

Surf Life Saving Australia - Circular

Title:	Shaw and Partners Coolangatta Gold 2024 – Call for Officials Nominations
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Summary:	Call for Officials Nominations for the Shaw and Partners Financial Services Coolangatta Gold 2024 to be held at Coolangatta Beach, QLD on 12-13 October 2024

Surf Life Saving Australia (SLSA) is now calling for nominations from all currently licensed SLSA Surf Sports Officials wishing to officiate and further develop their skills at the Shaw and Partners Coolangatta Gold 2024 to be held at Coolangatta Beach, QLD on 12-13 October 2024.

The Shaw and Partners Coolangatta Gold will see the following events take place which officials will be able to nominate for (Times TBC):

Saturday 12 October 2024	06:30am AEST	Short Course - Marshalling begins
	07:30am AEST	Short Course – First Wave Departs
	11:30am AEST	Youth Challenge - Marshalling begins
	12:00pm AEST	Youth Challenge – First wave departs
	1:30pm AEST	Downwind Paddle – Marshalling Begins
	2:00pm AEST	Downwind Paddle – First Wave Departs
Sunday 13 October 2024	06:30am AEST	Long Course – Marshalling Begins
	07:30am AEST	Long Course – First Wave Departs

The appointment of all officials will be made jointly by the Event Referee and Surf Lifesaving Australia's National Officials Advisor. Officials will be finalised as soon as possible after the close of nominations and all appointments will be posted on the Members Area, TeamApp and 'Event Info' section of the Coolangatta Gold website.

First round of nominations will close: **Friday, 30 August 2024**

Second round of nominations will close: **Friday, 20 September 2024**

Third round of nominations will close: **Friday, 4 October 2024**

Please note that once a role has been appointed after close of nominations round one, two or three, you will no longer be able to be appointed to that position. We therefore recommend nominating for your preferred position before the first round of nominations close on **Friday, 30 August**.

Late nominating officials will be added to the 'officials pool' and duties and appointments made subject to availability of roles.

NOTE: All appointed officials will be required to attend either the Short Course or Long Course briefing to be held on Friday 11th October (TBC). There will be an additional official briefing on site at Coolangatta

SLSC prior to each day of competition.

NOTE: SLSA will be appointing only the required number of Officials.

PLEASE NOTE:

In nominating for this event, all Officials warrant that they are, and must remain, mentally and physically capable of carrying out all the functions of their appointed role(s) over the course of the entire event. All Officials should undertake a medical check prior to departure for the event. SLSA may request Officials or provide medical clearance if the Official has had a medical incident at a previous SLS event or if SLSA reasonably considers such request is reasonable and/or necessary. If requested the Official must provide the medical clearance.

SLSA reserves the right in its absolute discretion to:

- a.) Not appoint an Official to any position whether an Official has nominated or not;
- b.) Remove an Official from any position at any time (whether before or during an SLSA event)

SLSA is not obligated to give reason where it acts under this clause.

Note also that Officials must be able to complete all roles they are appointed to without transport assistance from event coordinators.

Nomination Procedure:

Please click the following link to nominate for the 2024 Shaw and Partners Coolangatta Gold:
[Officials Nomination - Shaw and Partners Coolangatta Gold 2024](#)

Please see a list below of all Official Roles at the 2024 Shaw and Partners Coolangatta Gold:

- Starter
- Lead Marshalling Team
- Marshall
- Marshalling Announcer
- Race Statistician
- Run Leg Monitor
- Kirra Point Monitors
- Transition Manager (Coolangatta Beach)
- Transition Monitor (Coolangatta Beach)
- Competition Liaison
- Presentations
- Medical/First Aid Team

Due to changes in rules for this event there will be no Appeals Panel appointed.

NOMINATIONS CLOSE:

First Round: **Friday 20 August 2024**
Second Round: **Friday, 20 September 2024**
Third Round: **Friday, 4 October 2024**

Further Information

Should further information be required please contact: officials@sls.com.au
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