

YMDDIRIEDOLAETH HARBWR CAERNARFON HARBOUR TRUST

HARBOUR MASTERS REPORT 8th March 2023 Part 1



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NAVIGATION

NOTICE TO MARINERS

None to date

AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Channel Surveying will be undertaken in the coming weeks, in preparation for ensuring we position our AtoNs in the most appropriate positions for the coming season.

The Safe Water Mark and the Grampian Castle buoy will be deployed during April.

Inspection of Local Aids to Navigation, Merchant Shipping Act, 1995, Section 198(1)

Our AtoNs were inspected on 22/02/2023 by an Officer of Trinity House and were found to be in good and efficient order, except for the following:

Place	AtoN No	Aid To Navigation	Defect	Action
P0312	N17963	Caernarfon Bar Fairway Buoy	Missing From Station	Temporary discontinuance
P0312	N02794	C2	ID Marking Incorrect	Believe this is an error in reporting
P0312	N20230	Temp Grampion Castle Wreck	Missing From Station	Temporary discontinuance
P0312	N02799	Mussel Bank	Requires Painting	In cyclical schedule to be changed out for dressed buoy.
P0312	N02802	C10	Requires Painting	In cyclical schedule to be changed out for dressed buoy.
P0312	N02814	Submarine Cable Crossing East Bank	Requires Painting	Schedule for May
P0312	N02822	Seasonal Swellies Rear	Seasonal/Occasional	Awaiting further details from TH
P0312	N02821	Seasonal Swellies Front	Seasonal/Occasional	Awaiting further details from TH
P0312	N12536	Swelly Rock	Requires Painting	Schedule for May

PILOTAGE

No Acts to date.

There has been a number of requests for information and availability, but no confirmed Acts to report.

MOORINGS

The moorings in the river Seiont will be inspected and maintained in March.

Mooring inspection for the Moorings in Y Felinheli is scheduled for the 14/15/16/17 of March.

Two Private moorings have been laid in Rowen bay.

SEIONT IV



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The vessel is afloat and ready for service. Arrangements for the vessel to be hauled out are being made to hopefully undertake during July this season. We are however required to undertake an out of water survey prior to Oct 2024. I will monitor the situation to determine if the two tasks can coincide.

Y FORYD

The vessel is afloat and ready for service. The vessel will be lifted out in April to be serviced for the coming season.