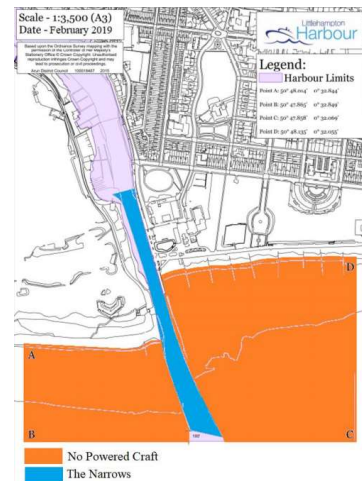


LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No. 08 of 2022

Seasonal Controls on Littlehampton Bathing Beaches

MARINERS ARE ADVISED that a seasonal exclusion zone for power driven vessels is now in force off Littlehampton beaches. Yellow marker buoys have been established by Littlehampton Harbour Board and Arun District Council. The buoys are unlit and extend east and west of the harbour entrance beacons at 100m spacing along the boundary of harbour limits.

No power-driven vessels (including PWCs / Jet Skis) are permitted inshore of this line of buoys (the area shaded orange below). Vessels entering or exiting the harbour should do so between the entrance beacons and keep to the Narrows (the area shaded blue below).



Littlehampton Harbour General Directions state that power-driven vessels are not permitted within the area marked in orange on the Harbour Entrance Plan from Good Friday to the last day of October without the prior permission of the Harbour Master. A person who fails to comply with a General Direction shall be guilty of an offence and liable on conviction to a fine of up to £2,500.

In addition, mariners are advised that when RNLI Beach Lifeguards are on-duty on East Beach they will establish a clearly marked RNLI bathing zone with red and yellow flags. Mariners are advised that no paddle, wind or wave driven craft are permitted between the red and yellow flags. The width and location of this RNLI bathing zone will vary based on conditions and the offshore edge is treated as the line of yellow buoys.

Owners, Agents, Charterers, Marinas, Yacht Clubs and Recreational Sailing Organisations should ensure that the contents of this Notice are made known to the masters or persons in charge of their vessels or craft.

Cancel this LNtM on recovery of the buoys during September 2022.

Harry Gregory
Harbour Master
9th May 2022