

### NOTICE TO MARINERS

# No. 06 of 2023

## Cobh Jailbreak Triathlon

This notice should be read in conjunction with:

• Chart 1777

Mariners are advised that a triathlon event will take place on the Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> of June 2023 located between Spike Island, Cobh and its environs. The swimming component will be in the waters between Spike Island and Cobh. The swimming course will form the first part of the event, with approximately 350 competitors participating.

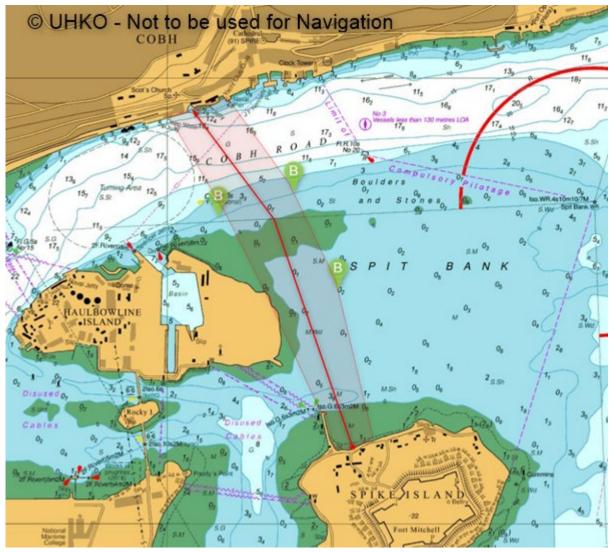
The swimmers will enter the water at the beach near Spike Island Pier at approximately 0945 hrs with the race commencing at 1000 hrs. The course takes the swimmers from Spike Island, across the main navigational channel to the Department of Defence Pier, Cobh. All swimmers are expected to be clear of the water by 1130 hrs.

The swimmers will be accompanied by safety boats and sea-kayaks.

Mariners should keep well clear of the swimmers, reduce boat wash to a minimum when operating in the vicinity and obey the instructions of the safety craft.

The safety boats will maintain a listening watch on VHF channel 12 and 68 for the duration of the event.

Mariners are advised and requested not to cross the swimming route for the duration of the event.



<u>Chart 1777 (extract)</u>

Red line: Course (approximate location)

Green Symbol: denotes Buoys for swimmer guidance (approximate locations)

Shaded area: navigation to be carried out with particular caution

#### BY ORDER,

#### CAPTAIN P. O'REGAN,

#### HARBOUR MASTER.

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