



SLSGB 2019 CONFERENCE PROGRAMME

16TH – 17TH MARCH 2019

Livermead Cliff Hotel, Torquay, TQ2 6RQ

SATURDAY 16TH MARCH

08:30 -
09:15 **DELEGATE REGISTRATION**

09:20 -
09:40 **Introduction and Welcome - Pete Lawrence, Chairman**
Overview of the programme - Nigel Bowden

09:40 -
10:00 **Key Note Speaker - James Instance**
Maritime Operations Controller at Falmouth Coastguard

James is probably one of the most experienced front-line operational Coastguard Managers with insight into both incident causes and appropriate rescue responses and outcomes. When on duty he is responsible for oversight of the UK Search and Rescue area and tactical management of all incidents in that area, search and rescue, counter pollution, maritime security and for vessel monitoring.

James has been in HM Coastguard since 1996, starting at Falmouth, moving to Great Yarmouth, Swansea and then back to Falmouth, he has managed that station since 2009.

His history with Surf Life Saving started before he was born, his parents met as teenagers at Portreath SLSC, in a long association with Surf Lifesaving he has been a member of Porthtowan, Portreath and is now a member of St Agnes SLSC, he competed for all those clubs, as well as Cornwall and England and is still rowing in the surf boat crew.

In addition he has worked as a lifeguard initially as a club patrol member, a council employee as an RNLI lifeguard and is still registered as an RNLI volunteer.

James has worked with Surf lifesaving and the RNLI since the inception of the reintroduction of beach patrols and is fully supportive of the aims and objectives of this project.

10:00 -
10:40 **PLENARY SESSION ONE**
Update on the New Lifesaving Manual and New Guidance for First Responders
Adrian Mayhew

An Overview of the New Surf Life Saving Community Coastal Surveillance – Beach Guardian “Pilot Programme”

“If we can mobilise just half of SLSGB Clubs to undertake meaningful voluntary surveillance activity that is accessible to community volunteers, easy to train and attractive to engage in, it could be the single biggest National Lifesaving and prevention of drowning intervention.”

Nigel Bowden

10:40 -
11:00 **TEA AND COFFEE BREAK**

11:05 -
12:50 **PLENARY SESSION TWO**

The Beach Guardian Programme - Why a “Pilot” and overview about the need and process to manage the Beach Guardian Volunteers
Adrian Mayhew

Why is good surveillance the single biggest intervention to prevent drowning and how should we train this?
Prof Mike Tipton

Safeguarding Update Jan Reid

12:50 -
13:55 **LUNCH**

14:00 - 14:40	<p align="center">STREAM 1 Trainer Assessors</p> <p align="center">Compulsory TA Workshop relating to improved Quality Assurance and changes to Awards</p> <p align="center">The importance of TA CPD records and CPR testing</p> <p align="center">Our plan to support clubs by introducing Club Safety Audits</p> <p align="center">Assessment & Verifying Update</p> <p align="center">Nigel Bowden</p>		<p align="center">STREAM 2 Level 1 & Level 2 Coaches</p> <p align="center">Coaching Workshop</p> <p align="center">Beach Grading</p> <p>An introduction to SLSGB's Beach Grading system which has been designed to make it simpler for coaches, athletes and competition officials to decide who has the required skill competency to enter ocean events in challenging conditions</p> <p align="center">Rob Phillips</p>
14:40 - 15:40	<p align="center">STREAM 1A</p> <p align="center">Water Safety Manager Workshop</p> <p>An insight into dealing with protracted incidents involving multiple agency interoperability</p> <p>National guidance - JESIP Protocols</p> <p>Joint decision-making model (JDM)</p> <p align="center">Chief Superintendent Glen Mayhew, Operations Dept. Devon & Cornwall Police, SLSGB Trustee</p> <p align="center">Rescue Boat Code essentials</p> <p>what you need to know about the Rescue boat Code issued by MCA if your club operates an IRB or if you are part of a Level 5 Patrol</p> <p align="center">David Lane</p>	<p align="center">STREAM 1B</p> <p align="center">Lifesaver Awards & Patrolling update</p> <p align="center"><i>"A look to the future"</i></p> <p align="center">Lifesaver Pathway</p> <p align="center">Nigel Bowden</p> <p align="center">Changes to the Surf Coach Safety and Rescue Award</p> <p align="center">David Tidball</p> <p align="center">Patrol Framework</p> <p align="center">Nudge Cards & First Responder Update</p> <p align="center">Alex Bowden</p>	<p align="center">14:00 - 15:40</p> <p align="center">Competitor Skill Development</p> <p>An outline of the different athlete competency requirements for ocean competition entry at graded beaches</p> <p align="center">Rob Phillips</p> <p align="center">Skill competency-The Coaches responsibilities</p> <p>An introduction into how club coaches can ensure that their athletes are suitably trained and assessed as competent for each level of beach grading</p> <p align="center">Mark Turner</p> <p align="center">Coach Guidance for discipline specific training</p> <p>A practical workshop for sports coaches that aims to dissect the skills and techniques required to perform an SLSGB discipline and to set targets based on challenges rather than prescriptive coaching points</p> <p align="center">Mark Turner</p>
<p align="center">15:40 - 15:55 TEA AND COFFEE BREAK</p>			
16:00 - 16:45	<p align="center">PLENARY SESSION THREE</p> <p align="center">Improved Insurance Cover and CIO Status for Clubs</p> <p align="center">Tim Coventry</p> <p align="center">Human Factors at Incidents</p> <p align="center">Dr Paddy Morgan</p> <p align="center">AALA and the impact of inadequate Event Water Safety Management</p> <p align="center">David Tidball</p>		
16:45 - 17:00	<p align="center">Closing Comments and Q&A</p> <p align="center">Pete Lawrence & The Presenter Panel</p>		
19:00 - until late	<p align="center">A COMPLIMENTARY BUFFET</p> <p align="center">FOLLOWED BY THE HEROES OF THE SURF AWARDS CEREMONY</p>		

SUNDAY 17TH MARCH

09:00 - 10:30	<p align="center">Meet the Team...</p> <p>The SLSGB team will be available for 1-2-1 sessions for any questions you may have on topics such as</p> <p align="center">The Beach Guardian Programme</p> <p align="center">Patrolling</p> <p align="center">SLSGB Insurance</p> <p align="center">Club safety audits</p> <p align="center">Converting to a CIO</p> <p align="center">Changes to Surf Coach Safety & Rescue Award</p> <p align="center">Club Development</p> <p align="center">Safeguarding</p>
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