2025/26 Board Hire Agreement

TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF HIRE

Hire boards will be allocated to the U9 – U14 age groups by the surf club. preference will be given to those Nippers that attend regular training sessions and compete at carnivals.

Water safety boards

Water safety boards are loaned out to coaches and water safety who attend all training sessions. These boards are issued at no cost and must be returned at the end of each season.

Conditions for nippers who hire a board are:

- Attend at least 1 board training session per week in nipper season.
- Compete at 3 carnivals during the season
- Compete at Branch carnival.
- Training & Competition Levy is payable for each board hire.
- Bring the board to all training sessions and nipper sessions
- You must attend Sunday Nippers with board.

Conditions for parents are:

- To provide water safety or officiate at a minimum of 3 carnivals during the season (in 2025/26 if you do not have your bronze medallion by end Dec 2024, you will need to complete an official's course) Lead age managers are exempt from this.
- Educate nipper on the board care (see below)

Board care expectations of the nipper and parent are:

- Hired Boards are to be stored and transported inside a suitable board cover if provided.
- The hired board is to be maintained in good condition. It is to be washed after every use with fresh water, including the handles.
- Hire boards should be carried and not dragged on the beach. Boards should not be thrown onto the sand. Boards should not be placed fin down on hard surfaces
- Hire boards should not be left lying in the sun for extended periods of time (to avoid bubbling of the board)
- The club must be notified of any damage to the board.
- Damaged hire boards must be repaired immediately using a club approved repairer.
- The hirer is responsible for all repairs.

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- Cam lock style roof straps are to be used for strapping board to roof no ratchet straps. These will crush the edges of the board.

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  - 8 March 2025
  - 15 March 2025

- We may re-allocate boards mid-season (eg. around November, as nipper commitment, size and ability changes during the season!)
- If the board is not returned at the end of the season there will be an additional fee of $50 and there will be no board allocation in the following season.
- Renewal of membership will not be renewed if board is not returned or if fees remain outstanding.

Boards will be recalled from the nipper and re-distributed to other nippers should the nipper not comply with the above conditions.

Season Pricing

Age Group	Board Type	Total Amount*
U9–U10	Foamie	$70
U11–U13	Nipper (Fibreglass)	$125
U14	Racing Mal	$145
Parent/Carer	Water Safety	$0

*Includes $15 Training & Competition Levy.