

# Memorandum

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TO: All Gold Coast Patrolling Members

CC: Point Danger Branch, South Coast Branch, Peter Lucas – State Lifesaving Officer,  
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SUBJECT: Surfers Paradise Patrols

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Dear All,

Surf Life Saving Queensland is calling on assistance from volunteers to assisting in carrying out early patrols at Surfers Paradise beach. Over the last 5 years SLSQ and Surfers Paradise SLSC has provided the bathing public a patrol area to swim at from 6am in the morning. This patrol when first implemented had representatives from many different clubs across the coast as well as members from Surfers Paradise. Over the last couple of years the Surfers Paradise club has carried out these patrols using their own members with the occasional assistance from outside members.

Due to a slight decrease in membership and some of the members who religiously carried out the early morning patrols not being able to commit as much this season, SLSQ is looking for volunteers to assist in carrying out these patrols. Surfers Paradise members will be assisting in particular with getting gear & equipment onto the beach for these patrols.

WHEN: 6am to 8am – Saturday, Sunday and Public Holidays during season

WHERE: Surfers Paradise Beach

Members would be required to bring their own Patrol Uniform and any other protective clothing that is required.

If you are interested please contact me ASAP by one of the following

Phone 0403 577 643 or email [shogben@lifesaving.com.au](mailto:shogben@lifesaving.com.au)

Members need also to be aware that the hours completed at Surfers Paradise during this time will be recorded in a patrol logbook at the beach and then entered onto the SLSQ Membership database and can be used towards competition etc.

If you have any questions in relation to this matter please contact me ASAP.

Kind Regards,

Stuart Hogben

Gold Coast Lifesaving Services Coordinator



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