

Hi Patrol Members

Welcome to the new season and thanks for patrolling over the 2011/2012 season. Attached are a number of important documents that you need to read carefully. They are as follows;

- Patrol Roster – could you check that your name appears on the roster? If you have any major concerns with your allocated patrol, please let me know ASAP, however dates will not be changed.
- Changes to the Bronze Requal – LSV has introduced changes, these include; IRB Awareness, CPR changes and DRSABCD. An S for send for help has been added after R for response.
- IRB Awareness document
- Proficiency Paper for the Bronze and SRC Requal – please print this of, answer the questions. Bring it along to your requal so that you can transfer the answers onto your assessment card.
- Proficiency Paper for IRB Crew and Driver.

Please read all documents to ensure that you are familiar with the changes.

Bronze/SRC Requals - Saturday 26th Nov at 12.00 or Monday 12th Dec at 5.30pm. We have a lot to get through as every person doing their Bronze Requal must undergo the IRB Awareness unit. Bring your completed theory paper and please be on time. If you cannot attend either of these dates please contact me to make alternative arrangements.

Spinal Requal – Monday 21st Nov at 7.00pm

ART Requal – Wednesday 23rd November at 7.00pm

NB: In order to requal you must be a financial member of the club. You will not be requaling if you have not paid your membership fees.

We start patrolling on the 12th Nov. Could please take careful note of when you are rostered on. If you are unable to attend a patrol you **MUST** arrange a replacement or swap **AND** let your Patrol Captain know.

The Club's expectation of patrol members are as follows:

- At the start of the season, make sure you have your Patrol Captains mobile number and email address. Make sure they have yours as well. This will make communication much easier for everyone.
- Arrive at least 15 – 30 mins prior to the start of the patrol to set up.
- Make sure that you are in correct patrol uniform, including caps.
- You must practice the basic principles of prevention, recognition, rescue and recovery. You can't do this watching television or sleeping!
- You must not leave the area unless authorised to do so by the patrol captain or you are relieved by another member.
- Duties will be allocated at the start of the patrol when you will be briefed by the Patrol captains.
- At the end of the day all patrol members will be required to sweep floors, ensure that toilets/change rooms are cleaned and the kitchen is tidied.
- Make sure you sign on and sign off.

Cheers

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