

Congratulations to all our nippers for some great swimming and floating last Sunday at the first Nipper session for the season. We were lucky to have near perfect conditions and there were young smiling faces wearing pink everywhere. It was fabulous to see a new group of enthusiastic under 8's join our nipper group and we would like to extend a welcome to all new nippers and families.



If you were unable to attend last Sunday, your child will need to complete their S Badge swim this Sunday at our second session. Please notify your Age Manager on arrival if it is your first week.

Thank you to our Age Managers who have volunteered their time to our children for the season. We have at least one Age Manager per group as follows:

- Under 8: Heidi Thomas & Brent 'Bert' Cross
- Under 9: Sophia Norris
- Under 10: Sebastian Hales & Stewart Smith
- Under 11: Jodie Carroll
- Under 12: Jemimah Johnston
- Under 13: Shane Fox & Nikki Chessel
- Under 14: Jack Jones

If you don't yet have your uniform, please order it online or pick it up from the shop in Collingwood. The compulsory items are: nipper cap (provided to new nippers), pink rash vest and wide brim hat. Click [here](#) to order online.

PLEASE NOTE: We are splitting the groups into two time slots going forward as follows:

9.00am – 11.00am: U8, U9, U10 & U14

10.00am – 12.00pm: U11, U12 & U13

We are at St Paul's Road front beach again this week so we look forward to seeing you on Sunday for what looks like another beautiful day.

We are still in need of some volunteers. This is a small community run club so we really need the help of all nipper parents throughout the season. Please email nippers@sorrentoslsc.com if you are able to help with any of the following:

- Social events
- Water safety
- First Aid

Our bronze / SRC requalification is on Saturday 1st December at the Sorrento SLSC Clubhouse. If you currently have your bronze medallion or SRC, you need to requalify each year in order to keep your qualification current and to continue being a water safety volunteer. If you are unable to attend the requal at Sorrento, you can search LSV for other clubs that offer it before the end of the year.

We have our first Sorrento SLSC nipper social night on Saturday 1st December so save the date in your diary as it's always a fun night to catch up with other nipper families. Further details to come.

Remember to bring the following on Sunday:

- Bathers
- Pink tank top rash vest
- Nipper cap
- Wetsuit
- Goggles
- Warm clothes to put on after the swim
- Sunscreen
- Water & snacks

Please feel free to contact nippers@sorrentoslsc.com with any questions. Otherwise, keep an eye on the website for any updates.

See you at the beach
Chrissy and Jack



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Patrolling Sorrento Back Beach Since 1998