

FORTH PORTS LIMITED

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NOTICE TO MARINERS

FIRTH OF FORTH

Cruise Vessels at Anchorages 2024

Reference: Admiralty Chart No 736 & 735.

- 1 The following vessels have been allocated anchorage positions at Hound Point or at the Lima Anchorages, close to Newhaven.

There is a designated position at Hound Point:

- a Position centred on: **56° 00'.34 N 003° 22'.6 W**
- b For vessels less than 275m LOA a further anchorage is available centred on the following position: **56° 00'.29 N 003° 22'.48 W**

There is a designated anchorage, Lima Anchorage, north of Leith bound by the following co-ordinates: **56° 00'.7 N 56° 00'.7 N 56° 00'.2 N 56° 00'.2 N**

003° 09'.1 W 003° 11'.5 W 003° 09'.1 W 003° 11'.5 W

- 2 A pilot will be embarked throughout to ensure the following:
 - a If requested to do so by transiting traffic vessel, remains clear of the main navigational channel as far as it is safe and practicable to do so.
 - b VHF communication is maintained with FTNS and passing vessels.
 - c Remains clear, by 2 cables, of No.19 buoy at all times (Hound Point)

- 3 Hound Point Anchorage:

All vessels over 300m LOA will require one tug fast throughout. All other vessels require one tug fast aft, unless due to the manoeuvring characteristics of the vessel, favourable weather conditions and following an assessment by the Harbour Master the requirement for this tug is deemed unnecessary. The tug however, must remain in stand-by mode and be available for immediate deployment if required.

Transiting traffic will normally pass to the north of the anchored cruise vessel if it is safe and practical to do so and should approach no closer than 200 metres at any time. FTNS will include this requirement with traffic information.

All mariners should note that passenger tenders will be operating between the cruise vessel and Hawse Pier. All Mariners are requested to not obstruct these tenders.

4 Lima Anchorage:

Vessels transiting to/from Leith should only pass when it is agreed that it is safe and practical to do so, and should approach no closer than 150 metres at any time. FTNS will include this requirement with traffic information.

The anchor box detailed above is to allow vessels of varying length and draft to anchor in the position most suited to the available depths on a range of tides. There may be occasion when a vessel will hold station with anchor, thrusters and manoeuvring aids or deploy two anchors, as there may not be a full swing circle at low water. At the Masters' discretion a tug may be utilised over low water periods.

All mariners should note that passenger tenders will be operating between the cruise vessel and Newhaven Harbour. All Mariners are requested to not obstruct these tenders.

5 Vessels engaged in fishing are requested not to obstruct the area of the anchorage with any fishing gear.

6 The current vessel schedule is as follows (this is subject to change).

Newhaven

Date	Anchors at Newhaven	Vessel	LOA (m)	Departs Anchorage
04.06.24	06:30	RENAISSANCE	219.21	04.06.24 20:00
08.06.24	08:00	VIKING SATURN	228.36	08.06.24 17:00
11.06.24	08:00	VIKING VENUS	228.33	11.06.24 18:00
12.06.24	08:00	SEVEN SEAS SPLENDOR	223.88	12.06.24 18:00
17.06.24	08:00	EUROPA 2	225.62	17.06.24 18:00
19.06.24	07:00	SILVER SPIRIT	210.7	19.06.24 22:00
21.06.24	08:00	VIKING SKY	228.3	21.06.24 17:00
22.06.24	07:45	AZAMARA ONWARD	181	22.06.24 13:30
23.06.24	08:00	VIKING SATURN	228.36	23.06.24 18:00
24.06.24	08:00	VIKING NEPTUNE	228.3	24.06.24 17:00
25.06.24	08:00	SILVER SPIRIT	210.7	25.06.24 23:00
28.06.24	07:00	NORWEGIAN DAWN	294.13	28.06.24 20:00
29.06.24	08:00	VIKING SATURN	228.36	29.06.24 18:00
03.07.24	10:45	RENAISSANCE	219.21	03.07.24 22:30
11.07.24	08:00	VIKING SKY	228.3	11.07.24 17:00
14.07.24	07:30	VIKING SATURN	228.4	14.07.24 17:00
17.07.24	07:00	SEVEN SEAS VOYAGER	206.5	17.07.24 19:00
19.07.24	08:00	VIKING SKY	228.3	19.07.24 17:00
20.07.24	07:00	NORWEGIAN DAWN	294.13	20.07.24 19:00
24.07.24	08:00	SEABOURN SOJOURN	198.19	24.07.24 21:00
28.07.24	06:00	SEVEN SEAS NAVIGATOR	172	28.07.24 19:00
29.07.24	12:00	NORWEGIAN DAWN	294.13	29.07.24 21:00
30.07.24	06:30	CARNIVAL LEGEND	292.5	30.07.24 17:00
31.07.24	08:00	EUROPA	198.6	31.07.24 18:00
02.08.24	14:00	VIKING SATURN	228.4	03.08.24 17:00
04.08.24	07:00	SILVER SPIRIT	210.7	04.08.24 22:00
05.08.24	08:00	ROTTERDAM	299.65	05.08.24 17:00
06.08.24	07:30	VASCO DA GAMA	219.21	07.08.24 18:00
08.08.24	08:00	VIKING SKY	228.3	08.08.24 17:00
10.08.24	07:00	SILVER SPIRIT	210.7	10.08.24 23:00
13.08.24	08:00	NORWEGIAN DAWN	294.13	13.08.24 19:00
15.08.24	08:00	AIDABELLA	251.89	15.08.24 18:00
17.08.24	06:30	NORWEGIAN DAWN	294.13	17.08.24 16:45
19.08.24	08:00	VIKING NEPTUNE	228.3	19.08.24 17:00
27.08.24	08:00	SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE	236	27.08.24 20:00

