

## DIY Solo Crossing Checklist

This checklist is a guide for those seeking Rottnest Channel Swim Association (RCSA) ratification, but wish to organise their own solo crossing. While it is not compulsory, we encourage you to submit your completed checklist with your application.

	Completed	Notes
1. <b>Obtained approval from Rottnest Island Authority.</b> <i>You will need to provide evidence of this approval when applying to the RCSA.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
2. <b>Obtained approval from Department of Transport (Marine).</b> <i>You will need to provide evidence of this approval when applying to the RCSA.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
3. <b>Obtained approval from Fremantle Port Authority (Harbour Master).</b> <i>You will need to provide evidence of this approval when applying to the RCSA.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
4. <b>Identify and appoint an individual to observe and validate your solo crossing.</b> <i>The details of your solo crossing must be verified by two separate Statutory Declarations sworn by the swimmer and the observer (timekeeper).</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
5. <b>Completed a 10km qualifying swim in less than 4 hours and 15 minutes.</b> <i>This swim must be completed within the three months prior to your solo crossing attempt and must be compliant with the RCSA By-Laws. If you have completed a solo crossing within the last two years, you may seek exemption from the RCSA.</i>		
6. <b>The swimmer, boat skipper and observer attended briefing.</b> <i>You may ask the RCSA to deliver this briefing. If you choose to do this without involving the RCSA, you will need to provide the information that was covered at the briefing, which should be in line with the RCSA briefing.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	
7. <b>Provide all details relating to the preparation and execution of your solo crossing to the RCSA.</b> <i>At this time, you will also need to pay your application fee (currently \$50.00). Your application will be tabled at the committee's next meeting.</i>	<input type="checkbox"/>	