

VICTORIAN NOTICE TO MARINERS

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LOCAL PORT OF BARWON HEADS

Barwon Heads Triathlon – Barwon River - Sunday 25 February 2024

Date: Effective from 25 February 2024

<u>Details:</u> Mariners are advised of a triathlon swim event in the Barwon River from Ozone

Jetty to the Barwon Heads Vehicle Bridge - Barwon Heads, starting at 8.00am and

finishing at 10.30am on Sunday 25 February 2024.

Buoys will be set out to provide a marked course for competitors to keep to their right. Water safety will be provided by the Ocean Grove Surf Life Saving club. The right hand line of buoys will be placed in approx. 1.5m+ depth on the shoreline side. (see attached map and additional swim event information)

The swim event will be bounded by the following approximate locations (WGS84):

1. 38°16.761'S 144°29.778'E

2. 38°16.768'S 144°29.804'E

3. 38°16.927'S 144°29.719'E

4. 38°16.930'S 144°29.687'E

Mariners are advised to exercise caution when navigating within the vicinity of the Ozone Jetty and Barwon Heads Vehicle Bridge.

Charts & Publications Affected:

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Further Notice: This notice will be self-cancelling. No further Notice will be issued.

This Notice to Mariners is issued by the Barwon Coast Committee of Management Inc. delegated Local Port Manager for the Department of Transport. If you require any further information, please contact Barwon Coast on (03) 5254 1118.

Victorian Notices to Mariners can also be viewed on the Barwon Coast website: www.barwoncoast.com.au or on the Ports Victoria website: ports.vic.gov.au

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The 2022 Barwon Heads Triathlon Course 25-2-2024



Swim Leg - 400m

In 2024 the swim leg will be in the calm, protected waters on the north side of the Barwon Heads Bridge.

The 400m swim starts near the Ozone jetty. Competitors will wade/swim out and turn right at a buoy then swim parallel with the shore-line, never more than 20m or so from the shoreline/sand bar. At the last buoy competitors will turn right and swim towards the shore.

Competitors will the complete a short run along the sand and up in to transition, which is located on the grass field opposite the Barwon Heads Hotel.