ROLL UP YOUR SLEEVES AND GIVE BLOOD

Donate blood in the Illawarra Surf Club Blood Drive

December 1st 2014 – March 31st 2015

All this summer, the 17 Surf Clubs of the Illawarra will be battling it out to see who is the most generous of all!

Please see your Club President to get involved and save lives





FAQs

Q: How long does the Blood Drive go for?

A: From December 1st 2014 to March 31st 2015

Q: Can a Mobile Unit visit my Club one weekend to collect blood?

A: Our Mobile Units are scheduled 12 months in advance. There is a possibility of organising something for 2016, but the Club would have to show overwhelming support (150+donations) during this challenge for us to look at that option.

Q: How can I check on the latest tally for my Club?

A: Go to: www.donateblood.com.au/club-red/view-group-tally

Q: Is the 'Club Red form' that you are given when donating, the only way to register my affiliation with my Club?

A: No, you can also register your affiliation to your Club here: www.donateblood.com.au/who-can-give/club-red/join-group

Q: Can anyone join the Blood Drive, or is strictly Members only?

A: In the interest of making this Blood Drive as big as we can, and to save the most lives we possibly can, it's open for anyone to join. All you have to do to join is fill out that Club Red form we've previously mentioned.

Q: Jarrod, can you come along to a Club Meeting and give a presentation to our members to get them motivated and inspired to give blood?

A: With enough notice (a couple of weeks), yes, I'd love to.

Q: Jarrod, can you come along to nippers and set up a stall to talk to parents about donating blood?

A: Probably not. But we could set up a little 'self-service' info stand inside your surf club with all the information people may need to get involved.

Q: Jarrod, I have a very complex medical question regarding if I am eligible to donate blood, can you answer it for me?

A: No, I'm not medically trained. Please call 13 14 95 to speak to a medical officer

Q: Will my donation be counted if I donate blood in Sydney?

A: Yes, as long as you fill out the Club Red form, your donation will be counted no matter where you donate in Australia.

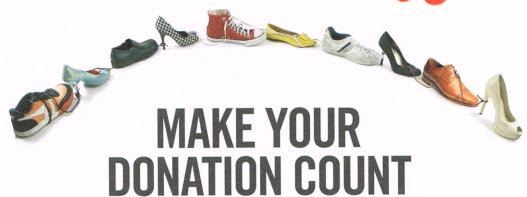
Q: Is there free parking at the Wollongong Blood Donor Centre on Kembla Street?

A: Yes, there is free underground parking for all of our Blood Donors

Example



Save lives together



Sign up to Club Red online to make your donation count towards your group tally.

YOUR DETAILS

Organisation / Group details:

The Club Red group donation program is an opportunity for business, community and youth groups across Australia to do something truly valuable by regularly giving blood.

Please complete all sections of this form to ensure your donations count towards your preferred group.

New to Club Red Update my details
Organisation / Group Corrinal SLSC
Division
Organisation Group Address Communal Beach
Individual details:
Title M First Name John
Last Name Sw. M
DOB (12/83 Donor ID (23456
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Donations appear online as a number without any identifying information and in accordance with our privacy policy. If your group has not yet registered, you will be notified. If you have registered online previously, your donation will be uploaded automatically.

If you would like to opt out please tick here and complete your details above.

Privacy Statement: All information collected will only be used by the Australian Red Cross Blood Service. Providing your contact details allows us to communicate with you about the Blood Service. The Blood Service is bound by the Federal Government Privacy Act 1988. The Blood Service respects and protects the privacy of its donors' personal information by complying with the National Privacy Principles.



Pre-donation check list

Please review the following most common factors that will determine if you can or cannot give blood today.*

Most people are able to give blood if they:

- feel fit and healthy
- are aged between 16 and 70
- weigh over 45kg

You may be temporarily unable to give blood if you:

- are on certain medications or antibiotics
- have a cold or are feeling unwell in any way
- have certain medical conditions
- changed medications
- recently had surgery
- have had recent dental treatment
- recently travelled
- had a piercing

You will not be able to give blood if you:

- have visited or lived in the UK for a cumulative total of 6 months or more between 1980 and 1996
- have engaged in male to male sexual activity or other specified at risk sexual activity in the past 12 months
- have recently been pregnant or given birth
- have had a tattoo in the past 6 months
- have ever had a serious heart condition
- have ever had a serious blood disorder or disease
- have ever "used drugs" by injection or been injected with drugs not prescribed by a doctor or dentist

If you have any questions please ask one of our team.



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For further information call 13 14 95 or visit donateblood.com.au

