



Royal Solent Yacht Club
Prince Consort Charity Race, Long Race East
30 May 2026



Safety Briefing for the Prince Consort Charity Race
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- 1 Please be aware at all times of the movement of commercial shipping, including ferries
- 2 It will result in disqualification if a competitor disrupts any commercial shipping
- 3 If a competitor feels they are worried about a commercial vessel, they may use any means to keep out of its way, power, rowing, or a tow, this will not result in a penalty providing it is clear the participant did not gain an advantage
- 4 Cowes Harbour is on VHF Channel 69 and the RSYC Boatmen will be on VHF 72 & 69
- 5 It is probably that the 1st mark may be Gurnard Ledge rounding to Port. Please note if there are any additional buoys, these will be announced on VHF 72 before the start.
- 6 The finish line is off the RSYC Balcony Line
- 7 NHC start time is 0900
- 8 Folkboat, XOD & YOD start time is 0905
- 9 Prizes will be awarded at the Wednesday Evening Prize Giving on 23 September 2026
- 10 A word of caution for the start of this long race; there are big tides at the moment, please do be careful at the start, if you are over the line, it will take you a long time to get back

Signed
Jeremy Willcock, Chief Race Officer

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