

Ski for Life

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Information for New Teams

Welcome to the Ski for Life water skiing relay, March Event. If you are a New Team registering your interest in being a part of this incredible life changing event, here is the information you need to know.

To keep the Event manageable, accessible and most importantly, safe, the Event is capped at **400 people in total**. This will also enable the us to accommodate and cater appropriately. The total number of boats cannot exceed 40, including the chase boat.

New Team Registration Process

Frequently asked questions

My team has never been on the event, what do I have to do?

Expressions of interest for ANY team wanting to participate will open **15th August, 8 am until the 22nd August, 5 pm (Adelaide time)**. [Go to our website and complete the form.](#)

Does my whole team have to register an expression of interest?

No, just the team representative (may or may not be the captain of the team at a later stage)

What information do you want to know when I register my team's interest and why?

We want to capture as much information as possible, as early as possible.

At this stage, we just need to know what you are thinking.

We will be asking the following:

- Nominate the number of team members anticipated, including children
- Number of vehicles and trailers
- Camping arrangements (tents, swags, quick shades, camper trailers etc) – space is extremely limited at camp sites
- Acknowledgement that the vehicle and trailers cannot be parked in the sleeping area, unless specified by the committee
- Acknowledgement that the event is capped at 400 people, and this may affect the numbers eligible to attend in each team
- How many times has your team been on the waitlist to attend the event

What happens after I register my team's interest?

Once teams from previous years have completed their registration, a live ballot draw (on Facebook) will be held to draw the new teams for the remaining available positions. The date and time will be posted on our website.

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How will I know if my team gets a place in the event?

New teams will be contacted in order of the ballot draw until the event reaches its cap.

If we are selected, what's next?

Your team Captain or representative will be sent a link to our ticket page and asked to submit their official registration, between the **16th – 18th September** and make payment of their deposit.

What's the deposit for?

Every team will be required to pay a non-refundable deposit equal to four adult tickets. On registration, the deposit will go towards registration fees for the team. (Registration fees are made available by the end of August).

When do my team members register?

19th September – 31st October – previously unregistered team members register and need to pay their fee. It is important to note that team members cannot register until their captain has officially registered their team.

How do we register and join our team?

To register, your team representative (captain) will provide you with a link.

What is 'Sunday dinner' all about?

Sunday nights closing event includes dinner and is held at the Renmark Football club. It is open to the families of teams. Tickets are available to purchase for the Sunday night. Please note, participants registered for the entire event DO NOT need to purchase tickets for the Sunday night. Tickets will not be available after the 31st January or on the night.

What is a chuffed account?

A chuffed account is an account where you can deposit any monies you raise for Ski for Life. Each team receives their own specific account to manage their fundraising. Receipts are provided by Chuffed and we ask that teams use the chuffed accounts provided.

Is there a minimum amount my team is required to fundraise?

It is expected that each team raise over \$2,500.

Are there any rules to fundraising?

Shortly after you register your team, you will receive a promotion pack via email. It has all you need to know, including rules around team merchandise and other resources to assist you in your fundraising.

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Where can I go if I have more questions?

You can always email us at info@skiforlife.com.au and we will endeavour to answer your question as soon as possible or call 0488 849 414.

See below for important dates:

What are the important dates I need to remember?

1. 15th August – 22nd August – expressions of interest open
2. Date TBC in September previously unregistered teams
 - 2.1. Live Ballot – this will depend on how many participant places are left
 - 2.2. Successful teams notified
3. 16th-18th September – Team representative submits their official registration and pays their deposit
 - 3.1. Promotion packs sent once payment is made
4. 19th September – 31st October – previously unregistered team members register, provided captains have registered and paid the deposit
5. 1st October – chuffed accounts opened for all teams
6. 31st January – final payments for attending Sunday night Dinner only