



**CITY OF BUNBURY
SURF LIFE SAVING CLUB INC.
TEAM SELECTION
POLICY**

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1. INTRODUCTION

The purpose of this policy is to outline the requirements for the selection of Surf Sports Teams representing the Club.

2. OBJECTIVES

To ensure the selection of the most consistent and competitive team to represent the City of Bunbury SLSC at SLSWA Country, Masters, Junior and Senior Championships and Open and Masters Australian Championships.

3. TERMINOLOGY

The SS Committee – This is the ‘Surf Sports Committee’ and refers to the committee comprising the Director of Surf Sports; Boat Captain, and the head coach of each individual surf sports discipline of Ski, Board, Swim, Beach, Ironman, R&R, and March Past.

4. POLICY

- 4.1** The relevant discipline coach will have responsibility for team selection and may have regard to any one or more of the selection criteria in any selection process.
- 4.2** The relevant discipline coach will present and discuss the selection with the Surf Sports Committee.
- 4.3** A majority decision of the SS Committee is required.
- 4.4** The SS Committee will make the final decision. Reason shall not be given for any selection or decision of the SSC Committee unless requested by the non-selected athlete/s.
- 4.5** Having regard to all relevant circumstances, when time prevents the SS Committee to discuss the changing of any squad, team or individual at any time, the relevant discipline coach has the discretion to amend a team selection.



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- 4.6** Removal from a selected squad and/or team shall occur if any athlete
- Breaches or fails to observe the policy.
 - Breaches or fails to observe any provision of the City of Bunbury SLSC Constitution, By-Laws and/or policies.
 - By reason of illness or injury is unable to perform to the required standard in the opinion of the coach and/or SS Committee.

5. SELECTION CRITERIA

- 5.1** Selection is dependent on, and not in any particular order or level of importance:
- Results and performance at SLSWA carnivals with specific attention to scheduled carnivals post-Christmas.
 - Results and performance at Club Championships.
 - Past performances at SLSA and SLSWA carnivals.
 - Expected conditions at the championship venue and on the day.
 - Consistency, commitment, attitude and performance at training sessions.
 - Consistency, commitment and attitude at club days.
 - Commitment and attitude to club life.