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To: Prospective Lifeguards
2017/2018 Lifeguards
Club Presidents
Club Secretaries
Club Captains
Lifesaving Operations Officers

From: Lifesaving Operations Department

Date: 11 July 2018

Subject: **Paid Lifeguard Applications**

Action: Submit your application by midnight Sunday, 2 September 2018

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Lifesaving Operations on 03 9676 6930 or email lifesavingoperations@lsv.com.au
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Applications are now open for those who wish to be considered for employment as a Life Saving Victoria (LSV) paid lifeguard for the 2018/2019 season.

Positions exist for beach lifeguards, event lifeguards, as well as specialist roles for LSVComms Operators, RWC lifeguards and lifeguards at Rowing Victoria events.

To apply, please complete the paid Lifeguard application by **midnight Sunday, 2 September 2018**, refer <https://lifesavingvictoria.wufoo.com/forms/zzuhqkx0mucdpp/>

Applicants may nominate to apply for work as an event lifeguard. Event lifeguard work is available year-round for events both within Melbourne and regional areas.

Prior to completing the application form, please ensure you have confirmed your prerequisite qualifications through your SLS Members Portal account via <https://portal.sls.com.au>

Positions available (please indicate on the application form all roles you are interested in):

- Beach Lifeguard
- RWC Lifeguard
- Chief Lifeguard
- LSVComms Operator
- Event Lifeguard

Pre-requisite Awards

- Bronze Medallion (Certificate II in Public Safety (Aquatic Rescue))
- First Aid / Apply (Senior) First Aid
- Spinal Management Award
- Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Certificate (ARTC)
- Silver Medallion Beach Management
- IRB Crew
- Current Employment Working With Children Check



Others:

- IRB Driver (strongly encouraged)
- Gold Medallion (strongly encouraged)
- ATV Operators Certificate / Induction (strongly encouraged)
- RWC – Rescue Water Craft Operator Certificate
- Pool Lifeguard

Beach Lifeguard Positions will be available across the following regions:

- Bass
- Geelong
- Gippsland
- Peninsula
- Bayside, Kingston and Surf Coast (RWC)
- Surf Coast & Otway
- Western

The main employment period is from 26 December 2018 through to 26 January 2019 with extended periods at Woolamai, Portsea, Ocean Grove, Geelong, Torquay, Anglesea and Lorne.

Lifeguards may nominate their preferred location/s, however allocations will be made based on operational requirements. Where possible we will place successful applicants at their preferred locations. Lifeguards are encouraged to work in different areas across the state to further develop their lifeguarding experience.

All Lifeguards applicants are required to be current in all pre-requisite awards and attend an interview if they wish to Lifeguard for the 2018/2019 season.

