



Local Notice to Mariners 04 / 2026

Recreational Activities

Mariners and Port Users are advised that a variety of recreational activities, including but not limited to:

- Paddleboarding;
- Wild swimming;
- Kayaking;
- Surfing.

Are commonly undertaken in the area bounded by the 5 metre contour line to the North of the North Breakwater (North Harbour).

Mariners and Port Users are advised to proceed with caution when navigating within this area and to maintain a proper lookout, particularly during port approaches and departures.

Vessels capable of creating significant wake and wash at speeds over 5 knots are requested to minimise their speed within 0.2 nautical miles of the North Breakwater (North Harbour) to reduce the risk of large wash waves.

Small vessels must maintain a proper lookout for recreational activities and users to ensure safety and safe operations.

Port of Aberdeen
Marine Department
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Vessel Owners, Operators, Agents, Berth Operators etc should ensure that the contents of this Navigation Notice are made known to the Masters of their vessels.

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