 2	Open Female Short Board Semi Final 2	
22	Open Male Short Board Quarter Final 3	U15 Female Short Board Semi Final 1	
23	U13 Male Short Board Final	U15 Female Short Board Semi Final 2	
24	U13 Female Short Board Final	U19 Male Short Board Quarter Final 1	
25	Open Male Short Board Semi Final 1	U19 Male Short Board Quarter Final 2	
26	Open Male Short Board Semi Final 2	U19 Male Short Board Quarter Final 3	
27	U19 Male Short Board Final	U15 Female Short Board Final	
28	Open Male Short Board Final	U19 Male Short Board Semi Final 1	
29		U19 Male Short Board Semi Final 2	
		U19 Female Short Board Final	
		Open Female Short Board Final	
	ESTIMATED FINIS	H TIME 4:30pm	



Competition Area

The competition area will be made up of 1 water area and 2 banks on Saturday and Sunday. The competition area will be designated using buoys and area flags positioned on the beach.

Please note that all event administration will occur on the beach.

Team Event

The Team Event will take place on Sunday morning.

Presentation

Presentations will be conducted after finals on the beach (please allow up to 20 minutes), unless advised otherwise.

Judging

A call will go out for volunteer judges. Please listen to PA announcements.

Judging will be as per Surfing Australia rules as set out in the Surf Sports Manual. Please see 'Section 7' starting from page 42 from this link: Surfing Australia – Rule Book

Board Riding Craft Criteria

Please see 'Section 7.2' starting from page 44 from this link: Surfing Australia -Rule Book

As per Surf Australia Competition the longboard specifications are:

- o The board length is a minimum of 9 feet measured from the nose to the tail on the deck of the surfboard.
- The width dimensions are to be a total minimum 47 inches in aggregate this is the total of the widest point, plus the width 12 inches up from the tail and 12 inches back from the nose.

Logistics

Car Parking

Street parking is available on North Avoca Parade.

Please ensure you arrive with plenty of time and park within designated locations. All vehicles are to be in defined parking areas and not to be parked across driveways and no stopping zones / parking.

Waste Management

Please ensure the beach is left in a clean and tidy condition and dispose of waste in the appropriate event rubbish bins located by the Surf Club. Members should bring their own reusable bags, refillable water bottles and coffee cups to the event.

Toilets

Council amenities are located underneath North Avoca SLSC.

Catering

North Avoca SLSC will have a BBQ on site.

Administration

Entry Fees

SLSNSW will issue invoices to Clubs for entry fees after the event.

Entry fees are not refundable if members do not take part in these Championships (i.e. withdraw) or if the event is suspended/cancelled.



Results

All results will be available throughout the event via the Live Heats event page: https://liveheats.com/events/

Photography & Media

SLSNSW will not be issuing any media/photography accreditation to Team members or Team Management.

No competitor, team manager, official or spokesperson for a club shall make media statements which could bring the event, its sponsors, or officials into controversy or disrepute. Such statements shall be deemed to be a breach of SLSA discipline and will be dealt with accordingly. Statements to the media about the event will be made only by approved SLSNSW personnel.

Safety

First Aid, Powercraft and RWC

The host club will be providing first aid for the duration of the event. There will also be 1 IRB and/or 1 RWC on water safety duty.

Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV)

SLSNSW will have an Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV) operating on site during competition hours.

SLSNSW prohibits the use of drones or Unmanned Aerial Vehicles (UAV) by members and/or public unless approved by SLSNSW, 7 days prior to the event. The operator must supply an operations manual (including risk management plan), provide a copy of public liability insurance and comply with all Civil Aviation Safety Authority (CASA) requirements.

Event Site & Contingencies

The host venue North Avoca SLSC is the main event site. The Competition & Safety Committee will communicate any changes or updates to competitors.

APPENDIX A – Event Site Map

* Subject to change

