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**PMSC**

Standing position until report is available.

On the 21/3/2023 I am pleased to report that The MCA undertook a Port Marine Safety Code Health Check. We are still awaiting the report. I have sent request to the MCA for a potential delivery date. I have had confirmation that this report should be available in time for our next meeting.

**Marine Advisory Committee (MAC)**

Caernarfon Harbour’s MAC met on the 30/9/2025 and the minutes from the meeting are now available to formally report to the Board. The Minutes are available on the Harbour Website. The next MAC meeting is scheduled for Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> February, 2026.

An initial proposal for pontoons alongside the quay wall in the river Seiont and a scrubbing off grid has been shared with circulated alongside a request for consultation to the MAC.



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**NAVIGATION**

The schedule relating to the maintenance of our floating AtoNs has now been completed as per the table below.

No Action this cycle	
Action Due	
Completed this cycle	

AtoN	Date inspected	Action undertaken	Condition (% worn)	Next Inspection
SE Rock Buoy	03/03/25	Deployed	New	03/26
SW Rock Buoy	10/10/25	Deployed	10%	03/26
SWM	10/10/25	Deployed	5-10%	05/26
C1	16/05/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C2	10/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	15%	03/26
C3	11/04/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C4	11/04/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	10%	03/26
C5	11/04/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C6	11/04/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	15%	03/26
Mussel Bank Perch	22/09/25	Inspect	NEW 2024	03/26
C7	10/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	15%	09/26
C8	10/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	09/26
C9 C'fon	21/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	30%	03/26
Change Buoy	12/06/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C10	09/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	5 – 10 %	09/26
C11	03/04/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C12	18/03/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C13	09/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	15%	03/26
Traeth Gwyllt	10/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect,	New	09/26
C14	21/10/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	15%	09/26
Temp Port	12/05/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	New	03/26
C9 Felin	24/09/25	Lift, Clean, Inspect	35%	09/26

The above schedule will be updated during March 2026.



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**NtoMs**

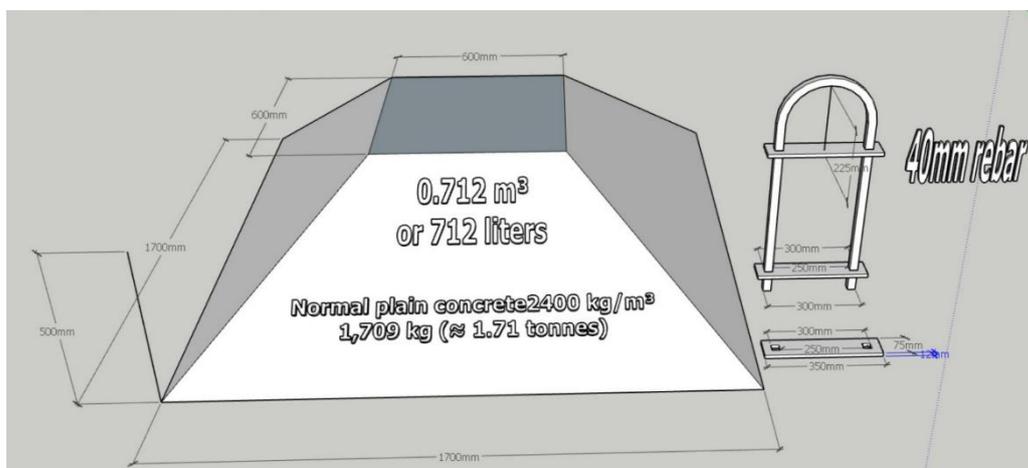
NO NtoMs issued during 2026

YEAR	NOTICE TO MARINERS ISSUED
2014	15
2015	13
2016	9
2017	28
2018	16
2019	29
2020	21
2021	38
2022	21
2023	20
2024	29
2025	32
2026	0

**Moorings**

A number of old ground chains have been removed from the River Seiont and will be repurposed as clump weights for AtoNs

Work has commenced in recovering the outer trot a Y Felinheli. Sinkers have been returned to Caernarfon for pad eye repair work. New sinkers have also been cast to replace lost sinkers. To date 8 new sinkers at 1,700kg have been cast. Its probably up to 16 will be cast to ensure a sufficiency for the future.



All moorings in Y Felinheli will be recovered, repaired and redeployed with new mooring equipment. The entire system will be replaced prior to this season.



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To date almost the entire outer trot has been recovered and the sinkers returned to Caernarfon for repair when necessary. 3 moorings have also been relayed.



**Pilotage**

No Acts of pilotage have been conducted during 2026

**Foryd**

The vessel is afloat and remains available for service.

**Seiont IV**

The vessel has successfully obtained its attestation of annual inspection for a certified vessel for a vessel with a workboat certificate. The next inspection will be based on the Maritime and Coastguard Agency 'Workboat Code Edition 3' the deadline for compliance is 13/12/2026. Preparations are being made and will coincide with the end of 5 year