



It's Show Time!



Kicking Back

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MISSION, VISION AND STRATEGY



Royal Life Saving is dedicated to turning everyday people into everyday community lifesavers.

We achieve this through education, training, health promotion, risk management, research, sport and advocacy.

Mission: To prevent loss of life and injury in the community with an emphasis on the aquatic environment.

Vision: To build a healthy, strong and safe aquatic community through access to water safety education and training.

Strategy: Our People, Our Lifestyle, our Water

Be Safe : In, on and around water from the RLSSANT Management Committee

AGM 1st September 2023



Royal Life Saving Society (Australia) NT Branch Inc Notice of Annual General Meeting Friday 1st September 2023

Venue: 77 Ross Smith Avenue Parap, 6-7pm

Agenda, Previous Minutes, Board Nominations and Audited Financial Statements are available from the Public Officer, email froberts@rlssa.org.au

Current financial members will be emailed the AGM documents. A zoom meeting will be available for members who cannot make it in person.

A Member-Q will precede the AGM from 5-6pm with nibbles and drinks.

Please respond by 31st August 2023

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Now!



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2023/2024

MEMBERSHIP

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with an emphasis on the aquatic environment.

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through access to water safety education and training.



Benefits include:

- Limited edition gift pack
- 5% discount on courses
- Monthly Newsletter
- Invitations to functions

Swim Teacher Workshop

Our wonderful swim teachers came together on July 12th for a professional development workshop, in preparation for a new term and sharing knowledge. Thanks to guest speaker, Randall Cook for donating his time and sharing his insightfulness.



Swim
and
SURVIVE





Call (08) 8931 1000

Goldfishbowl Swim School

"Where the Water is Warm and the Teachers are Cool"

The Only Fully Covered, Temperature Controlled Pool in Palmerston



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The Goldfishbowl Swim School held an open day on the 14th of July with free swim assessments, a sausage sizzle and a special visit from Boof the Barra. Thanks to everyone who joined us for swimming, singing and fun!



Alice Springs Show

Boof the Barra and the Team had a great time at the Alice Springs Show on July 7th and 8th chatting and promoting swimming and water safety to the community. Thanks to everyone who stopped by.



SUPs at Tingkkarli

The Team visited Lake Mary Anne/ Tingkkarli on July 13 with our standup paddle boards. Barkly Regional Council Mayor Jeff McLaughlin and Minister Kate Worden MLA joined in the fun and talked with the Team and community members about the importance of water safety in our inland waterways.

Well done to all participants especially those who tried stand up paddle boarding for the first time. This program/activity has been delivered by Royal Life Saving NT, with the support of the Royal Life Saving Society – Australia Inland Communities Water Safety Program and the Australian Government.



Tennant Creek Show



On July 14th the Team attended the Tennant Creek Show. Thank you to the volunteers who made the show happen and all the wonderful people who visited our stall. We loved catching up with you.



Thank you to Steve Edgington MLA, Eva Lawler MLA, Lauren Moss MLA and Chief Minister Natasha Fyles for stopping by and supporting our water safety messages.



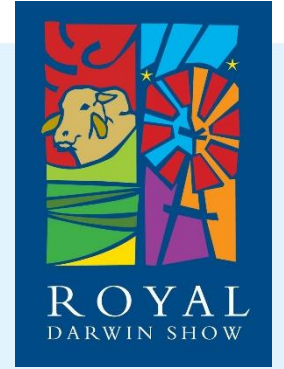
Katherine Show



The Water Safety prize wheel proved to be very popular when the Team visited the Katherine Show on July 21st and 22nd. It was a fun weekend of chatting all things water safety with Katherine families and interstate visitors too! Thanks to Selena Uiibo MLA, Kate Worden MLA, Eva Lawler MLA and Lia Finocchiaro MLA for supporting our water safety messages in Katherine.



