



Title:	We are Hiring! Casual Lifeguards Across the State
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Surf Life Saving Queensland is seeking expressions of interest from highly motivated individuals with a strong background in lifesaving services to fulfil Casual Lifeguard positions over the upcoming peak period. Turn your passion into pay! Positions available in:

- North Queensland (Port Douglas – Mission Beach)
- Townsville
- Mackay (Eimeo – Sarina)
- Wide-Bay Capricorn (WBC) (Yeppoon – Hervey Bay)
- Sunshine Coast (SSC) (Rainbow Beach, Noosa – Caloundra)
- South East Queensland (SEQ) (South Bank, Brisbane Islands)

To be successful in this role, ideally you will have:

- A high level of lifesaving knowledge and experience
- Excellent customer service and public relations skills

Role Requirements (Lifeguards)

- 800m pool swim in 14 minutes (WBC, SEQ and SSC) or 400m 7 minutes and 30 seconds and swim through a further 600m at no time limit (TVL, MKY, NQLD) or 400m pool swim in under 8 minutes (Lagoon Only) (Minimum pool length is 25m)
- Ocean Mission (for ocean lifeguards only)
- Bronze Medallion (Certificate II Public Safety – Aquatic Rescue) or industry equivalent (Pool Lifeguard Certificate accepted for Lagoon Locations)
- First Aid Certificate
- Advanced Resuscitation Techniques Certificate
- A current Working with Children Blue Card or ability to obtain one quickly
- A current Queensland Driver's License
- Be at least 18 years of age (17 years of age for Lagoon locations, WBC and Mackay region)
- Recreational Marine License and Personal Watercraft License – Highly regarded
- Successful applicants will be invited to attend a mandatory fitness test and if successful proceed to do relevant training and inductions.



Training in the required qualifications will be offered to suitable applicants, with some parts of the training paid.

Please submit applications along with resumes for the above positions through the following link by **Sunday 1st November 2026**

Lifeguards, please click the link below to apply

[Lifeguard Application Form](#)

When you apply, the local supervisor will send the regions recruitment details.

Kind Regards,

CALAN LOVITT

Head of Lifeguard Operations