



**LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS
No.08 of 2026
SPEAR FISHING COMPETITION**

1. On Saturday 27th June, a Spear Fishing competition is taking place between 10:00 and 16:00 BST, in the area around Ringstead Ledge.
2. The east boundary of the competition is in line with Bats Head (50°37'.338N 002°17'.463W, and the west boundary is in line with the Osmington Car Park (50°38'.048N 002°22'.573W).
3. All competitors will be marked with swim floats, and a safety vessel will be patrolling the area.
4. Mariners transiting the area should expect to encounter competitors throughout the time of the competition, and should navigate with utmost caution, keeping a good look out.
5. Owners, Agents, Charterers, Marinas, Yacht Clubs, Recreational Sailing Organisations and Water Sports Associations should ensure that the contents of this notice are made known to the Masters, or persons in charge of their vessels or craft.

**Ed Carter
Weymouth Harbour Master
23rd June 2026**