Norman Trusty swam from France-to-England in 1967 in 12 hours and 5 minutes and from England-to-France twice in 1971 in 12 hours and 24 minutes and in 1972 in 13 hours and 41 minutes. He represented England and was 6th in the 1966 Windermere Championship (10.25 miles) and 3rd in the 1974 Windermere 25 km Championship. He has participated in several single-crossing English Channel relays and set 3 records with Hetzel’s Texas Volunteers relay in 1974 (England-to-France in 8 hours 51 minutes, France-to-England in 8 hours and 59 minutes, and England-to-France-to-England in 17 hours and 50 minutes).

He was a long-time Channel Swimming Association committee member and its Vice-Chairman and received the Observer of the Year award in 1991. He has observed at least 50 solo swims, 13 relay swims, two double-crossings and four double-crossing relay swims. He received the Channel Swimming Association’s Audrey Scott Memorial Trophy in 1998 for the greatest contribution to English Channel swimming.

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