Royal Darwin Show



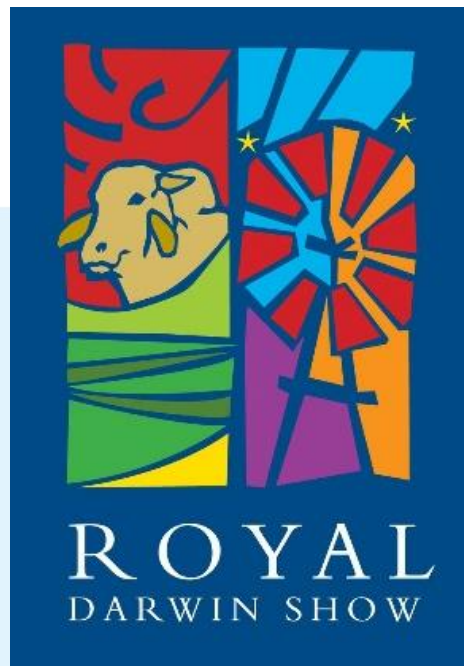
The Darwin Show was held from 27th – 29th July and what a wonderful time the Team had sharing our water safety messages with members of the community. The Kid's Corner was very popular with the younger members of the community.

Many thanks to our volunteers who helped to make our stall colourful, fun and engaging. Congratulations to Kimberly who was the winner of our Water Safety Survey lucky draw.

Congratulations to us for taking out second place in the Community Stallholder Award!



Royal Darwin Show



Families and fun at the Darwin Show!



World Drowning Prevention Day 25 July 2023

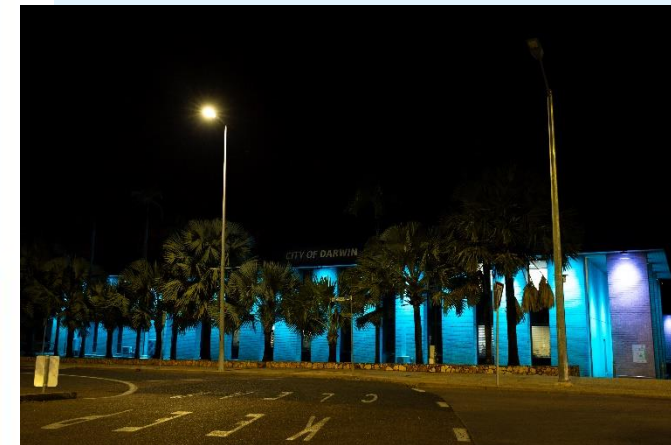
World Drowning Prevention Day was celebrated on 25th July.

The day was an important reminder that anyone can drown but no one should!

Think how you and your family and friends can be safer in, on and around the water.

Special acknowledgement goes to the following for turning their buildings blue in recognition of this day:

Darwin Convention Centre, City of Darwin Civic Centre, the fountain on Speakers Green at Parliament House, City of Palmerston Water Tower, Palmerston Recreation Centre, Library and Frances Light Pole.



Seniors Month



It's Seniors Month!

Come along and join our favourite Seniors as they participate in FREE aquatic activities at Parap Pool every Thursday through the month of August from 10am. We have the Grey Medallion and the WETS Programs on offer.

For bookings, please call 8981 5036 or email projectsnt@rlssa.org.au

This program is supported by the Northern Territory Government and COTA.





WATER SAFETY

AWARENESS PROGRAM



EMERGENCY CARE SESSIONS 2023

Bookings are essential

PARAP

Royal Life Saving NT

77 Ross Smith Ave, Parap (Blue building)

Saturday 19th August 9-10am

Monday 21st August 9-10am

Monday 21st August 5-6pm

Saturday 26th August 9-10am

Tuesday 12th September 9-10am

Tuesday 12th September 5-6pm

Saturday 16th September 9-10am

PALMERSTON

**Palmerston Child & Family Centre 2 Brennan
Court, Farrar**

Wednesday 30th August 4.30-5.30pm

Thursday 31st August 9-10am

Wednesday 13th September 4.30-5.30pm

Thursday 14th September 9-10am

ALICE SPRINGS

Birth & Beyond Parent Resource Centre 10/89 Fan Arcade Alice Spring

Friday 4th August 10-11am

Friday 18th August 10-11am

Tuesday 26th September 10-11am

Friday 29th September 10-11am

Are you in another location?

Email us at wsap@rlssa.org.au to help us assist you with your enquiry

Don't forget to apply for your Learn to Swim or Sports Vouchers now!
Semester 2, July – December 2023 is now open.
Please visit <https://grantsnt.nt.gov.au/welcome> to apply today



Take the Plunge!



Terms and conditions apply.

