To: Club Presidents  
Club Captains

Cc: Club Secretaries  
State Officers  
Regional Officers

From: Darren McLeod – Director, Lifesaving Services

Date: 21 August 2013

Subject: Lifesaving Services Protocols 2013/14

Action: Return signed Protocol by 5:00 pm on Monday, 30 September 2013 to Life Saving Victoria State Centre

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The Lifesaving Services Protocol assists in enabling Life Saving Clubs, and LSV, to monitor, review and manage the delivery of volunteer lifesaving services by clubs throughout the season. This also contributes to enhancing the coordination of lifesaving services across the state, providing accurate patrolling information to the public and emergency service organisations. The Protocol is not intended to create binding legal obligations on the Club, rather to be used to guide the delivery of volunteer lifesaving patrols throughout the state.

It is the responsibility of each Club to advise its patrolling members of their duties and the expectations of patrolling standards contained in this Protocol and LSV policies and procedures.

Please note that each clubs Lifesaving Service Protocol for the 2013/14 season will be postal mailed directly to each Club Captain in the coming week.

It is required to be signed and returned to Life Saving Victoria State Centre by 5:00 pm on Monday, 30 September 2013. This enables public information portals to be updated in a timely manner.

Clubs are reminded that this Protocol forms one (1) aspect of the 2013/14 Club Administration Grant. Clubs will need to have submitted an agreed signed copy to Life Saving Victoria State Centre in order to be eligible for the first grant payment of $1,000.00.

If you have any questions please contact Ashley Baxter – Development Officer - Lifesaving Services on 03 9676 6930 or email ashley.baxter@lifesavingvictoria.com.au