



PATROL LEADERSHIP TEAM

POSITION DESCRIPTION

PATROL CAPTAIN

Role

Patrol Captains are responsible for the coordination of all Patrol Members whilst on patrol and in the event of an incident, therefore their instructions should be followed promptly.

Responsibilities

- Prior to the commencement of duty, check all previous log entries and liaise with the previous Patrol Captain / Lifeguard to identify any issues or hazards present.
- Before patrol starts, ensure all Lifesaving equipment is checked with the assistance of others to make sure it is in good working condition.
- Provide an important role in being responsible for the health and safety of members
- Conducting volunteer patrols; and ensuring that safety is front and center of all patrol activities.
- The patrol captain, dependent on conditions, shall be the person responsible for the opening, closing and relocating of flagged areas and/or beaches.
- The Patrol Captain should ensure that all Lifesaving Personnel take a proactive approach to preventative measures i.e., warning the public of dangers, maintaining swimmers between the flags, etc.
- The Patrol Captain shall also coordinate any incident that may occur unless a more senior person arrives at the situation such as a Lifesaving Operations Officer, State Duty Officer, Police or other emergency services who may take over control.
- Report back to Patrol Manager regarding issues or concerns of patrol

Requirements

- Must hold either Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management or Silver Medallion Patrol Captain
- Held a PLT role in a previous season
- Minimum 3 years patrol experience
- Must be 18+

You must be able to attend the larger majority of your rostered patrols, If you are unable to attend a rostered patrol you must find a replacement with the qualification for your PLT role.



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POSITION DESCRIPTION

VICE PATROL CAPTAIN

Role

Vice Patrol Captains are responsible for the coordination of all Patrol Members whilst on patrol and in the event of an incident

Responsibilities

- Provide an important role in being responsible for the health and safety of members
- Conducting volunteer patrols; and ensuring that safety is front and center of all patrol activities.
- Report back to Patrol Manager regarding issues or concerns of patrol
- Step up as patrol captain if additional support is required

Requirements

- Must hold either Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management or Silver Medallion Patrol Captain
- Held a PLT role in a previous season
- Minimum 3 years patrol experience
- Must be 18+

You must be able to attend the larger majority of your rostered patrols, If you are unable to attend a rostered patrol you must find a replacement with the qualification for your PLT role.



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POSITION DESCRIPTION

IRB DRIVER (IRBD)

Role

IRB Driver (IRBD) member is the designated driver in the event of a IRB rescue.

Responsibilities

- Appropriate set up of the IRB for patrol
- Ensure IRB is rescue ready at all times during patrol
- To conduct yourself professionally at all times
- To ensure the safety of your crew and members of the public when performing rescues and other activities such as roving
- To mentor members who want to get their driver's on the roles and responsibilities of driver's
- You may be required to take Bronze medallion holders out for training sessions in the boat during patrol
- Report any issues or damages to the IRB Captain
- Ensure Equipment is cleaned and stored correctly post patrol
- To be able to fulfil all expectations and tasks set to you by the Patrol Captain

Requirements

- Current IRB Driver's Award and Marine License

You must be able to attend the larger majority of your rostered patrols, If you are unable to attend a rostered patrol you must find a replacement with the qualification for your PLT role



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POSITION DESCRIPTION

IRB CREW (IRBC)

Role

IRB Crew (IRBC) member is the designated crew in the event of a IRB rescue

Responsibilities

- Ensure IRB is rescue ready at all times during patrol
- Conduct yourself professionally at all times
- To mentor bronze medallion holders who want to get their crew on the roles and responsibilities of crew's
- Fulfil all tasks and responsibilities outlined below and set to you by the IRB Driver
- Respond to IRB tasked rescues during patrol
- Set up the IRB at the beginning of patrol
- Assist the IRB Driver in packing up the IRB at the end of patrol

Requirements

- Current IRB Crew award

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PATROL LEADERSHIP TEAM

POSITION DESCRIPTION

FIRST AID (FA)

Role

First Aid (FA) members duty is to ensure that First Aid equipment is rescue ready and looked after before, during and after patrols.

Responsibilities

- Necessary pre-op checks of first aid kits during the patrol set-up.
- Equipment is looked after during patrol whilst on the beach
- FA PLT should facilitate first aid incidents to occur
- Necessary post-op checks of first aid equipment after patrol (Restocking anything)
- First Aid Room should be left in a clean and tidy condition
- Up to date with SOPS relating to FA

Requirements

- A current First Aid Certificate (HLTAID003) or (HLTAID011)
- 3-5 years patrolling experience is preferable
- Active patrolling member (20+ Hours of patrolling each year)
- Highly competent in providing first aid

You must be able to attend the larger majority of your rostered patrols, If you are unable to attend a rostered patrol you must find a replacement with the qualification for your PLT role.



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POSITION DESCRIPTION

ADVANCED RESUSCITATION TECHNIQUE

Role

Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (ART) member's duty is to ensure that oxygen equipment is rescue ready and looked after before, during and after patrols.

Responsibilities

- Undertake necessary pre-op checks of oxygen equipment during the patrol set-up.
- Ensure equipment is looked after during patrol whilst on the beach.
- Facilitate the use of oxygen in the event of an incident to occur.
- Necessary post-op checks of oxygen equipment after patrol. Restock if required.
- Ensure First Aid Room is left in a clean and tidy condition.
- Up to date with all SOPS regarding Resuscitation.

Requirements

- A current Advanced Resuscitation Techniques (ART) award (HLTAID009 and HLTAID015)
- 3-5 years patrolling experience is preferable
- Active patrolling member (20+ Hours of patrolling each year)
- Highly competent using oxygen and ART equipment

You must be able to attend the larger majority of your rostered patrols, If you are unable to attend a rostered patrol you must find a replacement with the qualification for your PLT role.



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POSITION DESCRIPTION

ATV AND 4WD OPERATOR

Role

Patrol Captains are responsible for the coordination of all Patrol Members whilst on patrol and in the event of an incident

Responsibilities

- Provide an important role in being responsible for the health and safety of members
- Conducting volunteer patrols; and ensuring that safety is front and center of all patrol activities.
- Report back to Patrol Manager regarding issues or concerns of patrol

Requirements

- Must hold either Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management or Silver Medallion Patrol Captain
- Held a PLT role in a previous season
- Minimum 3 years patrol experience
- Must be 18+

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POSITION DESCRIPTION

MENTOR

Role

Mentors are responsible for providing patrol knowledge, experience and guidance to the Senior patrolling members and empower them to develop and support others

Responsibilities

- Provide an important role in being responsible for the health and safety of members
- Conducting volunteer patrols; and ensuring that safety is front and center of all patrol activities.
- Provide support to the Patrol Leadership Team to undertake patrolling duties

Requirements

- Must hold either Silver Medallion Basic Beach Management or Silver Medallion Patrol Captain
- Held a PLT role in a previous season
- Previously held the position of Patrol Captain
- Must be 18+

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