



Wanda Surf Life Saving Club
Presents its 11th Annual
Tradies “One Club” Surf Carnival
A Shaw and Partners World Ocean Series 5000 Point Event
SLSS Surf Boat Series - Round 1
Saturday, 24 October 2026

Cash, Prizes, and Medals on Offer
Including a Major Draw and Multiple “Lucky Draw” Prizes

For U8 to O40 Age and Adaptive Competitors

Featuring:

Open Mixed 6 Person Taplin Relay
Open, U17 and U15 Ironman and Ironwoman *
Marc Leabeater Memorial Open Men and Women Beach Sprints
Open, U17, and U15 Men and Women Surf Races *
Open, U17, and U15 Men and Women Board Races *
Open and U17 Men and Women Ski Races *
U14 Ironman and Ironwoman
2, 5, and 6 Person R&R Events
Open, U23, and Nipper March Past
Open, Reserve, U23, and Masters 180+ Men and Women Surf Boats
U8 “Introduction to Competition” Fun Events
Adaptive Events

*** World Ocean Series 5000 Point Score Events**

A Live Streamed Carnival Proudly Brought to You by Wanda SLSC’s Valued Partner, Tradies, and Club and JAG Sponsors and Supporters including:

Ace Gutters, Brooks, D.Velop.R, Innovate Architects, Kareena Private Hospital, Martinus, Masterton Homes, The Health Collective, Thirriwirri, Triple M, and Carnival Supporters including, Engine, Harris Farm Markets, Lloyds Supa IGA, Planning Ingenuity, Race One, Shaw and Partners World Ocean Series & Others. Wanda SLSC also acknowledges and thanks the Sutherland Shire Council and Surf Life Saving Sydney and neighbouring SLS Clubs for their support.



Supplementary Rules and Notes:

- All Clubs must provide U8- U14 proficient water safety personnel with caps/rashies on a one to 7 competitor ratio. Clubs will be advised of the numbers required and other administrative details following the close of entries.
To register for water safety please [click here](#) to complete the 2026 Wanda One Water Safety Registration Form by Wednesday, 14 October 2026.
- All clubs with more than 50 competitors must provide one driver and crew for the full day.
To register for IRB duty please [click here](#) to complete the 2026 Wanda One IRB Registration Form by Wednesday, 14 October 2026.
- All competing Clubs must provide Officials on a one to 15 competitor ratio.
To nominate to officiate please [click here](#) to register and record your preferences by Wednesday, 7 October 2026. Every effort will be made to accommodate all officials who nominate in their referred area and to advise Officials of their appointment approximately 10 days prior to the Carnival.
- IRB and/or Water Safety rosters and/or Officials requirements and any other administrative details will be confirmed to clubs following the close of entries.
- Competition shall be conducted as per the current edition SLSA Surf Sports Manual except where detailed in this section.
- The 2km Ski Challenge will be a sprint to shore or a downwind paddle into Wanda dependent on prevailing conditions. Details will be advised at marshalling.
- Water courses shall be set as short as practicable to encourage participation but also to ensure safe and fair competition.
- All competitors must have their age group clearly marked on their upper left arm.
- U8 to U15 Competitors must remain in their own age group in individual and team events unless otherwise listed. See also SLSA Surf Sports Manual rules relating to R&R and March Past participation.
- Unless otherwise advised all events excluding surf boats, Ironman/woman races and the Open Beach Sprints will be conducted in block (i.e., heats (where required) and finals immediately following).
- If practicable some age groups may be joined together in other individual events to assist competition conduct. When this occurs, competitors should nominate their age category and individual results will be recorded for each age group.
- Surf Boats will be conducted in a round robin format and with rules set by the Surf Life Saving Sydney Boat Series.
Please refer to the separate Surf Boat Supplementary Circular for details of entry, supplementary rules, and for participation, etc. in surf boat events.
- The U15 Men and Women Cameron Relay teams may be 2, 3 or 4 person teams. If it is a three-person team, the team enters one member of the team to complete both the beach sprint legs of the event. If it is a two-person team there is no separate runner.
- The Adaptive Competitor events shall be open to members from U8 years of age. Dependent on numbers, the age Groups will be U12 and under and U13 to U18, and Open. Men and Women races may be conducted but not separate disability classifications. Clubs shall also be required to provide one to one (1:1) SLS qualified water safety for the Surf, Board and Wade Races.
- Upon application to the Sectional Referee competitors may make up composite teams from different clubs and may be awarded placings (but not prizes or placing points for their individual clubs).
- The Club point score (including Surfboats) will be 6 points for 1st through to 1 point for 6th for all events conducted on the day. Dead heats will share the allotted placing points, viz. equal first both score 6 points and third scores 4 points and overall trophy prizes (i.e., there will be no countback to determine the overall club point score winner).
- Consistent with the SLSA Application for Membership form and declaration, Wanda SLSC may take photographs for promotional and historical purposes only. Participation is acknowledgment of acceptance of the consent to SLSA for this to occur.
- The Carnival Committee reserves the right to cancel events and without refund of entry fees if any of the advertised events for the Carnival are conducted.

