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2011/2012 Peters Boat Series

Audience: Club Secretaries, Club Presidents, Team Managers, Surf Sports Coordinators

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Summary	2011/2012 Peters Boat Series
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Central Coast, Hunter and Lower North Coast clubs are invited to compete in the 2011/2012 Nestle/Peters Surf Boat Survival Series.

Rules and Entry requirements with the Peter Boat Series have now been released and sent to all clubs and relevant Branches.

Please note that entries close on Wednesday 12th October 2011 at 5.00pm.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact the Central Coast Branch office.

Kind Regards

David Unger

SLSCC Director of Surf Sports



Nestle/Peters 2011 – 2012



Surf Boat Survival Series

Central Coast, Hunter and Lower North Coast Clubs are invited to enter the 2011-2012 Nestle/Peters Surf Boat Survival Series under the rules for the series as set out on the attached information sheet.

Round:

1	Sunday	October 16 2011	Ocean Beach
2	Sunday	October 30 2011	Stockton
3	Sunday	November 13 2011	Soldiers Beach
4	Sunday	December 4 2011	Terrigal
5	Sunday	December 18 2011	Caves
6	Sunday	January 15 2012	Swansea Belmont
7	Sunday	February 19 2012	Umina

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Wednesday 12th October 2011**

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Nestle/Peters Surf Boat Survival Series 2011-2012

Series Rules

Central Coast, Hunter and Lower North Coast clubs are invited to compete in the 2011-2012 Nestle/Peters Surf Boat Survival Series.

Set out below are the rules and conditions of entry to the series and entries from clubs will only be accepted with crews agreeing to compete under these rules.

Competition Rules:

1. On each day of the competition:
 - 1.1.1. One representative only from each club to provide the Recorders with a written list of all crews competing on the day. All clubs please adhere to this request and advise all club sweeps.
 - 1.1.2. This list **MUST** be delivered to the Recorders between 7.00AM and 7.30 AM. Any entries received after 7.30AM **WILL MISS THE FIRST ROUND OF COMPETITION ON THAT DAY.**
 - 1.1.3. The gun will be fired at 8.00AM sharp to start the first event of the competition. If boats have been marshalled in a timely manner, then it remains the responsibility of the club to be in position and ready to start.

2. **A Sweep/Team Managers** meeting will take place with the Referee at each round at **7.45 am**

3.
 - 3.1. All rounds run with 3 heats with the top six to go to the final.
 - 3.2. If less than 7 crews in a division, consideration to running a 4 x boat final.
 - 3.3. Combined Trial, Masters Male/Female. Dependant on Entries if the race will run. Minimum of 3 crews. 1 race only.
 - 3.4. In order to strengthen competition for the Open Men's and U23 Men's competition for the coming season, it was agreed to trial the following:
 - 3.5. Run 3 rounds of both Open Men and U23 Men. Select the top 3 crews in both divisions, plus the winner of the reserve division, giving a final of 7 crews.

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4. **Note:** On entry forms, competitors names must be grouped into crews with the division entered for clearly marked. If a club has more than one crew in a division, each crew must be identified with a name eg. Gold, Rats etc. and that **crew must keep that name for the whole series**. This will eliminate confusion in point's allocation.
5. The age limit for Men's Masters is set at a minimum 160years division (no 120years crews). Women's are as per State (120 yrs plus)
6. If a club wishes to enter more than one Reserve Crew at each round, there must be a competing A Crew from that Club.
7. Double Dipping: will be allowed. Any crew that withdraws from one of the events on the day of the carnival will forfeit all points for that day.
8. Team members will be supplied with a Lycra singlet. They are to be worn during all competition. Failure to do so will result in non-start.
9. All other regulations as set out in the Surf Life Saving Australia competition manual will apply.
10. Categories will comprise Under 19, Under 23, Under 23 Ladies, Open Women's, Open Men, Reserves, Masters Women's, Masters Men's and Mixed Masters (Male/Female).
11. Only Surf Life Saving – Central Coast, Newcastle and Lower North Coast clubs will be eligible to contest the series.
12. Racing order on day will be; Open Men's, Open Women's, U19 Men's, Reserves, U23 Women's, U23 Men's, Masters Women's, Masters Men's, Mixed Masters (Male/Female).
13. Officials Quota: Each club with 3 or more competing crews **MUST** supply a minimum of one Level 1 accredited official. The Referee/Chief Judge will allocate positions on the day.
14. **Sweeps Accreditation: ALL sweeps must have their SLSA Sweeps accreditation number AND SLSA Coaching Certificate. These numbers must be entered on entry form. No sweep will be able to compete without BOTH these certificates. (Proof of coaching course attended pre season must be provided).**
15. Any rowers, in excess of the 4 crew members, must be fully entered on the entry form and listed as "reserve". These will be at a cost of \$25 each rower.

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Note: The elected boat panel or their proxies will address any problems on the day and report back to the referee for direction.

Administration

Entry Fees \$165 per crew for the series. A late entry fee of \$55 per club will be charged if received after the closing date.

Entries Faxed, emailed or posted on the Surf Lifesaving carnival entry form, to Surf Life Saving Central Coast, PO Box 5029, Chittaway Bay NSW 2261.

Entries close on Wednesday 12th October 2011 and a late entry fee of \$55 per club in addition to the entry fee will be charged for entries not received by that date.

Sponsorship As the series is sponsored by Peters all **crews** will be required to wear sponsor singlets each race.

Crews competing undertake to do so with no signage on equipment or crew attire that could in any way conflict with the interests of the series sponsor – Nestle/Peters. The interpretation of the series race director will be final in this regard.

Crews are required to display Sponsors stickers on boats if supplied.

Prizes Prizes will be allocated to 1st, 2nd and 3rd placing's:

- Clothing etc. to be presented after the final round
- A lucky draw for all competing clubs. (Sweep Croker Oars)

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