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Open Water Swimming Event in Il-Bajja tas-Salina – 24 August 2022

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that Birkirkara St. Joseph Sports Club will be organising an open water swimming event in Il-Bajja tas-Salina.

The race will be held along the course A, B and C (as shown on attached chart),

Position	Latitude (N)	Longitude (E)
A	35° 56'.932	014° 25'.660
B	35° 57'.182	014° 25'.708
C	35° 57'.078	014° 25'.765

on Wednesday 24th August 2022, between 1600 hours and 2000 hours.

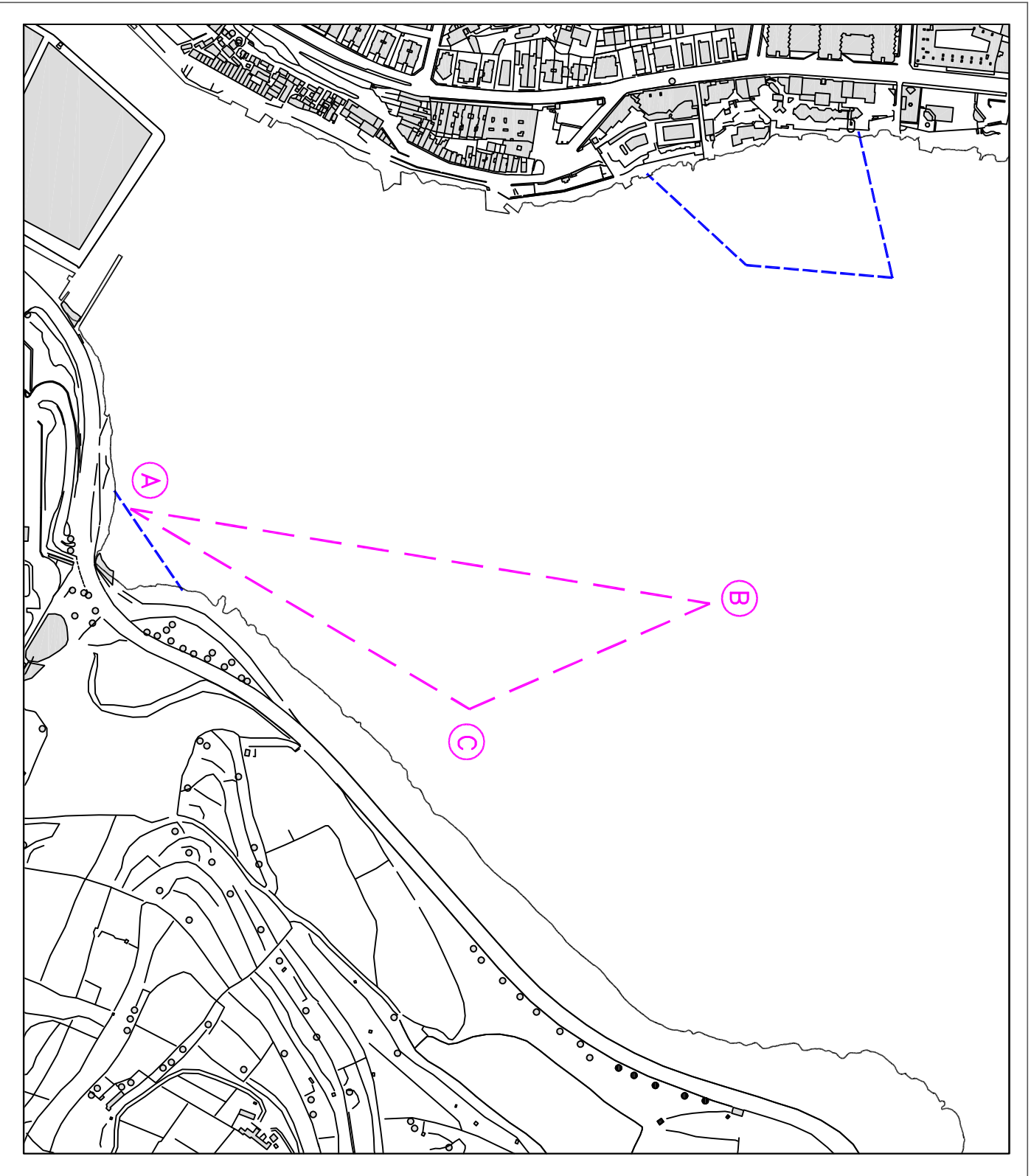
A club RHIB “S16893” and a rescue vessel will be accompanying the participating swimmers.

All mariners are directed to keep well clear of the area and under no circumstances transit through course A, B and C. For vessels whose moorings are within this area, they are to communicate with RHIB “S16893” prior to entering or leaving the area and wait to be escorted accordingly.

Mariners are advised to keep a sharp lookout and navigate with extreme caution and at slow speed (no wake) when in the vicinity, on the stipulated date and time. They are to cooperate with the organisers.

All mariners are to comply with any instructions given on VHF Channel 12 and/or 16, by Valletta VTS and by any Enforcement Personnel on site.

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



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