Prizes and Trophies:

- Medals awarded to placegetters in U8 – U13 individual and team events.
- Participation medals for the first 100 competitors to enter the U8 events who do not win a placing medal.
- Placing and Participation medals for all participants in Adaptive events.
- Wanda One Caps to be presented to the winner of each U8 to U13 and Adaptive individual event.
- Random Prize draws for all ages during the Carnival and afterwards at the “Carnival Village” next to Wanda SLSC courtesy of valued Club Partner **Tradies**, and sponsors and supporters.
- The U8 to U13 age major “Lucky Draw” prize will also be drawn afterwards at the Carnival Village lawn after the Carnival. **Note:** The winners must be present to claim prizes.

Cash Prizes will be credited to the club of the winner of the following events:

- **Open Mixed 6 Person Taplin Relay (\$1,000 for 1st \$300 for 2nd, and \$200 for 3rd)**
- **Open Ironman and Ironwoman (\$500 for 1st \$300 for 2nd, and \$200 for 3rd)**
- **Men and Women Beach Runs (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Open Men and Women 2km Ski Challenges (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Open Men and Women Surf Races (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Men and Women Board Races (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Open Men and Women Ski Races (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Marc Leabeater Memorial Open Men and Women Beach Sprint (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Open Men and Women Beach Flags (\$100 for 1st)**
- **Open Men and Women 5 Person R&R (\$200 for 1st)**
- **Open March Past (\$200 for 1st)**
- **Open Surf Men and Women Surf Boat (\$200 for 1st)**
- **All other U14 to Open Age Individual Events (\$50 for 1st)**

A One Club cap will also be presented to the first placed competitor in all U14 to Masters individual events and the first placed team in the Open Taplin Relay, Open March Past, Open 5 Men and Women 5 Person R&R events, and all Surf Boat Races.

- **Tradies Trophy** will be presented for the Overall Club Point Score for all events conducted on the day. In addition, prizes of \$1000 for first, \$300 for second, and \$200 for 3rd will be awarded for the first three club teams. In the event of a dead heat in the point score the relevant prizes will be shared.

Entries:

- Clubs are to submit entries online for all events using the LSA Live Heats Entry System manager system. This is accessed via the [Live Heats Wanda entry link](#).
- Please note that a club will need to enter their members not already on Live Heats into the system to enable a carnival entry.
- Please telephone the Wanda Office (Wednesday to Friday) on telephone 9523 4343 for carnival enquiries.
- For Branch Boat Series enquiries - 9019 0722 or email events@surflifesavingsydney.com.au.
- Entries for individual and team events are now open.
- Normal entries for both team and individual events close at 12.01am on Monday 19 October 2026.
- Late Entries will remain open until 12.01am on Saturday, 24 October 2026 but will attract a late entry fee of \$20 per individual competitor and \$20.00 per team for R&R, March Past and Surf Boats.
- Very late entries may be accepted on the day of the Carnival. Very Late On-line entries will remain open until 7.45am. Following that time manual entries will be required and may be taken at the Registration desk that will remain open in Carnival Village until 9:00am. An additional \$15.00 additional very late entry fee will apply for each competitor or team.

- All entry fees are payable by credit/debit card, or Apple Pay, or Google Pay at the time of entry on the Live Heats system. Please note that a direct funds transfer system is being established by Live Heats but is not expected to be available for use until after 20 October 2026.
- Entry fees of \$42.00 per individual competitor (covers all events) shall apply for the U9 to O40 years age groups.
- Entry fees of \$31.00 per individual competitor (covers all events) shall apply for the U8 years age group.
- Adaptive event participant entry fees are free of charge. However, entries are to be submitted.
- With the exception of March Past, R&R and Surf Boats, there is no additional fee payable to enter team events if a participant is entered in individual events).
- R&R Team Entry of \$68.00 per Team for each event.
- March Past – Entry fees of \$68.00 per team.
- Surf Boats – Entry fees of \$68.00 per crew.
- Each competitor in individual events is to have their Live Heats wristband activated for the Wanda Carnival in Marshalling.
- SLS Sydney have set a fee of \$6.50 for a wristband for new competitors (i.e., those who have not previously registered for Live Heats) a fee of \$11 for competitors requiring a replacement wristband. Wristbands may be purchased from SLSS at the Registration Tent located on the grass between Wanda SLSC Clubhouse and the Sutherland Shire Council Lifeguard Building from 6.30 am.
- R&R, Surf Boats, and March Past teams do not need live heat wrist bands to participate in these events.

