

Water Smart® Contest Action Steps

- 1. Complete the Contest Registration Form and fax, mail or email the form to the Ontario Branch office by **July 26**, **2019**.
- 2. Select a date(s) to run the contest.
- 3. Receive the Contest Kit in the mail. Photocopy colouring sheets. Photocopy and hand out "Draw a Water Smart Super Hero" Entry Sheet.
- 4. Display "Fire Alarm" poster, "Within Arm's Reach poster, "Buddy" poster, and "Swim to Survive" poster around your facility to promote the contest.
- Execute the contest. Don't forget to give each participant a Buddy Catcher or Buddy Sticker or Buddy Bookmark after submitting their entry.

Age Group	Contest Task	Prize
7 & under	Colouring Sheet	Facility Awarded Prize: Buddy T-shirt (included in Contest Kit)
8 – 12	Draw a Water Smart® Super Hero Criteria for the contest includes: 1) The name of the super hero 2) Slogan or motto or message 3) Super power Super hero's example messages: a) Swim with a Buddy b) Wear a Lifejacket c) Stay Within Arms' Reach	Facility Awarded Prize: Swim to Survive T-shirt <u>or</u> Lifesaving Society Ball Cap (included in Contest Kit) Provincially Awarded Prizes: 1st Place – \$100 Lifesaving Society Prize Pack 2nd & 3rd Place – \$35 Lifesaving Society Prize Pack

13 - 17Facility Awarded Prize: Create a Water Smart® Video Swim to Survive T-shirt or Some criteria for the contest will Lifesaving Society Ball Cap include: (included in Contest Kit) a) It can be no longer than 1 minute **Provincially Awarded Prizes:** and 30 seconds long 1st Place - \$100 Visa Gift Card b) Video must include at least one 2nd & 3rd Place - \$50 Visa Gift Card Water Smart message c) Water Smart messages: If you're not within arm's reach, you've gone too far Always swim with a buddy

- Don't drink and drive your boat
- Always wear a lifejacket in a boat
- Check the ice
- All Canadian children should learn to Swim to Survive
- On Guard- "When you wear the card you're On Guard"
- Family Swim to Survive
- 6. Determine a winner in each age group. Don't forget to award each winner at your facility a *Buddy t-shirt, Swim to Survive t-shirt or* a *Lifesaving Society Ball Cap*.
- 7. Display the winners and runners up in your facility.
- 8. **Send** the *8 12 and/or the 13 17 year old age group* winning entries to the Ontario Branch office for Provincial consideration by **September 27**, **2019**. Please remember to attach the Contest Entry Form to the winning entry. You can email the entry to watersmart@lifeguarding.com.
- 9. Complete the brief contest evaluation form and either fax or mail it back to the Ontario Branch office.

Please Note: Affiliate members that order a 2019 Water Smart® Contest Kit and do not return a winning entry to the Lifesaving Society will be required to return the unused contest kit or will be charged \$30.00 per age group.