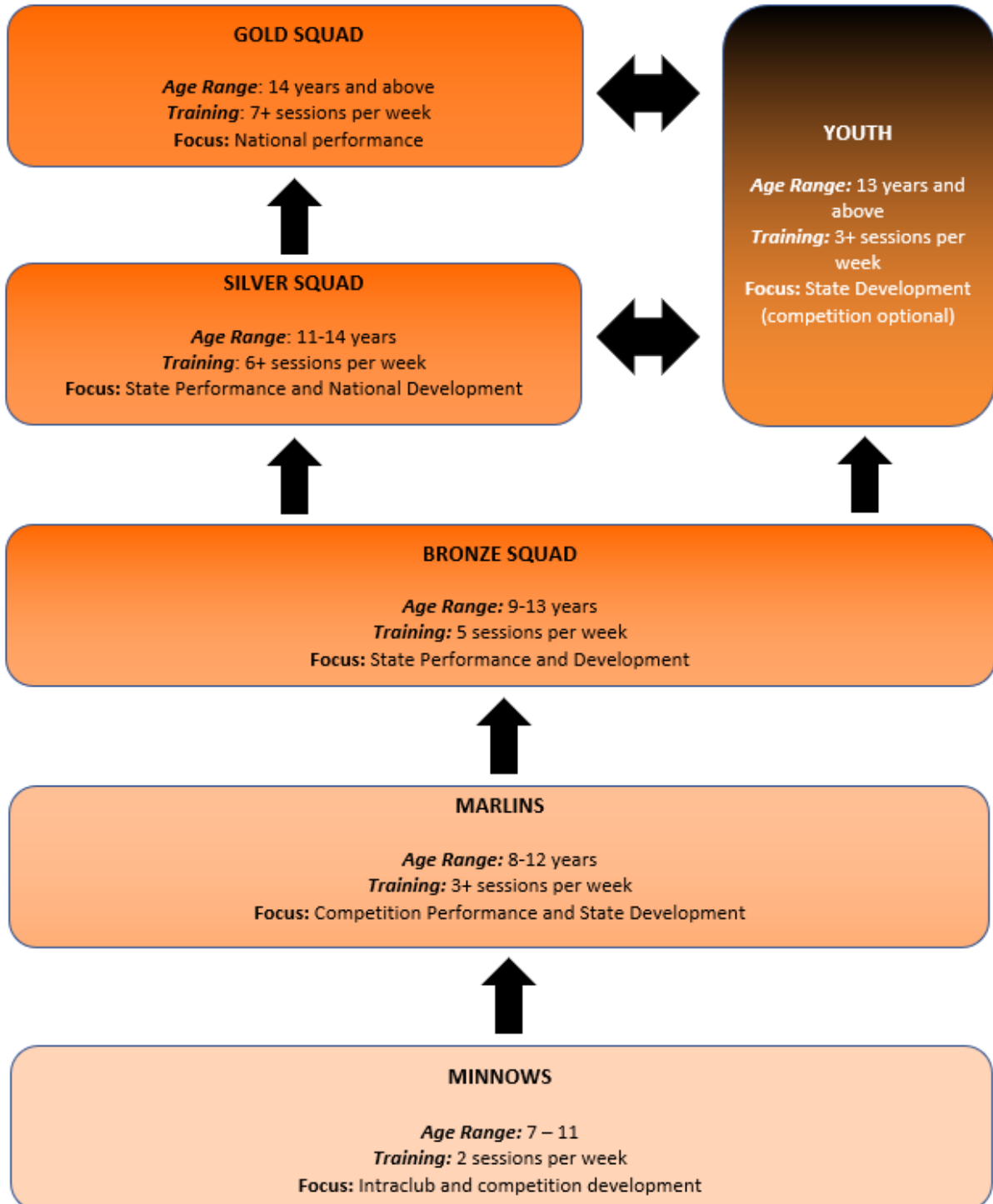




South Lake Dolphins Swimming Club

SLD Squad Pathway



For further information on the SLD Squad Pathway, please consult your coach



Fees and charges

Outlined below are the current fees and charges associated with becoming a member of and training with South Lake Dolphins Swimming Club (SLD).

1. MEMBERSHIP OF SLD AND SWIMMING WA

Our members are required to sign up as a member of both SLD and Swimming WA (SWA). Members under the age of 18 also require a parent to sign up as a member (parent/guardian membership is free).

The current fees for both SLD and SWA memberships are outlined below. These are annual memberships which run from 1 October to 30 September.

