

# 2024/2025 Membership Renewals

### Membership fees:

	Pre 31 August 2024	Post 31 August 2024
Active Senior/Award	\$85	\$95
Member/Long Service		
Active Cadet/15-18 Years	\$75	\$85
Junior/Nipper	\$70	\$80
Associate	\$105	\$115
Family (at least 1 member is	\$250 + \$10 for each	\$270 + \$10 for each
a patrolling member) up to 4	additional person	additional person
people)		
Family (Nippers only) up to 4	\$300 + \$50 for each	\$320 + \$50 for each
people	additional person	additional person

### PART 1 - SLSA Membership Renewals:

All membership renewals **MUST** be done online. This can be done through the SLSA Members Portal at <u>https://portal.sls.com.au/wps/portal/member/</u>.

If you need any assistance with your username, we can assist you or you can also follow the links on the page for forgotten username or password. If you still don't yet have a portal account, you will need to create one. To create a portal account for yourself, click where it says "Don't have a Members area account yet?" Follow that process through to create the account (remember it will be linking data to what is in your Surfguard profile, so particularly for previous nippers, your details in Surfguard may be your parent's details. Contact the office if you are having trouble creating our account).

#### TO RENEW:

If you already hold a portal account, once you have logged in, on the landing page choose Memberships and then either Renew for individual memberships or Family for renewing a family membership (or click on the red renew button in the relevant yellow banner).

*For an Individual:* Make sure club says North Kirra and Season 2024/2025 – then click submit. Choose your membership category for the membership price, click next, then click on next on the Addon Fees, click to either pay now by credit card or other payment options and tick the membership application and declaration. If you didn't pay by credit card, you will be able to click on Make A Payment at the end to see the other payment options.

**For a Family:** Where it lists the family group name, click on renew memberships. **Place a tick in the checkboxes on the left of all the members you are wishing to renew (don't tick them if you do NOT want to renew)** and then click on Submit. On the next page, select the fee option for each person. Choose Patrolling Family for the 1<sup>st</sup> person and \$0 include in the family group for the next 3 members. For any members above 4, choose the extra person \$10 fee. Then click on next, next again on the Addon Fees page, then click to either pay now by credit card (only if the fees are correct and you don't have a Fairplay voucher to redeem) or other payment options and tick the membership application and declaration. If you didn't pay by credit card, you will be able to click on Make A Payment at the end to see the other payment options.

**Important Note** – if you have a Fairplay voucher for your child that you would like to redeem as part of your family membership, **DO NOT** pay online by credit card and instead pay the correct amount via direct credit in to the North Kirra SLSC bank account or make the payment in person at the club via cash or credit card as the system can't cater for the Fairplay voucher redemption. You will also need to send through the voucher to the club via email or bring in person to finalise your membership payment.

All memberships will be checked when received and will only be processed if all adult members have a Working with Children Blue Card and have completed the associated 2 child related courses that are required. A follow up email from the Club will come to either confirm everything is processed or to explain why it was not processed and what needs to be completed.

North Kirra SLSC BSB 124-063 Acc No. 1229-9225 Ref: Please use your surname

If you have any issues at all with logging in to the Members Portal or are unsure about anything, please contact the Surf Club office.

# Blue Cards/CYRM Inductions:

Renewing adult members should already have a Blue Card, however, yours may have expired, be expiring or you may not have one yet. If yours has expired or is expiring or you didn't get one last season, please arrange this as soon as possible – it is likely you will have received a reminder from Blue Card Services if you are in need of a renewal. **YOUR MEMBERSHIP CANNOT BE PROCESSED UNTIL THESE BLUE CARDS ARE IN PLACE (MEANING YOU EITHER CANNOT START PATROLS OR YOUR CHILD/REN CANNOT START NIPPERS UNTIL YOUR BLUE CARD AND COURSES ARE SORTED).**  To renew or apply for a Blue Card, it is now completed through an online process – please head to this website <u>Blue Card Services Applicant Portal</u> :

- Set up an account with Blue Cards & it will give you an account number make a note of this number and send it to North Kirra SLSC so we can get the account linked to our organisation (you can't proceed with your application until this has been linked)
- 2. Once it has been linked by SLSQ you will receive an email confirming the link. You can then complete the application by logging into the application portal (link contained within the document). If you are trying to proceed with your application as a Volunteer (which is what you need to do for this purpose) and it still says they require more information from the volunteer organisation, it means it has still not been linked yet, so you cannot proceed until it is.

Please note you need a Qld TMR Customer Reference Number to get a Qld Working with Children Blue Card, so if you only hold a driver's licence in NSW for example, you will need to attend a Qld Transport location to obtain this number.

#### **RELATED ONLINE COURSES:**

In line with Blue Card Renewals/Applications, you are required to complete 2 online courses – CYRMs and the Child Safe Awareness Course. These are both located within the elearning platform Training Library in the <u>SLS Members Portal</u>.

- 1. Click on elearning and log in to elearning
- 2. Then login with the same login at the next sign in
- 3. Then click on CYRMS to do that course and/or CSA to complete the Child Safe Awareness Course. (Even if you have a Green tick, if you are renewing your Blue Card you need to complete these courses and can click on them and complete via here)

There is no need to send through confirmation this is done as your profile will be automatically updated with your awards once the course is completed.

If you are not the main family member that holds/created the membership initially, you will need to firstly create a portal account (via the link below – Members Portal Access) before you can complete this required training. Click on Don't have a Members Area account yet (within the yellow box) and proceed to create an account. It will be matching details to what is in the portal, so remember to set up this account initially, the contact details will be that of the person that created the membership initially, but your date of birth and name details. Once the account has been created, you will be able to update the details in your profile to your own details and not that of your partner or whoever set up the initial membership account. Once logged in, you will be able to access these 2 courses via the elearning platform as per the 3 steps above.

# PART 2 - North Kirra Supporters Club Renewals:

Memberships for all people over 18 years includes 12 month's Supporters Club membership, however **you must complete your membership form to receive your card & membership**. Great <u>promotions</u>, food and drink plus the VIEW!

Click here to renew your Supporters Club membership

### **Other Information:**

#### New Memberships (info for friends, colleagues):

If you know of any people wanting to become new members of NK, please direct them to <u>https://members.sls.com.au/members/join/member-join</u> to arrange their Surf Life Saving membership. There is also further information on our website regarding new memberships and other requirements (Supporters Club membership, Blue Cards etc). Any enquiries to <u>surfclub@northkirra.com.au</u>.

We are planning our next bronze Course to commence in early/mid September, with further details to be confirmed shortly.

#### **Skills Maintenance/Proficiency:**

Here are the practical skills maintenance dates for this season (all commence at 11.30am)

Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September Sunday 29<sup>th</sup> September Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> October Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> November Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December

#### **ONLINE SKILLS MAINTENANCE:**

Skills Maintenance details for this season have not yet been released, however, when they are, these will be accessible through the SLSQ Hub (via Members Area, elearning).

A reminder the online component will need to be completed prior to attending a practical session and you will need to enrol online into one of the sessions prior to attending.

Once all the information is released from SLSA/SLSQ regarding the skills maintenance, a further bulletin will come out to everyone.

## **Other Admin Items:**

Please ensure we have your USI number and your driver's licence (and marine licence if applicable) details on file in your Members Profile of the portal. You can update this yourself through the SLS Members Area or alternatively you can email it through to <a href="mailto:surfclub@northkirra.com.au">surfclub@northkirra.com.au</a>

Your assistance in attending to these before commencement of the 2024/2025 season will be greatly appreciated. Looking forward to welcoming you back to our great little Club!