

Attendance Award Policy

Wanda Nippers values high levels of attendance at Nippers. Attendance is recognised through Attendance Awards, given out as part of End of Season Awards for u6-u14 age groups.

Award	Requirement
100% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for one season
200% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for two consecutive seasons
300% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for three consecutive seasons
400% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for four consecutive seasons
500% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for five consecutive seasons
600% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for six consecutive seasons
700% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for seven consecutive seasons
800% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for eight consecutive seasons
900% Attendance Award	Meets attendance requirements for nine consecutive seasons

“100% Day”

- Before the season starts each year, the nipper calendar will note with “100% days”. Go to www.wandanippers.com.au for the calendar.
- A “100% day” is a nipper day where attendance can contribute to achieving an attendance award.
- The majority of nipper days are 100% days. Exceptions include
 - Any week nippers is not on for a certain age group (eg. u6 and u7 don't have nippers the week of Bate Bay 4-Way carnival)
 - SLSS Branch and SLSNSW State Championships – all age groups
 - The final day of nippers after the SLSNSW State Championships (fun day only)
 - Other days as deemed necessary by the Wanda Nippers Committee each season
- In the event nippers is cancelled by the Wanda Nippers committee, and only then, the day shall be deemed a “non 100% day”.

Attendance requirements

To be marked “in attendance” a nipper must:

- Be present at nippers on a 100% day
- Attempt and/or participate in at least three events on the day, at the discretion of the age manager

Allowable absence

- Each nipper is allowed two (2) absences each season on 100% Days, to still qualify for an Attendance Award.

Special considerations

- All special requests regarding injury, illness or absence can be sent to the Recorder results@wandanippers.com.au for consideration by the Wanda Nippers committee

Carnivals and representative duties u8+

Nippers will be recorded in attendance when:

- competing for Wanda SLSC at a surf life saving carnival
- participating in a SLSS Development camp
- participating in SLSS InterBranch Championships

- other events at the discretion of the Wanda Nippers committee.

All requests should be lodged with results@wadanippers.com.au

Recording attendance

- Attendance at nippers is recorded by the Age Manager/Assistant each week on the age group roll
- The Wanda Nippers Recorder collates and stores attendance records. Email results@wadanippers.com.au

Timeframes

While attendance is always recorded at nippers by Age Managers, the records of attendance for the purpose of Attendance Awards

Commences - the first week of nippers.

The final day -

- **u6 and u7** - three weeks prior to the u6 and u7 presentation day , to allow time for producing awards.
- **U8 and over** - the week prior to the SLSNSW State Championships.

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