

## Local Notice to Mariners

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### **Admirals Cup – Channel Race**

**NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN** jointly by **ABP Southampton Harbour Master & Kings Harbour Master Portsmouth** that as part of the Admirals Cup the channel race will take place on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July.

**19<sup>th</sup> July 2025** – The Channel Race will start from 1030 – 1100 on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> July from the vicinity of the East Bramble Buoy and head East out of the Solent before turning South into the English Channel. Between 60 and 70 vessels are expected to take part and mariners are advised to keep a good lookout and expect large numbers of yachts in the Eastern Approaches to the Solent.

Competitors are expected to return to the Eastern Solent for a finish between 0500 and 1300 on Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> July passing to the West of the West Princessa buoy and to the East of the Bembridge Ledge buoy to a finish line SW of the St Helens Buoy.

Mariners are reminded of the “**Moving Prohibited Zone**” as referred to in [Southampton Harbour Byelaws 2003 No11](#) and Local Notice to [Mariners 2025 No.06 Precautionary Area \(Thorn Channel\)](#).

A full description of the races are available from the Royal Ocean Racing Club website - [www.rorc.org](http://www.rorc.org)

This notice will be self-canceling on completion.

**Steven Masters,  
Harbour Master**