



# Nippers

## What age can my child start? What group are they in?

DOB prior to	Age prior to 30/09/2021	SLSA Age Group
30/09/2016	5	U6's
30/09/2015	6	U7's
30/09/2014	7	U8's
30/09/2013	8	U9's
30/09/2012	9	U10's
30/09/2011	10	U11's
30/09/2010	11	U12's
30/09/2009	12	U13's
30/09/2008	13 CADETS	U14's

## How Do I Register?

Registration Day is being held on Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2021 from 8.30am at the Broome Boulevard Shopping Centre and then from 4pm at the Surf Club. The last day to Register is the first day of Nippers which is held at BRAC Pool (see below). On this day you may:

1. Complete and submit a Paper Membership Form to the Surf Club Registration Desk.

Alternatively if you are an existing Broome SLSC member, registrations can be done online at [www.lifesavingonline.com.au](http://www.lifesavingonline.com.au), prices will be listed. We do not accept late registrations to ensure our volunteers can safely meet our water safety obligations. This excludes transfers from other clubs which are processed through SurfGuard and can be arranged through emailing the club at [admin@broomeslsc.org.au](mailto:admin@broomeslsc.org.au)

## When and Where?

Follow the left hand column of the Club Calendar which is on display at the Clubhouse and available via email. **First day is at BRAC Pool, Sunday afternoon from 2:00 pm TBA, with staggered starts so check your child's time.** Generally though, south of the Clubhouse on the beach, 8:30 am sharp start, finishing 10:00 am, with U6's & 7's finishing 9:10 am. For our day at the pool, please bring entry money for your nipper and goggles if they are U8 and up.

## What Do We Bring On Sundays?

Bathers, no board shorts permitted, but bike shorts are acceptable during regular club days. Skull caps will be handed out at the pool or the first day of the beach and then 'rejuvenated' through club annually. New members to Broome are charged \$5 to assist in covering this, please place in an envelope, with your child's name on it and hand to the Age Group Manager as soon as you can. Weekly your child should bring small bottle of water, small towel, goggles and swim cap.

## What Do We Do?

Surf Safety and Surf Skills through activities like wades, swims, board paddling, beach sprints, beach flags, team relays and more. BSLSC uses SLSA Curriculum and recognises this through Awards. Proficiency Evaluations and Competition Proficiencies are applied as per the requirements of both SLSWA and the Lifesaving NT. We require parental assistance at all times to safely manage our fun on the beach, with U6/7's having a 1:1 ratio and all others 1:5 for water safety requirements. This means YOU as a parent are required at all times, with bathers underneath should you need to get wet!