

**JUNIOR ACTIVITIES CHIEF WATER SAFETY OFFICER/ SUPERVISOR**

**PURPOSE:** The Chief Water Safety Officer/ Supervisor is responsible for overseeing the implementation of adequate water safety for all Junior Activities

**RESPONSIBLE TO:** Junior Activities (JA) Programs Coordinator

**RESPONSIBILITIES:**

- Responsible for Water Safety at JA training days & mid-week training sessions
- Liaise with the Club Captain & Junior Activities (JA) Programs Coordinator to ensure there are sufficient numbers of Water Safety personnel available
- Work in conjunction with the Junior Activities Training & Education Officer to ensure that all water safety officers hold appropriate qualifications
- Record all water safety hours in the appropriate log book
- Ensure all water safety officers are dressed appropriately as per SLSQ policy
- Work in conjunction with coaches/ age managers

**KNOWLEDGE & SKILLS REQUIRED:**

- Ability to organise and delegate tasks
- Maintain confidentiality on relevant matters
- Communicate effectively and possess good interpersonal skills
- Friendly, positive and enthusiastic
- Good working knowledge of Junior Activities area and associated rules and regulations
- Thorough understanding of SLSQ Water Safety policies and requirements

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:**

- Be a financial member of (insert club name) Surf Life Saving Club;
- Be the holder of a current "Blue Card" or "Exemption Notice" issued by the Commission for Children and Young People and Child Guardian
- Hold a proficient Bronze Medallion - Certificate II Public Safety and Aquatic Rescue
- Be over 18 years of age
- Ensure requirements within the SLSQ Junior Activities Water Safety Policy are met at all times
- Willingness to complete more Lifesaving Awards – such as Advanced Resuscitation, Defibrillation etc
- Be able to commit XX hours per week during season