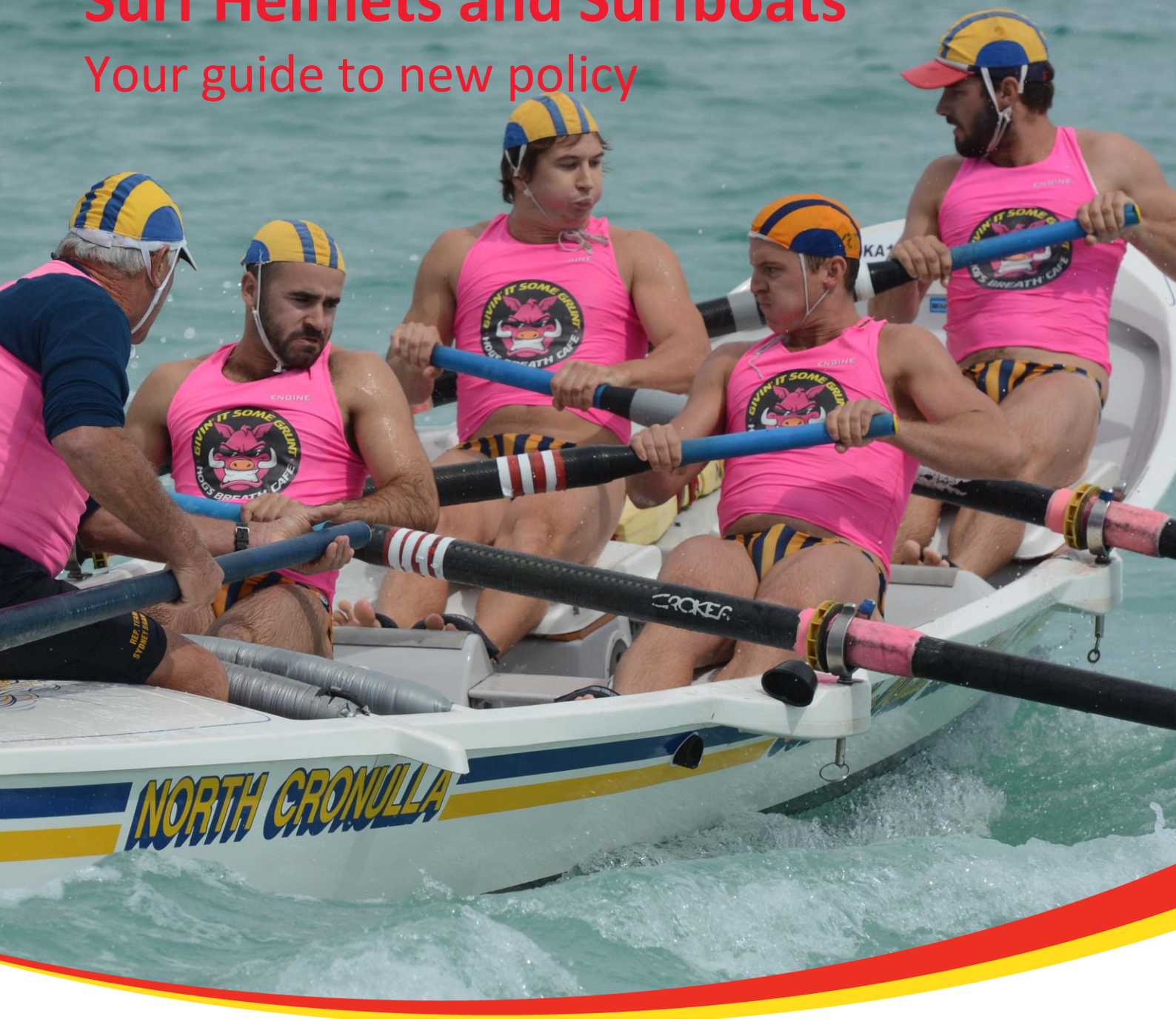




Surf Helmets and Surfboats

Your guide to new policy



Surf helmets are not mandatory in flat water

The policy states that following a risk assessment prior to training, the sweep has the authority to determine whether surf helmets are worn. As a guide, for surf conditions less than 1m, helmets are not required because the risks are acceptably low. This would include flat water training sessions in rivers, harbours or bays. In competition the Boat Referee may determine that surf helmets are not required following a risk assessment. You should always be prepared to wear a helmet as conditions may change.

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