



PORTS AND YACHTING DIRECTORATE

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Mobility Week Campaign – Swim in Marsamxett Harbour - 2016

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies that as part of the Mobility Week Campaign, a triathlon will be held on Saturday 17 September 2016.

The start of the swim will be from near the Ta' Xbiex Waterpolo Pitch (point A on attached chart) and the finish will be near the AFM Maritime base in Haywharf (point B on attached chart) in Marsamxett Harbour.

Approximately 70 swimmers will depart from near Ta' Xbiex Waterpolo Pitch (A) at about 0800 hours and swim towards AFM Maritime Base in Haywharf (B) along the route indicated on attached chart. The swimming event is expected to take around one (1) hours.

Two (2) Transport Malta, Enforcement Unit RHIBS will accompany the swimmers and there will also be a Red Cross ambulance in attendance.

Mariners are advised to keep a sharp lookout and navigate at slow speed and keep well clear of the area during the stipulated time giving the swimmers a wide berth. They are to obey any instructions issued by Enforcement Units and Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS)

Chart affected: BA 177

