

# Circular 3776

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## 2023/24 NSW INTERBRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS OFFICIALS NOMINATIONS

**Attention:** Accredited Surf Sports Officials, Club Secretaries, Branch Directors of Surf Sports

**Actioned by:** Surf Sports Officials wishing to nominate for the 2023/24 NSW Interbranch Championships

**Date:** 2 August 2023

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| <b>Summary</b> | This circular is calling for nominations from all currently accredited Surf Sports Officials for the 2023/24 NSW Interbranch Championships to be held on 2-3 December 2023 at Fingal Beach SLSC. |
| <b>Action</b>  | Complete and submit nomination online via <a href="#">JotForm</a> by 11pm, Friday 1 September 2023.  |

Surf Life Saving New South Wales (SLSNSW) is calling for nominations from all currently accredited Surf Sports Officials for positions relating to the carnival below:

| Event                     | Date                | Location             |
|---------------------------|---------------------|----------------------|
| Interbranch Championships | 2 & 3 December 2023 | Fingal Beach, Hunter |

**All nominations for Official positions should be made via the [JotForm](#).**

**Nominations close 11pm, Friday 1 September 2023.**

Nominations should include details of the preferred roles you would like to fulfil at the event, with two (2) preferences listed in priority order – best endeavors will be made to allocate Officials their preferred position, but positions are limited.

The appointment of Officials will be made after the close of nominations and an appointment letter will be sent to successful officials via email in due course.

For further information regarding the 2023/24 NSW Interbranch Championships, please see [the SLSNSW event webpage](#).

It is also recommended that Officials complete the [Medical Form Online](#).

Completion of this form is not mandatory but is strongly encouraged. You need not complete form if no changes have been made to forms previously submitted.

This form is part of our duty of care to our officials and their welfare and will not be used for any other purpose other than having some medical and health information readily available on site if an incident or accident was to occur.

## **OFFICIAL REQUIREMENTS**

Surf Life Saving NSW is looking for accredited Officials who meet the following requirements:

- Are a current financial member of a club for 2023/24 season.
- Hold a minimum of a current Technical Official accreditation.

When Official appointments have been finalised, all Officials who nominated will be notified by an Official Appointment Memo. Appointments will also be shared on the event page.

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

- All Officials should ensure that they are physically capable to carry out their important functions over the days of the Championships and are encouraged to undertake a medical check prior to the Championships.
- All appointed Officials are encouraged to attend the Official's Briefings. All times and locations will be outlined in the Officials Appointment Memo.
- Appointed Officials are responsible for all costs associated with travel and accommodation for the Championships.
- Officials are expected to wear a SLSNSW Country or State Championships Officials shirt.
- While every effort is made to appoint you to your preferred position, it is not always possible to do so. All appointments will be posted on the event page.
- Officials will be allocated to available positions. If the number of nominations exceed the positions available, those not selected will be placed into the 'Officials Pool' and positions may be allocated if they become available.
- Any late nominations will also be placed into the 'Officials Pool' and positions may be allocated if they become available.

## **2023 SLSNSW INTERBRANCH CHAMPIONSHIPS - AVAILABLE OFFICIALS POSITIONS**

### **Water Area**

- Sectional Referee
- Chief Judge
- Course Supervisor
- Course Judge
- Starter
- Finish Judges (8)
- Marshall (Live Heats)
- Recorder (Live Heats)
- Competition Liaison Officer

### **Support Services**

- Appeals Committee Panel (3)
- Announcer

### **Beach Areas (Sprint, Flags & Distance Runs)**

- Sectional Referee
- Chief Judge
- Starter
- Finish Judges (8)
- Recorder (Live Heats)
- Marshall (Live Heats)
- Competition Liaison Officer

### **Powercraft & Equipment**

- Powercraft Coordinator
- Powercraft Personnel (IRB/RWC)
- Gear & Equipment Coordinator