Safety Equipment		Protected Waters lakes, rivers, inlets and estuaries except Lake Argyle	0-2 Nautical Miles from the mainland shore	2-5 Nautical Miles from the mainland shore	Over 5 Nautical Miles from the mainland shore
<u>♣</u>	Bilge Pump/Bailer All vessels must carry a bilge pump. Vessels under 7 metres may carry a bailer in lieu of a bilge pump.	1	1	1	/
	Fire Extinguisher Vessels with an inboard engine or carrying hydrocarbon consuming appliances must carry an approved fire extinguisher.	1	/	1	/
A	Anchor and line An efficient anchor and line must be carried.	_	/	1	1
	Lifejacket A lifejacket bearing the lable PFD Type 1 or the Australian standard AS 1512 or AS 4758 - Level 100 (or higher) must be carried for every person onboard.	_	/	1	1
	Red and Orange Flares At least two hand held red flares and two hand held orange flares must be carried. Two parachute flares may be carried in lieu of the two hand held red flares and a smoke canister may be carried in lieu of the smoke flares.	_	/	1	1
PINS	EPIRB A 406 MHz EPIRB registered with AMSA bearing the standard AS/NZS 4280.1 must be carried if proceeding more than 2 miles from the mainland shore or more than 400 metres from an island located more than 2 miles from the mainland shore.	_	_	/	/
*	Parachute Flares A minimum of two parachute flares must be carried if operating more than 5 miles from the mainland shore or more than 1 mile from an island located more than 5 miles from the mainland shore.	_		_	1
	Marine Radio A marine radio must be carried if operating more than 5 miles from the mainland shore or more than 1 mile from an island located more than 5 miles from the mainland shore. The radio can be 27 MHz, VHF or HF.	_	_	_	/

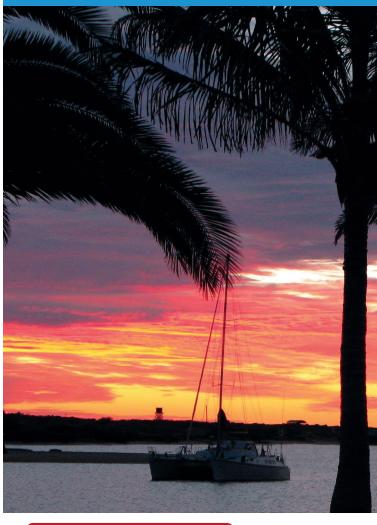
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Vessel registration

Vessels that must be registered

If your vessel has a motor, or is fitted for one, it must be registered with the DoT and will be subject to an annual registration fee. If your vessel is currently registered in another state, you have three months after bringing it into Western Australia to have it registered.

Exemptions from registration

The following recreational vessels do not have to be registered:

- · yachts (un-powered and not fitted with an engine mount);
- canoes: and
- surf skis and other craft without motors.

Maintain a good lookout and a safe speed

Please maintain a good lookout for swimmers, canoes, paddle boats and other vessels. Exercise caution and operate at a safe speed when navigating in this area.

Age requirements and restrictions for skippers

Operating a vessel with a motor of **6hp or less**

A person in charge of a recreational vessel with a motor of 4.5 kilowatts (6hp) or less is not required to hold an RST. Children under 10 years of age may not drive a motor boat.

Operating a vessel with a motor greater than 6hp

A person in charge of a recreational vessel with a motor greater than 4.5 kilowatts (6hp) is required to hold an RST.

Persons over 14 and under 16 years of age are restricted to operating during daylight hours and at a speed less than 8 knots.

Water skiing prohibited



Water skiing is prohibited within all the waters of the Fascine. Note: water skiing includes being towed over water by seabiscuits, surfboards and any other aquaplane apparatus.

Public Courtesy moorings



Courtesy moorings have been provided by the DoT within the Fascine . These moorings are for short term use (up to 72 hours) and vessels

must not be left unattended for periods greater than four hours at a time. They are a highly visible orange/red colour and are labelled with the maximum vessel length for the mooring. To use the mooring, approach the buoy from downwind and tie up using the floating rope.

Do not use the yellow moorings. It is an offence to use the yellow moorings if you do not have authorisation from the mooring owner.

Keep to the right

When proceeding along a narrow channel you should keep as far to the right side of the channel as is safe and practicable.

