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To: Clubs
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Cc: Aquatic Sports Executive
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Aquatic Sports Council
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Subject: 2008 Junior Pool Competition (U8, U10 & U12)

Action: Entries due 5.00 pm Thursday prior to each competition

This circular outlines the following information for the 2008 Junior Pool Competition Season:

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A1 2008 Junior Pool Competition Calendar

Date	Carnival	Venue	Time
Sunday 18 May	Junior Pool Carnival	King Club Sandringham	2pm
Sunday 1 June	Junior Pool Carnival	King Club Sandringham	2pm
Sunday 15 June	Junior Pool Championships	King Club Sandringham	2pm
Thurs – Sun 14 - 17 January 2009	Australian Pool Lifesaving Championships (Royal Life Saving Society Australia)	AIS, Canberra	

Venue Locations:

King Club 150 Tulip Street
Sandringham

A2 Rules & Regulations

Clubs are reminded that to take part in Pool Competitions there are a number of rules and regulations relating to equipment, training and competition rules that need to be taken into consideration. If you are unaware of any of these requirements, all relevant documents are listed on the LSV & RLSSA websites. The websites are www.lifesavingvictoria.com.au & www.royallifesaving.com.au.

A3 Entry Procedure

Entry Procedure

Entry fee will also be as per the summer season with \$12.00 (GST inclusive) being charged per competitor.

- (a) All entries for the season will be processed through our online registration website:
www.registration.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/tide/registration
- (b) All clubs are advised to read the entry process closely to ensure there is no confusion as to the procedure that should be followed.
- (c) The internet registration system uses a club username and login as per Victorian Championships. **Please contact Life Saving Victoria on 9676 6937 or email chris.munro@lifesavingvictoria.com.au if you are unsure of your club's login.**
- (d) Please click on point one "read instructions for entries" on the www.registration.lifesavingvictoria.com.au/tide/registration site for information how to enter competitors into competitions.
- (e) Click on enter competitors into Events (Click All to review all competitors) (it is recommended that clubs use the appropriate dummy competition to import competitors into future carnivals, as the system is also used for results and entry fee processing i.e names will be deleted from each carnival)
- (f) Please have the following information ready before entering competitors into events.
 - Surname and Given Name (No Nicknames)
 - Gender – (M/F)
 - Membership Category (A – Active, RA - Reserve Active, LM – Life Member, C – Cadet)
 - Date of Birth
- (g) All invoices for entries will be issued to clubs following the events.

Please Note:

Entries close at **5.00 pm on the Thursday prior** to each carnival. Late entries can be made on the day at the administration desk and will incur a late fee charge of \$15. Changes to team sheets can be made until 1 (one) hour after the advertised carnival start time.

Competition results for Victorian carnivals can be found via the following link
www.registration.lifesavingvictoria.com.au

A4 Entry Fees

Junior Pool Carnival \$12.00 per carnival

LSV will send out an invoice to all of the participating Clubs after each Carnival. A \$2.00 pool entry fee will also be charged for spectators on entry to the pool.

A4 Competition Eligibility

All Members of LSV, Affiliated Clubs, Pool Lifeguards, Swimming Groups and their members, Members of educational institutions and approved lifesaving clubs will be permitted to enter competitors and or teams in the 2008 Pool Lifesaving Carnivals and Championships.

No award qualifications are required for normal Carnivals (but all competitors must be able to confidently swim 25m minimum), however Competitors must, at the closing date for the State Championship entries, be holders of a minimum RLSSA or SLSA Award qualification relevant to the age group/s they are competing in.

RLSSA

Under 8 Water Wise Level 4
Under 10 Water Wise Level 4
Under 12 Junior Swim & Survive
Under 14 Senior Swim & Survive
Under 16 Bronze Star or higher
Under 19 Bronze Medallion
Open Bronze Medallion
Over 30 Bronze Medallion
Over 40 Bronze Medallion

SLSA

Surf Awareness
Surf Safety
Surf Smart
Surf Rescue Certificate
Surf Rescue Certificate or Bronze Medallion
Bronze Medallion
Bronze Medallion
Bronze Medallion
Bronze Medallion

Competitors that subsequently are found not to hold the appropriate award/s will not be allowed to compete or will be disqualified and all medals returned on request.

Ages shall be taken from the first (1st) day of January preceding the Championships, i.e. 1 January 2008.

All non lifesaving club groups must register their cap with the event coordinator prior to competing. Registered club/group caps shall be worn in all events, but if worn in the Initiative Test, should not be used as a rescue aid.

Swimming and lifesaving techniques shall be based on those used in the ILS Manual of Swimming and Lifesaving.

A6 Officials

Each Club or School must provide 2 Officials to assist with pool duties i.e. Timekeeping. These officials are asked to please wear a white t-shirt or polo shirt to the competitions.

A7 Pool Competition Events & Programs

Junior Pool Carnival Program

Finals will not be run – Places are given on times

Event No#	Age Group	Event
1	U8 Girls	25m Freestyle
2	U8 Boys	25m Freestyle
3	U10 Girls	25m Freestyle
4	U10 Boys	25m Freestyle
5	U12 Girls	50m Obstacles
6	U12 Boys	50m Obstacles
7	U8 Girls	25m Kickboard Race
8	U8 Boys	25m Kickboard Race
9	U10 Girls	25m Kickboard Rescue
10	U10 Boys	25m Kickboard Rescue
11	U12 Girls	50m Kickboard Rescue
12	U12 Boys	50m Kickboard Rescue
13	U8 Girls	25m Breastroke
14	U8 Boys	25m Breastroke
15	U10 Girls	50m Medley (Breast Stroke & Sidestroke)
16	U10 Boys	50m Medley (Breast Stroke & Sidestroke)
17	U12 Girls	100m Medley (Lifesaving backstroke, Freestyle, Sidestroke, Breast stroke)
18	U12 Boys	100m Medley (Lifesaving backstroke, Freestyle, Sidestroke, Breast stroke)
19	U8 Girls	Male Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
20	U8 Girls	Female Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
21	U8 Boys	Male Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
22	U8 Boys	Female Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
23	U10 Girls	Male Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
24	U10 Girls	Female Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
25	U10 Boys	Male Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
26	U10 Boys	Female Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
27	U12 Girls	Male Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
28	U12 Girls	Female Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
29	U12 Boys	Male Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)

30	U12 Boys	Female Parent / Child (2 x 25m Freestyle)
31	U8 Girls	4 x 25m Kickboard Relay Race
32	U8 Boys	4 x 25m Kickboard Relay Race
33	U10 Girls	4 x 25m Freestyle Relay
34	U10 Boys	4 x 25m Freestyle Relay
35	U8 Girls	4 x 25m Freestyle Relay
36	U8 Boys	4 x 25m Freestyle Relay
37	U12 Girls	4 x 25m Tube Relay
38	U12 Boys	4 x 25m Tube Relay
39	U12 Girls	Line Throw
40	U12 Boys	Line Throw
41	U10 Girls	Line Throw
42	U10 Boys	Line Throw