Limited places – enquire early to avoid missing out.

Contact Royal Life Saving NT's Training Manager today to check your eligibility.

Email: trainingmanagernt@rlssa.org.au

Take the Plunge – Teach a Skill for life program is about creating employment pathways in the aquatic industry across the Northern Territory. Using Vocational Education and Training, the program focuses on identified skills shortages in Swim Teachers and Pool Lifeguards.

Through the Northern Territory Governments Pre-employment program, eligible participants may have the cost of their Pool Lifeguard and Swim Teacher training fully funded.

The program is running at the following locations:

- **Darwin** | August & October
- **Nhulunbuy** | October & November
- **Tennant Creek** | October & November

Training Calendar Darwin

Bronze Medallion 8.30am-4.30pm

12th August
9th September
6th October
14th October
18th November
9th December

Bronze Medallion Update 8.30am-12.30pm

12th August
9th September
6th October
14th October
18th November
9th December

Resuscitation Courses 2-4pm

14th September
12th October
9th November
7th December

Pool Lifeguard 8.30-4.30pm

7th & 8th October

Pool Lifeguard Update 8.30am-4.30pm

7th October

Bookings

Royal Life Saving NT
ABN 57 939 760 839 - RTO 0859
GPO Box 1229, Darwin NT 0801



Phone: 08 8981 5036 Website: nt.training.royallifesaving.com.au

First Aid Online + Practical Assessments *Online learning + 4-hour practical Assessment* 2-6pm

14th September
12th October
9th November
7th December

First Aid Child Care & Education *Online learning + 5-hour practical Assessment* 2-7pm

14th September
12th October
9th November
7th December

Face to Face First Aid
Workplace training can be requested



Training Calendar Regional

Resuscitation

Katherine: 7th September 12.30-2.30pm
Alice Springs: 21st September 8.30-10.30am
Tennant Creek: 25th October 2.30-4.30pm
Batchelor: 11th November 8.30-11.30am
Alice Springs: 14th December 12-2pm

Pool Lifeguard 8.30am-4.30pm

Katherine: 9th & 10th September
Alice Springs: 23rd & 24th September
Tennant Creek: 26th & 27th October

Pool Lifeguard Update 8.30am-4.30pm

Katherine: 10th September
Alice Springs: 5th October
Tennant Creek: 27th October

Bronze Medallion 8.30am-4.30pm

Katherine: 8th September
Alice Springs: 22nd September
Tennant Creek: 25th October
Batchelor: 11th November

Bronze Medallion Update

Katherine: 8th September 8.30am-12.30pm
Alice Springs: 21st September 2.30-6pm
Tennant Creek: 25th October 1-4pm
Batchelor: 11th November 8.30am-12.30pm

First Aid Online + Practical Assessments *Online learning + 4-hour practical Assessment*

Katherine: 7th September 3-6pm
Alice Springs: 21st September 8.30am-1.30pm
Tennant Creek: 25th October 2.30-5.30pm
Alice Springs: 14th December 12-5pm

First Aid Child Care & Education *Online learning + 5-hour practical Assessment*

Alice Springs: 21st September 8.30am-1.30pm
Alice Springs: 14th December 12-5pm

Face to Face First Aid *Workplace training can be requested*

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AUSTSWIM Courses

**Teacher of Swimming
and Water Safety**
8.30am-4.30pm

Darwin
19th & 20th August
11th & 12th November

Alice Springs
9th & 10th September

Tennant Creek
23rd October 12-5pm
24th October 8.30am-5.30pm

**Teacher of Infant
and Preschool Aquatics**
8.30am-4.30pm

Darwin
3rd October

Alice Springs
10th October

Tennant Creek
7th November

**Teacher of Access
and Inclusion**
8.30am-4.30pm

Darwin
6th October

Alice Springs
15th September

Tennant Creek
8th November



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We can offer you

A workplace which makes people's lives better by teaching swimming and water safety skills
Generous remuneration
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Flexibility

What can you offer us?

We want to hear from you if you are a can do allrounder who wants to be a part of our awesome Team and has a willingness to learn new things

If you would like to learn about the incredible opportunities we have on offer please contact us today by emailing nt@rlssa.org.au or calling Jill on 0418 857 076.

We can't wait to hear from you!



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