Parking:

- The parking directly in front of the Wanda SLSC clubhouse will be strictly reserved for invited guests, store holders, for mobility parking permit holders (if there are sufficient spaces), and for emergency and service access only.
- Craft Trailers may be unloaded adjacent to the SSC Lifeguard Headquarters.
- Surf Boat Trailers may be unloaded in front of Elouera SLSC and carried onto the Beach. Boats may also be carried down the access tracks 16 and 17 from Mitchell Road to the beach.
- Limited Trailer Parking (with cars attached) will be permitted in the northern council reserve at the corner of Hume and Mitchell Roads Cronulla
- It is planned that, surf conditions permitting, the carnival will extend north from Elouera commencing with surf boats, R&R, U14-Open Women, U14–Open Men, then U9-13 Girls, and Adaptive competitors, and U9-U13 boys north of the SSC Lifeguard Headquarters. U8s will participate further to the north. It is planned that Beach Sprint and Flag events will take place to the south (U14-Masters) and north (JAG) of the clubhouse.
- There is no council paid parking around Wanda Beach and parking right at the beach front can be limited at busy times.
- 3 hour parking is available along sections of the seaward side of Mitchell Road with all day parking is available on the western side of Mitchell Road other streets within 400 metres of the Wanda SLSC Clubhouse.
- Please follow and respect all directions of the Wanda SLSC volunteers.



Start Times:

The following are the proposed start times for events. Marshalling will commence 30 minutes beforehand (45 minutes for March Past and one hour for Surf Boats):

- 7:00 am: Beach Runs
- 7:30 am: 2km ski paddles
- 8:00 am: All R&R
- 8:00 am: U9 - U13 Beach Events
- 8:00 am: U9 - Masters Water Events
- 8:00 am: Adaptive Events (7:00 am for the Beach Runs)
- 8:30 am: U14 – U15 Beach Events
- 8:30 am: U8 Events
- 12:00 pm: Nipper, U23 and Open March Past Events
- 12:30 pm: U17 - Masters Beach Events (Open Beach Sprint Finals during WOS Finals)
- 12.40 pm: WOS U17 and Open Ironman/woman and Open Mixed Taplin Relay Finals
- 2:30 pm: Approximate Finish Time

Note: The Carnival is being Live Streamed commencing in the morning and concluding with a Final Package of events.

Finals Package – Commencing at 12:00 Noon:

The following are the planned start times for the Live Streamed Finals Package:

- 12:00 pm: Nipper, U23 and Open March Past Events
- 12:10 pm: National Anthem and Welcome
- 12:20 pm: Open Men and Women Boat Finals
- 12.40 pm: WOS U17 and Open Ironman/woman and Open Mixed Taplin Relay Finals
- 1:15 pm: Open Men and Women Beach Sprint Finals during WOS Finals
- 2:30 pm: Approximate Finish of Finals Package

Events:

Multi Discipline:

U11 - U17, Open and Masters 40+ Ironman and Ironwoman Races
U15 Men and Women Cameron Relay Races
17 Men and Women Taplin Relay Races
Open Mixed 6 Person Taplin Relay Race

Craft Events:

U9 - U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Board Races
U9 - U13, U15, U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Board Relays
Adaptive Men and Women Board Races
U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Ski Races
U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Ski Relays
U17, U19, Open, Masters 40+ 2km Ski Race

Swim Events:

U9 - U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Surf Races
U8 Men and Women Wade Races
U8 Men and Women Wade Relay Races
Adaptive Competitor Men and Women Surf Races
Adaptive Competitor Men and Women Wade Races

Beach Events:

U13 - U17 and Open Men and Women 2km Beach Runs
U10 - U12 40+ Men and Women 1km Beach Runs
Adaptive Competitor Men and Women 500m Beach Runs
U13, U15, U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women 2x1km Beach Run Relays
U10 to U12 Men and Women 2x500m Beach Run Relays
U8 - U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Beach Sprints
U8 - U13, U15, U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Beach Relays
Adaptive Competitor Men and Women Beach Sprints
U8 - U17, Open and Masters 40+ Men and Women Beach Flags
Adaptive Competitor Men and Women Beach Flags
Nipper, U23, and Open March Past

Rescue and Resuscitation (R&R) Events:

U10 to U11 2 Person R&R
U12 2 Person R&R
U13 to U14 2 Person R&R *
U14 to U15 2 Person R&R *
U13 to U15 5 Person R&R
* U14 Competitors must choose which 2 Person R&R event in which to compete (i.e., an U14 age competitor cannot compete in both the U13 to U14 and the U14 to U15 2 Person R&R.
U17 2 Person R&R
U17 5 Person R&R
U19 2 Person R&R
U19 5 Person R&R
U23 5 Person R&R
Open 2 Person R&R
Open 5 Men's R&R
Open 5 Women's R&R
Open 5 Mixed R&R *
Open 6 Person R&R
* The open Mixed 5 R&R must contain a minimum of 2 men and 2 women.

March Past:

Open March Past
U23 March Past
Nipper March Past

Surf Boats:

Open Men and Women
Reserve Men and Women
U23 Men and Women
U19 Men and Women
Masters 180 year plus Men and Women

Further Information:

Please Contact Wanda SLSC office (Wednesday to Friday) on telephone number 9523 4343 or email clubhouse@wandaslsc.com.au.

