



## Circular 053:17

**Date:** 16<sup>th</sup> March 2017

**Subject:** Youth Development Camp

**Attention:** Clubs Chairs, Club Captains, Club Administrators, Operational Lifeguards aged 15-18 years

**Action:** Register before Monday the 3<sup>rd</sup> of April 2017

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The 2017 SLSNR Youth Development Camp will be held at Motutapu Island from Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> April – Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> April. The camp is designed to target young lifeguards who are enthusiastic about the values associated with surf club life. Participants will be encouraged to expand their horizons through a number of dynamic theory sessions and action packed outdoor activities.

This is an outstanding opportunity for clubs to nominate young, up and coming members for an experience that will give all participants a better understanding of the Surf Life Saving family which we are all involved in. We strongly encourage clubs to make the most of this opportunity and past camp feedback tells us this is a pivotal growth experience for our young people.

To be eligible for the camp, applicants must be current members, aged 15 – 18 years and hold their Surf Lifeguard Award (refreshed). As per previous years clubs are allocated 3 candidate positions with any extra subject to application numbers/availability. If there are more than 3 applications submitted these will be asked to be put in priority order at the time of confirming club endorsement.

Applications are now open, to go to the online registration form please click [here](#).

### **Costs of the 4 day Camp:**

*Approximate Total:*

*Circa \$21,000.00*

*(Includes: Catering, Transport to & from Island, Accommodation & Facilities & Instruction of Activities) Note-The fee per person is based on set costs regardless of numbers attending.*

We have applied for funding to cover most of the costs associated with Youth Development Camp. We will not hear the results of the application until the camp.

Catering (approx. \$5200) is very hard to get funding for and so will most likely fall back to the user pays; hopefully this will be the only portion.

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**Total approx. cost per person as it stands: \$380 (\$95 per day)**

**Total approx. cost per person if more funding secured and only catering to be covered by user: \$90 (\$22.50 per day)**

Further information will come out as the situation develops but the recommendation is to plan to pay full amount and if funding is secured, Clubs will be charged a reduced amount.

Finally if the participant is confirmed to attend the camp and is unable to attend or a replacement found to fill the spot that is confirmed then the club will be charged the full relevant amount.

**Youth Development Camp registrations close 12pm on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2017.**

Do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions.

Kind regards,

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Club Development Manager

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