South Lake Dolphins membership fees

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| SLD Associate Membership (Swimmers under 18 years) | \$130 |
| SLD Ordinary Membership (Swimmer 18 years +) | \$130 |
| SLD Associate Membership (Swimmers under 18 years) – 2 nd Swimmer | \$70 |
| SLD Associate Membership (Swimmers under 18 years) – 3 rd swimmer | \$65 |
| SLD Ordinary Membership – (Parent / Guardian- Compulsory for swimmers 18yrs & under) | FREE |

Swimming WA membership fees

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| SWA Annual Membership | \$124 |
| SWA Social Participation Membership | \$70 |
| SWA Junior Dolphin (5-8yrs) | \$31 |
| SWA Open Water Series | \$44 |
| SWA Parent / Guardian (Compulsory for swimmers 18yrs & under) | \$5 |

2. DESCRIPTION OF SWA MEMBERSHIP CATEGORIES

It is **compulsory** for every SLD swimmer (and a parent/guardian for swimmers under 18) to become a member of SWA to meet our affiliation requirements. In addition, as a member of SWA you are protected by the SWA insurance at anytime when competing in club related activities, participating at the club or travelling to and from club activities.

Annual membership

This is the full membership category for swimmers 9+ years of age, who are actively swimming year round and want to swim competitively. This membership provides access to all membership benefits including entry to all SWA and Swimming Australia sanctioned competitions.

Social Participation membership

This membership targets those who swim for fitness or just entering the world of competitive swimming. Participation members have access to the first tier of competition including Club Premierships, club sanctioned competitions, zone/region competitions, inter/intra club nights and the Open Water Swimming Series but excludes SWA sanctioned meets.

Junior Dolphins

This membership is for children aged 5 to 8 years. Given the age of these members access to competitions is limited to Club Premierships and club carnivals (8 years only).

Note: admittance to SLD for this age group will depend on a minimum swimming ability that will be assessed by our coaches at an official assessment prior to joining.

Parent/Guardian membership

It is compulsory that at least one parent/guardian become a member for all swimmers under the age of 18 years. Additional parents/guardians may also sign up for this membership. A nominal fee of \$5 is charged for these memberships.



Open Water Series membership

Suited for open water swimmers wanting the opportunity to align themselves with a SWA affiliated swim club

Family Discount Scheme

SWA has implemented a family discount scheme which provides a discount on the SWA membership fees for the third and subsequent children. There is a 30% discount for the third child, 50% discount for the fourth child, 80% discount for the fifth child and 100% discount (free membership) for the sixth and subsequent children.

3. MONTHLY TRAINING FEES

Following a successful trial and after assessing the individual swimmer's requirements and goals, the coaches will recommend an appropriate squad. Please refer to the accompanying squad pathway which show progression through our squads and the squad timetable which show the available training sessions. You will need to agree with the coach the required sessions the swimmer is supposed to attend.

Details of the training fees for each of the relevant squads are outlined below (effective from 1 NOVEMBER 2022)

| Squad | Fee per Month | Sessions Per Week |
|---------------------------------------|---------------|--|
| Minnows (8 – 10 yrs old) | \$90 | 2 x 60 mins |
| Marlins (8 – 12 yrs old) | \$110 | 3-4 x 60-75 mins |
| Bronze (11 – 13 yrs old) | \$120 | 5 x 90 – 105 mins |
| Silver (11 – 15 yrs old) | \$135 | 6-7 x 90- 120 mins |
| Gold (13yrs + and by invitation only) | \$150 | 8+ x 90 – 120 mins |
| Youth (12/13yrs + only) | \$115 | Up to 5 x 90 min, recommended a minimum of 3 |

Notes:

- Length of morning sessions are shorter in duration than afternoon sessions
- The age range provided above are a guide only and will depend on individual swimmers requirements
- Family Training Fee Discount – 10% for 2nd Swimmer & 20% for 3rd Swimmer.

Payment of fees

Payment of training fees is by direct debit facilitated by our direct debit provider Integrapay.

4. POOL ENTRY

Pool entry is a fee independent of our training fees and is charged and administered directly by Cockburn ARC. We have negotiated an ongoing "Active Squad" membership for pool entry for our SLD Members which is billed on a fortnightly direct debit basis. Currently this is \$26.00 for SLD members under 16 years and \$31.00 for SLD members 16 years and over per fortnight.

This is the most cost-effective option for pool entry for our members. Evidence of membership with the club will be required for all "Active Squad" memberships at ARC. We note there are other options for paying for pool entry including prepaid multi-pass access which may be more cost effective for those on lower numbers of training sessions.