



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No 057 of 2022

Our Ref: **TM/PYD/83/97/001**

11 May 2022



Transport Malta

Malta Transport Centre,
Triq Pantar, Hal Lija, LJA 2021
Malta

Tel: (356) 2122 2203
Fax: (356) 2125 0365
Email: info.tm@transport.gov.mt

www.transport.gov.mt

Swimming event from Marfa - Malta to Hondoq ir-Rummien – Gozo

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies mariners that a swimming event starting from Malta and finishing in Gozo will be held on Sunday 15th May 2022

The participants will depart from Marfa – Ir-Ramla tal-Bir (Malta), point A, at approximately 0730 hours and finish at Hondoq ir-Rummien (Gozo), point G at approximately 1100 hours. They will be following the route along the points A, B, C, D, E, F, and G as shown on the attached chart.

They will be supported by the vessel “*Goldmine*”.

Il-Fliegu ta’ Kemmuna will be restricted to navigation from 0730 hours to 0930 hours and Il-Fliegu ta’ Ghawdex will be restricted to navigation from 0915 hours to 1100 hours.

If the swimming event cannot be held on the date mentioned, they will try again on Saturday 21st or Sunday 22nd or Sunday 29th May 2022 depending on the sea conditions at the same time.

Mariners are advised to keep a sharp lookout, to proceed at slow speed and to keep well clear of the area during the stipulated date and time, giving the swimmers and support vessel a wide berth. They are to observe closely, any instructions issued on VHF channel 12 and/or 16 by Valletta VTS and by any maritime enforcement assets in the area.

Charts affected: **BA 211A, 2537 and 2538**

