

NOTICE TO MARINERS

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Port of Southampton – Southampton Water – Calshot – Buoyed Swimming Area and Personal Water Craft / Jet-Ski Corridor

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a safe swimming area will be established in the northern part of Stanswood Bay, between the southern part of Calshot Spit and Hillhead. The safe swimming area, which is 200 metres wide (off the shoreline) and approximately 800 metres long (along the shoreline) will be marked at approximately 70 metre intervals by small yellow cone-shaped buoys (see attached chartlet). It is intended that, weather allowing, the buoys marking the area will be laid on or about 1st June 2016.

The area is de-lineated by the following co-ordinates (WGS84 UTM) clockwise from the northern-most position – Positions 1, 6, 7 and 8 being on the shoreline):

	Latitude	Longitude
Position 1	50°48.802	01°18.590
Buoy 2	50°48.648	01°18.588
Buoy 3	50°48.629	01°18.619
Buoy 4	50°48.461	01°18.967
Position 5	50°48.545	01°19.075
Position 6	50°48.715	01°18.722
Position 7	50°48.720	01°18.714

The area is sub-divided by a corridor to enable Personal Water Craft / jet skis etc to get from shore to deeper water. The corridor is de-lineated by the following co-ordinates (again clockwise from the northern-most position):

	Latitude	Longitude
Position 7	50°48.720	01°18.714
Buoy 2	50°48.648	01°18.588
Buoy 3	50°48.629	01°18.619
Position 6	50°48.715	01°18.722

Buoys 2 and 4 are lit with yellow flashing lights – characteristic Fl.Y.2s.

It is intended that the buoys will remain in place until later in the year and will be recovered for the winter.

This notice will be self-cancelling on or about 30th September 2016, details of the area and buoyage being considered as sufficiently promulgated.



**Vessel Traffic Services Centre
Berth 37, Eastern Docks
Southampton**

**Captain M Phipps
Harbour Master**

24th May 2016

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.