

# **ROTTNEST ISLAND REGULATIONS 1988**

**Temporary Notice to Mariners**

**Closure of Waters to Boating**

**Thomson Bay North, Rottnest Island**

**Swim Champs of the Bay Race**

**Sunday 25 February 2018**

Acting pursuant to the powers conferred by Regulation 38B of the *Rottnest Island Regulations 1988*, the Rottnest Island Authority hereby closes the following waters to all vessels, excluding bona fide emergency and authorised vessels as set out below between 0900hrs and 1030hrs on Sunday 25 February 2018

## **Thomson Bay (North)**

### **Between Ferry Jetty and Stark Jetty**

All waters between the Stark Jetty and Ferry Jetty extending eastwards from the foreshore following a line along the southern side of Stark Jetty to a position 31° 59.509E and 115° 32.675S, (65 metres east of the foreshore) then head south to a position 31° 59.705E and 115° 32.526S (68 metres east of the foreshore) and finishing at a point on the Ferry Jetty at 31° 59.710E 115° 32.528S.

### **Exemption**

Authorised support craft and bonafide emergency response vessels

These restrictions have been put in place due to ensure safety of swimmers competing in the Swimming Champ of the Bay for children. Event safety craft will be patrolling the area to guide passing vessels. A map showing this restriction is available at <http://www.rotnnestisland.com>

**Mariners are advised to navigate with caution and maintain a safe clearance when transiting this area.**

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