# Anglesea Surf Life Saving Club – COVIDSafe Planning 2021/2022

#### Q How is ASLSC preparing to be COVIDSafe? (Updated 9/9/21)

Throughout the year ASLSC COVIDSafe Coordinators have been monitoring and responding to the changing restriction levels. The Board has a standing item in relation to COVIDSafe item an updates are provided each month and or as required. The COVIDSafe Coordinators have also been participating in fortnightly briefings with Life Saving Victoria to ensure that the Club is aware of and adopting the most relevant life saving specific information.

#### Q How is the Club making decisions about COVID matters? (Updated 9/9/21)

The most up to date information regarding what can and can't be done in terms of surf life saving can be accessed via the <u>LSV</u> Activity Guide.

#### Q What is the position regarding lifesaving and vaccinations? (Updated 9/9/21)

ASLSC is taking direction from LSV in relation to this matter and as such we strongly encourage all our members and employees who can get vaccinated against COVID-19 to do so for the benefit of each other and the wider community.

### Q Is it possible to access the Worker Permit Scheme to undertake lifesaving purpose? (Updated 9/9/21)

Under the Victorian Government Worker Permit Scheme, LSV is a named entity as an emergency service that can issue a Worker Permits. These can be accessed for the following reasons;

- Responding to emergency call-outs
- Undertaking critical facility or equipment maintenance for the club
- Undertaking critical lifesaving operations training
- Transporting a dependent (from the same household) for critical lifesaving operations training

Members can access more information Permits and find links to apply for them by **CLICKING HERE** 

## Q What will season 2021/2022 look like? (Updated 9/9/21)

We are hoping to offer a full range of activities in all areas of the Club. The patrol season will run from 27<sup>th</sup> November – 25<sup>th</sup> April and we are intending to offer nippers and training opportunities (Bronze / SRC / Advanced Awards) following COVIDSafe guidelines. LSV has published dates for Carnivals and we plan to run Club activities such as the Rock to Ramp swim and the Doorknock during summer. As dates and details are confirmed they will be added to the Club Calendar on the homepage of the website and also shared via social media. Of course, everything is subject to change depending upon the changing restriction levels.

#### Q How is the Club supporting members? (Updated 9/9/21)

The Board has kept membership fees at 2019 levels in recognition of the current situation. Moreover, the Club has reaffirmed its Hardship policy and will look to support members who may be experiencing difficulty with paying membership fees this season. We are also look to implement a series of wellbeing initiatives over summer to support member physical, social and emotional health. Keep an eye on social media for details.