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# Senior Surf Lifeguard PATROL CAPTAIN COURSE

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**Date:** Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> August 2020  
**Venue:** Whiritoa SLSC  
**Address:** 1 Kon Tiki Road, Whiritoa  
**Time:** 9:00am start – 3:00pm finish  
**Cost:** FREE\*

## COURSE OVERVIEW

Our Senior Surf Lifeguard Patrol Captain course will help you gain the knowledge and abilities required to be a Patrol Captain. The course also covers theory on leadership topics, which are then put into practice during scenarios. This prepares Surf Lifeguards with the leadership skills needed to be successful in this role. At the end of the course, you will have the Senior Lifeguard Award - Patrol Captain, which is a pre-requisite for the **National Lifeguard School** - the final step for members to obtain the Advanced Lifeguard Award.

## COURSE INFORMATION

**Duration:** 1 day  
**Requirements:** Participate fully in the course and complete the workbook  
**Registration:** To register please [complete attached form](#) before – **August 24th 2020**

## COURSE COST

**FREE\***

*\*The Zespri sponsorship of Eastern Region covers the cost of this course, however please note: if you register for this course and withdraw your registration within a week of the course, you will be charged the full cost of the course, which is \$50.*

## TOPICS COVERED

1. The roles and responsibilities of a Patrol Captain – Building Rapport
2. The Patrol Operations Manual
3. Risk Management
4. Patrol Management – Motivating Others
5. Incident Management – Team Leadership

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## OUTCOMES

**At the completion of the qualification, the candidate will be able to:**

1. Understand the roles and responsibilities of a Patrol Captain
2. Identify components of the Patrol Operations Manual (POM) and explain its significance
3. Set up, maintain and close down a patrolled area
4. Supervise a response to an incident
5. Assess risk
6. Treat risk

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## PRE-REQUISITES

**Senior Lifeguard Award – Patrol Captain**

16 years of age (changes pending)  
Minimum 2 years patrolling experience  
SLS Level 1 First Aid (current)  
Marine VHF Radio Operators Certificate  
Current member of a SLS Club

## CONTACT

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