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Malta Young Sailors Club - Euromed International Regatta - Mellieha Bay - December 2023

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that the Malta Young Sailors Club will be holding the Euromed Sailing Championship 2023, between Sunday 10th December and Saturday 16th December 2023.

The activities will take place in Mellieha Bay and its approaches, in an area delineated by the imaginary lines joining positions A to B and B to C as shown on the attached Chart.

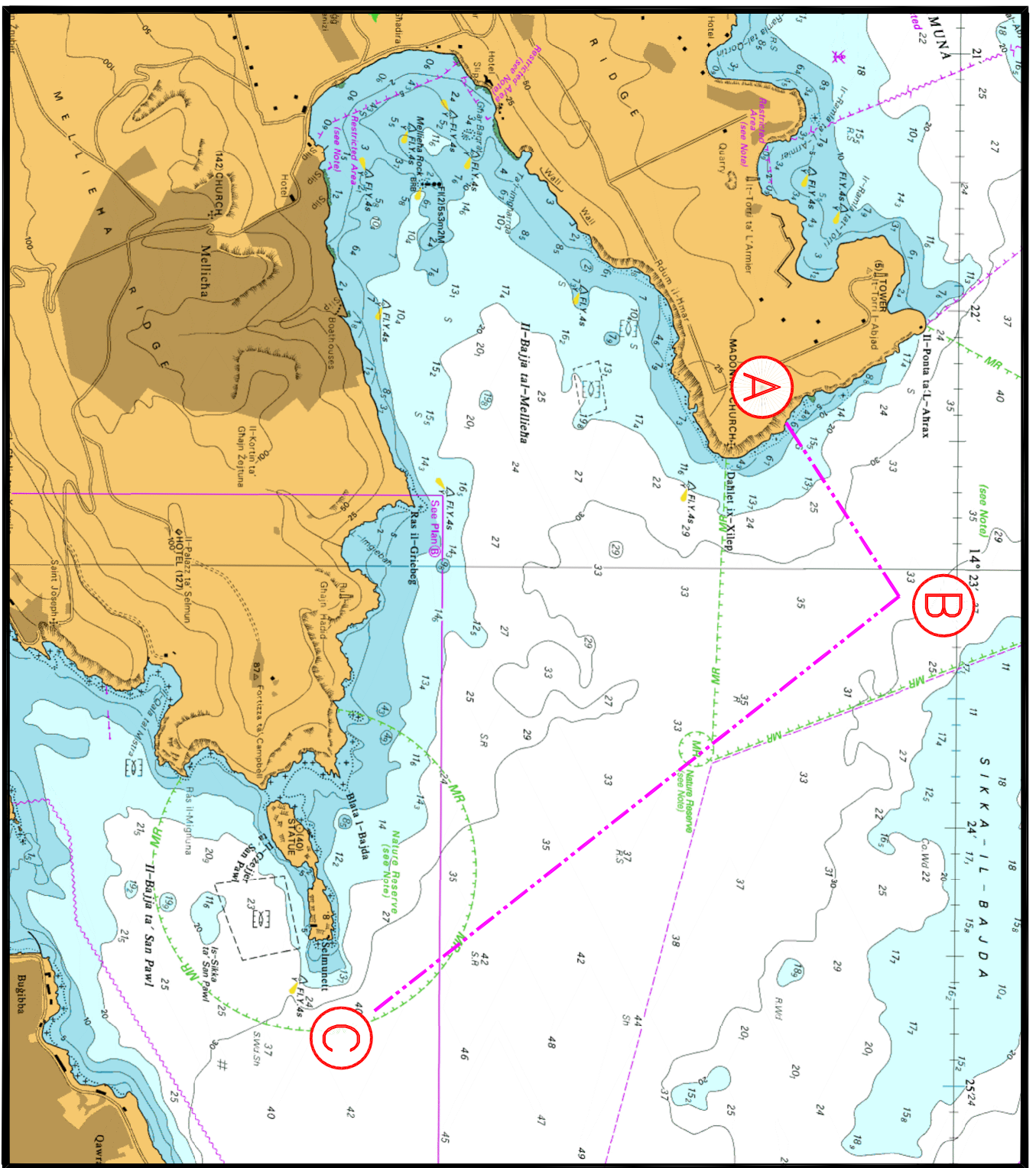
Inflatable marker buoys, to indicate the racecourse within the above-mentioned area, shall be laid, between 0800 hours and 1700 hours, on each day of the activities.

All vessels that are not involved in the regatta are to keep well clear of the competing boats and follow any instructions given by the race officials and support vessels.

If for some reason the event cannot be held on all the above-mentioned days, the organisers may use any of the days between Sunday 17th December and Tuesday 19th December 2023 during the same times.

Mariners are to note the above and are to give the area indicated a wide berth. They are further instructed to fully comply with Rule 18 (COLREGS 1972) and to '*keep out of the way*' of the sailing vessels participating in the Regatta. Any instructions issued by Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS) on VHF channel 12 and/or by any enforcement agency on site, are to be complied with.

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