

Mandurah SLSC

Digital Communications Disclaimer

Mandurah SLSC is committed to maintaining a safe, respectful, and inclusive online environment. All club-related communication and content is managed in accordance with Surf Life Saving Australia policies and will always be consistent with the organisation's mission of saving lives, building better communities, and promoting the values of Surf Life Saving.

By participating in club activities, members, parents/guardians and volunteers acknowledge that photographs, video and digital recordings may be taken during training, patrols, competitions, education programs, fundraising activities and club events. These may be used across official communication channels including the club website, Slack Team App, email communications and approved social media platforms, as well as Surf Life Saving WA and Surf Life Saving Australia channels where appropriate.

The content shared by the club is intended to support participation, promote water safety, recognise member achievement, and represent the club in a manner consistent with Surf Life Saving values and policies.

Member Responsibilities

When sharing or engaging with club-related content, members should:

- Respect the privacy of others when sharing images or video. Where reasonably practicable, obtain consent before publishing identifiable images of another person. For children and young people, parents or guardians are encouraged to consider the privacy of all children before sharing images online.
- Avoid posting or sharing content that may be harmful, misleading, offensive or inappropriate
- Not share confidential or internal club communications
- Support a positive online environment consistent with MHSLSLSC values
- Behaviour on digital platforms is expected to meet the same standards of conduct required of members while participating in any Club or Surf Life Saving activity.

Reporting Concerns

Any concerns regarding online behaviour, inappropriate content, or misuse of images should be reported to:

- Club Member Protection Information Officers (MPIO)
- Club President or designated Committee Member
- Surf Life Saving WA Member Protection and complaint pathways, where appropriate.

RESOURCES

Mandurah Surf Life Saving Club is committed to ensuring all digital and social media activity reflects the values of Surf Life Saving and remains consistent with the following policies:

- Surf Life Saving WA **Member Protection Information Officer (MPIO) Framework**
- Surf Life Saving Australia **Policy 6.20 – Social Media** - <https://www.surflifesaving.com.au/members/policies/slsa-policy-6-20-social-media/>
- Surf Life Saving Australia **Policy 6.05 – Member Protection** - https://sls.com.au/wp-content/uploads/2021/09/6.05_MemberProtection.pdf
- Surf Life Saving Australia **Policy 6.04 – Child Safe** - <https://sls.com.au/wp-content/uploads/sites/13/2025/09/2025-Policy-6.04-Child-Safe.pdf>
- **Social Media Staying Connected Guide** - <https://lifesaving.com.au/app/uploads/Social-Media-Staying-Connected-Safely-Guide-to-Clubs.pdf>