



RESPONSIBLE ALCOHOL POLICY

A responsible alcohol policy has been adopted by EDITHVALE LSC and must be adhered to by all Club Members, Parents and Guests.

- 1 Liquor consumption in Victoria is regulated by the Liquor Control Act 1987, and the club will comply with all Liquor Licensing Victoria regulations.
- 2 There will be no sale or consumption of alcohol during the conduct of any sporting event or training.
- 3 Consumption of alcohol by underage persons will not be tolerated.
 - Members found to be in breach will be subject to disciplinary action by the Committee.
- 4 Supplying alcohol to underage persons will not be tolerated.
 - Members supplying alcohol to underage persons will be subject to disciplinary action by the Committee.
- 5 There will be no consumption of alcohol on the premises during Patrol Hours.
- 6 Where alcohol is consumed at a club function the following measures will be taken:
 - a. Alcohol will not be served to minors.
 - b. Alcohol will not be served to any person who is intoxicated.
 - c. Water will always be available.
 - d. Food should be available when alcohol is served.
- 7 Members who have been drinking will be encouraged to use soft transport options.
- 8 There will be no alcohol advertising at the club or during sporting events.
- 9 The club will not accept any alcohol related sponsorship.

This 'Responsible Alcohol Management Policy' will be reviewed annually to ensure that it remains relevant to the needs of the club.

Adopted by the Committee of Edithvale Lifesaving Club: 13th February 2007
Signed: D Montalto (President) L McGurgan (Secretary)

Edithvale Lifesaving Club is subject to the Lifesaving Victoria Alcohol Policy (1/9/98) and upholds its principals:

Which are:

- 1 The Liquor Control Act, local by-laws and all regulations relating to alcohol shall be fully complied with at all times.
- 2 All terms & conditions of any club liquor licence shall be fully complied with at all times. Particular attention should be directed to under age drinking, service to intoxicated persons and hours of operation.
- 3 Consumption of alcohol by underage persons shall not be tolerated under any circumstances.
- 4 Responsible alcohol consumption should be promoted through:
 - The ready availability of alcohol-free & low alcohol drinks.
 - The availability of food when alcohol is being consumed.
- 5 Clubs, touring team managers & members on tours should recognise the importance of responsible alcohol use. Particular attention is directed to the potential problems associated with intoxication & underage drinking.
- 6 Clubs shall recognise that it is not appropriate for underage members to wear or display alcohol advertising on clothing or craft.