

MINIMUM BOAT SAFETY EQUIPMENT

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- One bilge pump or baler or bucket
Boats of 7m or over must have a bilge pump.
Boats under 7m may have a pump or baler or bucket
- Fire Extinguisher.
Boats with inboard motors or liquid or gas appliances must carry an extinguisher.
Boats with outboard motors & no such appliances do not have to carry extinguishers.

MINIMUM SAFETY EQUIPMENT FOR OCEAN WATERS UP TO 5 NAUTICAL MILES OFFSHORE

As for protected waters plus:

- A life jacket for each person on board (AS 121512)
- An effective anchor and chain.
- 2 hand held red flares or parachute distress flares
- 2 hand held orange smoke signals or 1 smoke canister
- 1 registered 406MHz EPIRB if travelling more than 2nm offshore.
All flares and smoke signals must meet AS 29822 or Aust. Uniform Shipping Laws Code Specifications.

MINIMUM SAFETY EQUIPMENT FROM 5 TO 30 NAUTICAL MILES OFFSHORE

As for 0 to 5 miles plus:

- 2 parachute distress flares
- A two way marine radio

The Dept. Of Transport will be inspecting boats from 12pm Thursday 1st March in the Kalbarri Motor Hotel car park.

Boats not inspected on Thursday may be inspected during the competition at the discretion of the Dept. Of Transport. (Avoid delays and get it done on Thursday).