



Saunton Sands SLSC

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Thank you for choosing to join in with Saunton Sands Surf Life Saving Club.

A Surf Life Saver is a person who demonstrates character and skill. They are fit, skilled, team oriented and adaptable. We commit time and energy to maintain a high level of skill through on-going training. Surf Life Saving Sport presents our members with a unique challenge. There is no other sport that is based on a humanitarian service - that of saving lives at the beach and in the sea. This is a cool sport but it is also a serious one!

Surf Life Saving Sport is organised at several different levels to suit the individual:

- 🌀 **Shark** - from 5 - 7
- 🌀 **Nipper** – from 7 -13
- 🌀 **Junior** - from 13 - 19
- 🌀 **Senior** - from 16 upwards
- 🌀 **Master** - from 30 upwards

From local Club events, to Regional and National Championships, there are many opportunities to get involved. At the highest level, we join forces with our colleagues in RLSS UK to select our best lifesavers to represent Great Britain at World and European Championships. In Europe, we are recognised as the number one nation in Surf Life Saving Sport. We also have a highly successful IRB (Inshore Rescue Boat) section who have competed in and won the European Championships 2015. New members (15+) are welcome to give this fast growing and high adrenalin sport a go, for further information visit www.sauntonirb.co.uk.

All surf life saving competition events are based on the skills required by lifesavers and lifeguards and the equipment used by them in carrying out their duty, but it provides one of the most, exciting, colourful and eco-friendly of all sporting activities that you could wish to see.

There are over 80 clubs in the UK, with members who compete worldwide. Saunton Sands SLSC is proud to have held the title of Super Club of the Year six times since 2002. Our members travel the country and the world every year for competitions and education. We are at a level to which other clubs aspire to be, our coaches are committed to bringing the best out in all members and are ready to take their knowledge to the community.

Training is carried out in two forms – in the pool from October to April and on the beach from April to September.

Winter Pool Training

The club has to hire lanes from North Devon Leisure Centre for the pool training sessions. In order to ensure the club is able to meet these costs you will be asked to pay an upfront fee for swimming sessions.

Section	Day 1	Day 2
Young Sharks	Wednesdays 6 – 7pm at Saunton Sands Hotel	
Nippers	Sunday 5 – 6 pm	Monday 7 – 8 pm
Youth	Tuesday 7 – 8 pm	Wednesday 8 – 9 pm (SWIM)
Masters	Tuesday 8 – 9 pm	Wednesday 8 – 9 pm (SWIM)

Beach sessions April – September we move down to Saunton Beach

- Shark/ Nippers** – Fridays from 6.30pm and Sundays from 10.30am
- Junior** – Tuesdays from 6.30pm and possibly some Wednesdays and Thursdays
- Senior** – Thursdays from 6.30pm and possibly some Tuesdays and Wednesdays
- Master** – Wednesdays from 6.30pm and possibly some Tuesdays and Thursdays

As part of our child protection policy parents must accompany Sharks on a one to one basis at all times. Parents of Nippers and under 16's must also stay throughout training sessions in case your child needs to leave the pool or sea. We encourage you to help out with coaching or much needed water / beach cover as we are unable to take children into the sea without adequate water / beach cover. In accordance with the rules of our governing body, Surf Life Saving GB, anyone who enters the sea during a training session whether as 1-1 support for their child or to help with water cover MUST be a member of the club – even if this is just a Social member – so that everyone is covered by SLSGB insurance.

We are a charity organisation run solely by volunteers who give up their time to organise some fun and challenging training sessions. We also offer the use of Lifesaving equipment which we are constantly looking for funds to update. One of the main ways we raise our funds is through membership fees and it is important that all users of the club training sessions and club equipment are fully paid up members. This is for insurance purposes as well as for generating income.

There is an Annual Fee which covers from 1 January – 31 December, (unfortunately no reduction or discount is given for joining partway through the year) the annual fees range from £32 - £71 and family discounts are available.

Non-members will be given the opportunity to train with us for three weeks as free taster sessions but will then be expected to pay full membership or will be unable to participate further for insurance reasons.

We look forward to welcoming you as a member to the Club.

Please note every Membership fee includes £25 for SLSGB and the remainder to Saunton Sands SLSC.

E.g. Nipper = £25 SLSGB + £36 Saunton = £61 total fee.

All Ages are as of 31 December 2017

Membership Type	Fee	Comments
Nipper/Shark (5 -13) (Shark 5 – 7 Nipper 7 -13) (Nipper/Junior@13)	£61	For insurance purposes Sharks cannot join until their 5 th birthday and can begin to compete as Nippers when they are in their 8 th birthday.
Junior (14 – 19)	£65	
Senior (20 - 29 years)	£71	
Master (30 + Years)	£71	
Social (18 +)	£32	Family Membership Discount does not include Social Members. We would very much hope that all adults using the clubhouse join at least as a social member.

How to join

Please complete the forms at the end of this document. The first form is specifically for new members and includes Next of Kin, contact details and the necessary consents that you need to give. You will then need to complete a Membership Renewal form which gives details of the fees payable for club membership and gives you the opportunity to pay by Standing Order.

This will need to be set up and forms returned to the Membership secretary by **Friday 13th January 2017**.

Saunton Sands Surf Life Saving Club Lloyds TSB Account

Acct no: 00944979 Sort Code: 30-90-49

IMPORTANT: Please use your SURNAME as a reference so we can trace your payment to you!

