Boating Guide Swan Canning Riverpark

Personal water craft

Personal water craft (PWC) – often called jet skis – are craft propelled by an inboard motor powering a water jet pump. The Recreational Skipper’s Ticket (RST) is required to operate a PWC. A driver of at least 17 years of age with a RST is not required to hold a licence to drive a PWC.

Water skiing

Water skiing is prohibited within 100 metres of any take-off and landing area. The wave or the swell may be harmful to skiers or other craft.

Recreational Skipper’s Ticket

A holder of the Recreational Skipper’s Ticket (RST) is not required to hold a licence to operate a PWC. A driver of at least 17 years of age with a RST is not required to hold a licence to drive a PWC. A driver of at least 14 but under 16 years of age is restricted to power boating within the Swan Canning Riverpark.

Age restrictions

A person under 10 years may not drive a motor boat.

Contact details

Department of Transport
Email: marine.safety@transport.wa.gov.au
Website: www.transport.wa.gov.au/imarine

Department of Parks and Wildlife
Head Office: 9178 0900
After hours – call 141 282

Volunteer Marine Rescue Services
Emergency contact: 0419 182 845
Water Police: 9442 8600
Website: www.3marines.org.au

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The person in charge of a recreational vessel with a motor greater than 8hp (8.4 kilowatts) or is less is not required to hold a Recreational Skipper’s Ticket (RST). A person in charge of a recreational vessel with a motor greater than 8hp (8.4 kilowatts) is required to hold a RST.

Kite Safe

Kite and kitesurfers spending more than 100 metres from shore in unprotected waters must carry safety equipment. Visit our website for more information.

Paddle Safe

Recreational canoes, kayaks, surf skis, inflatables or similar paddle craft are propelled by a person using paddles must comply with WA marine laws. Visit our website for more information.