



# MEMORANDUM

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## Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue Course

**Audience:** Presidents, Secretaries, Training Officers & Interested Members

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<b>Summary</b>	Upcoming Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue Course on Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> September and Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2017
<b>Objective</b>	The aim of the course is to provide participants with the skills and knowledge to participate in search and rescue operations.

Please be advised that SLSCC will be holding a Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue Course on Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> September & Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> October 2017. Please see details below:

Course Name:	Silver Medallion Aquatic Rescue
Course Date:	Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup> September & Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> October 2017
Location:	North Avoca SLSC (TBC)
Time:	8.30am – 9.00pm (Saturday) 8.30am – 4.00pm (Sunday)
Course Fee:	\$25 per member to cover course costs. (As per the SLSCC price list)
Prerequisites:	Minimum 16 years on date of assessment <b>Completion of a 400m pool swim in 8 minutes or less. Swim Certificate must be uploaded when registering to attend this course.</b> Proficient Bronze Medallion / Cert II Public Safety (Aquatic Rescue)

**Please note:**

- Enrolment for this course will be on a 'first in best dressed' basis
- **Pre-Requisite swim Certificate is required to be uploaded at time of online registration. (This is the responsibility of the Individual member to complete prior to attending the examination date)**

**Course Content:**

- Contribute to preparation activities for search and rescue operations
- Recognize when a rescue response is required
- Perform complex patient rescue, including search and rescue of a missing person
- Demonstrate recovery and stand down procedures
- Advanced water entry (rock and pier rescues) (*where training location permits*)
- Retrieving submerged objects
- On-land night search operation

***Enrolment Process:***

**Enrolment Process:** Interested members are to book through their Chief Training Officers/Secretary. Clubs are to then complete the online registration form located on the SLSCC secure members area on the SLSCC website ([www.slsc.com.au](http://www.slsc.com.au))

Upon confirmation of course enrolment, participants will receive an email with Participant Joining Instructions outlining any gear and equipment required and any other instructions.

Kind Regards,  
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