



NIPPERS CALENDAR 2026/27

SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	NOTES
SUN SEPT 13TH SIGN-ON 9AM - 10AM	DAY 1A SUN OCT 11TH 9AM - 11AM POOL SWIMS BEACH ACTIVITIES	DAY 4 SUN NOV 1ST 9AM - 11AM SURF ED SKILLS DAY	DAY 9 SUN DEC 6TH SURF ED SKILLS DAY	DAY 11 SUN JAN 3RD SURF ED SKILLS DAY	TRIAL BAY TRI SUN FEB 7TH NO NIPPERS	SIGN-ON DAYS These are for new and returning Nippers. On these days, you can purchase your caps, pinkies and swimwear. The Nippers Crew will be set up downstairs at the Surf Club. Please bring your phone to access or set up your SLSC Members Portal account. QUEENSIE WEEKEND The annual Queensie Weekend is when Queenscliffe SLSC Nippers come to SWR for Nippers Camp sessions from Friday afternoon through to Sunday. This is open to all members from U9 and up. Speak to Renee for more details. PRELIMINARY PROFICIENCIES All Nippers, U6 and above, please complete a preliminary proficiency for your age group in a pool. COMPETITION PROFICIENCIES All Nippers, U9 and up need to complete a competition proficiency as an ocean swim MACLEAY NIPPERS Three times throughout the season, the three Macleay Clubs - SWR, Hat Head and Kempsey-Crescent Head come together at each other's beach to do Sunday morning Nippers. CARNVIALS Carnivals are available for all Nippers U8 and up who would like to come along and have some fun through competition. NIPPER DAYS Unless stated, all Nipper Days start at 9AM and run through to 11AM at the latest.
FRI SEPT 18TH SIGN-ON* 9AM - 10AM	DAY 1B THUR OCT 15TH 4PM - 5PM POOL SWIMS ONLY	DAY 5 SUN NOV 8TH NIPPERS U6 + U7 ONLY BRANCH CARNIVAL U8 AND ABOVE	DAY 10 SUN DEC 13TH SKILLS DAY CHRISTMAS PARTY	DAY 12 SUN JAN 10TH SURF ED SKILLS DAY	DAY 16 SUN 14TH FEB MACLEAY NIPPERS HAT HEAD SLSC	
FRI 18 TH TO SUN 19TH QUEENSIE WEEKEND U9S AND UP	DAY 2 SUN OCT 18TH 9AM - 11AM SURF ED OCEAN SWIMS	DAY 6 SUN NOV 15TH 9AM - 11AM SURF ED SKILLS DAY		DAY 13 SUN JAN 17TH NIPPERS U6 + U7 ONLY BRANCH CARNIVAL U8 AND ABOVE	DAY 17 SAT 20 TH - SUN 21 ST FEB SLSMNC BRANCH CHAMPS U8 AND ABOVE NO U6 + U7 TODAY	
	DAY 3 SUN OCT 25TH NIPPERS U6 + U7 ONLY BRANCH CARNIVAL U8 AND ABOVE	DAY 7 SUN NOV 22ND NIPPERS MACLEAY NIPPERS SWRSLSC		DAY 14 FRI 22ND - SUN 24TH JAN COUNTRY CHAMPIONSHIPS SWR	DAY 18 SUN FEB 28 TH FEB PRESENTATION	
		DAY 8 SUN NOV 29TH SURF ED SKILLS DAY		DAY 15 SUN JAN 31 ST SKILLS DAY		