



Currumbin Beach Vikings Surf Life Saving Club Inc. Nippers Team Selection Policy

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Background:

This policy has been written and revised in conjunction with Currumbin SLSC's Team Selection Policy Statement.

Purpose:

To ensure the process for selection in Nipper Teams is clear and transparent for members

Scope;

The Selection panel and coaching committee consists of:

Lead Coach, Lead Nipper Coach, Assistant Nipper Coach, Nipper Beach Coach, Assistant Senior Coach, Surf Sports Team Manager

Team Selections and Considerations for U11 – U14 age groups

1. Reference to be given to carnival calendars nominated by the Lead Coach at the season commencement, and Club Championship Point Score days.
2. Training frequency to be considered but not an overriding factor.
3. Consideration is to be given to all eligible club members.
4. The 'A' teams are always the fastest team and consistently evolving. Meaning once the initial teams are selected; it does not mean they stay that way for the whole season.
5. Under 10's will be considered for Branch and State Championship teams at the discretion of the coaches in the under 11's.
6. Coaches will select teams then submit to the coaching committee and accredited age group leaders for final analysis and approval. Athletes and parents with any issues on team selection are to direct their concerns to the coaching committee.
7. Understanding that teams have been selected by a coaching committee of six (6) people.
8. Publication of team selections to be circulated within an agreed timeframe to allow healthy parent/athlete discussion prior to carnival attendance.
9. Teams once selected are final for that specific carnival.
10. If Under 11 - Under 14 Point Danger Branch Championships are cancelled the club will run a selection event to assist team selection for State Championships.
11. The coaching committee has the right to adjust and amend team selections as they deem appropriate.