Port of London - River Thames



NOTICE TO MARINERS U35 of 2019

BARN ELMS REACH TO MORTLAKE REACH TRIAL EIGHT RACES

The Boat Race Company will be holding four Trial Eight races between Putney Bridge and Chiswick Bridge at the following times (contingency times are given for poor weather):

Wednesday 11th December 2019 (Oxford Crews)

- First Trial between 11:00 11:30
 - o Contingency 10:00 10:30
- Second Trial between 12:00 -12:30

Monday 16th December 2019 (Cambridge Crews)

- First Trial between 14:45 and 15:15
 - o Contingency 13:00 13:30
- Second Trial between 15:45 and 16:15

Each race will consist of two 'eights' racing with the flood tide from the University Stone at Putney to the Boat Race finish post at Chiswick. These sessions will be followed by up to three launches.

Vessels navigating in the area during these times should take note of the following:

- Rowing vessels will be racing but are also required to navigate in accordance with the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (COLREGS).
- Rowing vessels and coaching launches not involved in the races are to avoid obstructing the races and the following vessels;
- Motor vessels in the area are to be aware of the race and are to navigate with caution, keeping wash to a minimum.

Further details will be broadcast by London VTS on VHF Channel 14.

30 October 2019

Port of London Authority London River House, Royal Pier Road, Gravesend, Kent DA12 2BG

BOB BAKER CHIEF HARBOUR MASTER



EXPIRY DATE: 18th December 2019
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