

## **LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS**

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## POOLE HARBOUR FIREWORK DISPLAY EXCLUSION ZONE

This Local Notice to Mariners is issued by Poole Harbour Commissioners on behalf of BCP Council

**Mariners are advised** that a weekly fireworks display will take place in Poole Harbour on the following six upcoming Thursday evenings: 25<sup>th</sup> July, 1<sup>st</sup> August, 8<sup>th</sup> August, 15<sup>th</sup> August, 22<sup>nd</sup> August and 29<sup>th</sup> August.

The displays will be close to the southern breakwater of Poole Quay Boat Haven and will commence at 22:00hrs with a duration of approximately 8 minutes. There will be a 100m exclusion zone for approximately 20 minutes between 21:55 and 22:15 around the firing position which will be on a barge in the position indicated by a cross on the below chartlet. A harbour patrol vessel showing a blue flashing light will be in attendance to ensure vessels keep a safe distance during the display. Any vessel wishing to transit the Little Channel or other areas close to the exclusion zone during this 20-minute period are requested to navigate with caution keeping a safe distance. When departing the area after the display, mariners are reminded they must observe the 6 knot speed limit in the Little Channel and the 10 knot speed limit in other channels. Be mindful of your wash, display your navigation lights and be courteous to other harbour users.



This notice will self-cancel on Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> August at 23:59.

## Mariners are reminded that Radar, AIS, CCTV, Telephone and VHF Channels are recorded 24/7

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

## HARRY GREGORY HARBOUR MASTER

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http://www.phc.co.uk/safety/local-notices-to-mariners