Alternatively please make cheques payable to “SSSLSC” for the full amount and post with completed form to the Membership Secretary: **Mrs Jenny Featherstone, 11 Taw Meadow Crescent, Fremington, Barnstaple, EX31 2QA**



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New Membership Application Form 2017 (1 member per form)

PERSONAL DETAILS				MEDICAL DETAILS			
Title:		Forename:		Do you have any specific Medical Conditions requiring medical Treatment or Medication			
Surname:				No		Yes	
Address:				If Yes Please Specify:			
				Do you have any Allergies			
				No		Yes	
Postcode				If Yes Please Specify:			
Home Tel:				Please provide details of Special Requirements, Treatment and / or Medication that you do not give permission to receive			
Mobile Tel:							
Email:							
D.O.B		Male		Female			
PARENT / GUARDIAN DETAILS (to be completed for members under 18)							
Title:		Forename:					
Surname:							
Address:							
				Postcode:			
Home Tel:							
Mobile Tel:							
Email:							
ADDITIONAL DETAILS							
How would you describe your Ethnic Origin?							
White		Asian		Afro-Caribbean			
African		Chinese		Other (Please specify)			
Would you consider yourself to be disabled		Yes		No			
MEMBERSHIP DETAILS (age as at 31 December 2017)							
Nipper (ages 5 - 13) £61 Fee		Junior (ages 14 - 19) £65 Fee		Home Tel:			
Senior (ages 20 - 29) £71 Fee		Master (Ages 30 +) £71 Fee		Mobile Tel:			
Social (18 Years+) We Would very much hope that all adults using £32 the clubhouse join at least as Social Members				Email:			
Reason for Membership:				I confirm that I understand the details of the activity and consent to me / my child taking part in the activities indicated. I acknowledge that the club will be liable in the event of any accident if they have failed to take reasonable steps in their duty of care for me / my child.			
For Insurance Purposes Nippers / Sharks cannot join until their 5 th Birthday				For Parents of under 18 years - I understand that the club has a common law duty to act in the capacity of a reasonably prudent parent and therefore may prevent my child from participating in activities of which they are not considered capable.			
I agree to abide by the rules of my Club and of SLSGB, including the code of conduct and child welfare policies & procedures. (Documents are available to view at www.sls.gb.org.uk or upon request)				I hereby give permission for the club to give the immediate necessary authority on my behalf for any medical or surgical treatment recommended by competent medical authorities, where it would be contrary to my / my child's interest, in the doctor's medical opinion, for any delay to be incurred by seeking my personal consent			
SLSGB Holds the enclosed information in accordance with the data protection Act 1998 and where appropriate may share this information with the RNLI under the terms of the Strategic Partnership				I hereby give permission for SLSGB representatives eg team manager to photograph / video me / my child during their involvement in the activities. I understand these maybe used for publication			
Please tick the box if you are happy for this information to be shared with the RNLI				Consent Signature: (by Parent if under 18)		Dated:	
Please tick the box if you are happy for this information to be shared with our training partners							
As a member of Surf Life Saving GB I look forward to receiving news about the events available to me via post, email, telephone & text				REMITTANCE DETAILS Delete as appropriate			
Total Fee Paid		£		By BACS		CHQ/Cash	
Gift Aid enables us to boost the value, and won't cost you a penny. If you tick the Box we can claim 25p of every £1.							
<p>PLEASE NOTE: We operate a Text Messaging Service that helps to keep you informed of any events, short notice training sessions, schedule changes or general club info. To opt out of this service please tick the box. <input type="checkbox"/> To sign up please text your name & what sections you need to hear about (Nippers, Juniors, Seniors, Masters or IRB) to 07702 575350.</p> <p>(Please note this is an ordinary O2 mobile operated by the Club there are no premium rates or profit and purely a service we offer for the benefit of all members)</p>							

NEW MEMBERS Membership Form 2017

Name	D.O.B	Membership Type	Fee (£)	Family Discount*	Fee Less Discount	SLSCGB Gift Aid (Tick)	Saunton Gift Aid (Tick)
				-£5			
				-£6			
				-£7			
				-£8			
Total Full Membership Fee (Less Discount)			£				
		Social Member					
		Social Member					
		Social Member					
Total Fee			£			Paid by CHQ/BACS**	

* deduct the discount on each line completed.

** Delete as appropriate

If paying by 3 instalments please detail amounts below. Minimum £25 for each member for January.
Installment option only available if joining in January

Jan :	Feb:	Mar:
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Fees as set out below:

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Master (30 + Years)	£71	Name phone/email
Social (18 +)	£32	Name phone/email

Gift Aid enables us to boost the value of membership fees and won't cost you a penny. If you tick the Gift Aid Box we can claim 25p of every £1.

How to pay:

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Payment can be made in full by BACS or in 3 installments by STANDING ORDER or in full by cheque.
The first standing order payment in January will need to be for a minimum of **£25 FOR EACH MEMBER** you renew to cover the immediate cost of membership of SLSGB. You can then split the balance of the fee over the remaining 2 months. (FEB, MAR)

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Finally please read the following and sign below in agreement:

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3. I hereby give permission for the club to give the immediate necessary authority on my behalf for any medical or surgical treatment recommended by competent medical authorities, where it would be contrary to my / my child's interest, in the doctor's medical opinion, for any delay to be incurred by seeking my personal consent.
4. I hereby give permission for SLSGB representatives eg. Team manager to photograph / video me / my child during their involvement in the activities. I understand these maybe used for publication.

Print Name: _____

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Telephone: _____ Email: _____

Next of Kin: _____ Contact No: _____

PLEASE NOTE: We operate a Text Messaging Service that helps to keep you informed of any events, short notice training sessions, schedule changes or general club info.

To sign up please text your name and what sections you need to hear about (i.e. Nippers, Juniors, Seniors, Masters, IRB) to

07702 575350