31.08.24	08:00	MARINA	239.3	31.08.24 19:00
04.09.24	10:00	AIDALUNA	252	04.09.24 20:00
08.09.24	08:00	VIKING NEPTUNE	228.3	08.09.24 17:00
12.09.24	08:00	VIKING VENUS	228.33	12.09.24 17:00
17.09.24	07:00	SEVEN SEAS SPLENDOR	223.88	17.09.24 21:00
18.09.24	08:00	SEABOURN SOJOURN	198.19	18.09.24 21:00
25.09.24	07:00	SEVEN SEAS SPLENDOR	223.88	25.09.24 19:00
27.09.24	09:00	NORWEGIAN STAR	294.13	27.09.24 18:00

South Queensferry

Date	Anchors at South Queensferry	Vessel Name	LOA (m)	Departs Anchorage
29.05.24	08:00	NIEUW STATENDAM	299.65	29.05.24 23:00
05.06.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	05.06.24 19:00
10.06.24	07:00	COSTA FAVOLOSA	289.65	11.06.24 15:00
13.06.24	08:00	JEWEL OF THE SEAS	293.2	13.06.24 18:00
17.06.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	17.06.24 19:00
18.06.24	07:45	NIEUW STATENDAM	299.65	19.06.24 17:00
20.06.24	07:45	ROTTERDAM	299.65	20.06.24 17:00
27.06.24	07:45	ZUIDERDAM	285.42	27.06.24 18:00
28.06.24	07:00	CORAL PRINCESS	294	28.06.24 19:00
29.06.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	29.06.24 19:00
02.07.24	07:00	CELEBRITY SILHOUETTE	319	02.07.24 16:00
03.07.24	07:00	JEWEL OF THE SEAS	293.2	03.07.24 19:00
11.07.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	11.07.24 19:00
16.07.24	07:45	NIEUW STATENDAM	299.65	17.07.24 18:00
18.07.24	10:45	ROTTERDAM	299.65	18.07.24 23:59
23.07.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	23.07.24 19:00
26.07.24	06:45	CARIBBEAN PRINCESS	289.56	26.07.24 19:00
27.07.24	07:00	COSTA FAVOLOSA	289.65	27.07.24 18:00
03.08.24	06:30	REGAL PRINCESS	330	03.08.24 19:00
15.08.24	07:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	15.08.24 19:00
21.08.24	07:30	NIEUW STATENDAM	299.65	22.08.24 16:00
28.08.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	28.08.24 19:00
01.09.24	08:00	QUEEN MARY 2	345.03	01.09.24 18:00
05.09.24	07:45	NIEUW STATENDAM	299.65	05.09.24 17:00
08.09.24	08:45	CARIBBEAN PRINCESS	289.56	08.09.24 21:00
09.09.24	06:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	09.09.24 19:00
12.09.24	09:00	COSTA FAVOLOSA	289.65	13.09.24 18:00
21.09.24	07:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	21.09.24 19:00
01.10.24	06:45	NORWEGIAN STAR	294.13	01.10.24 18:00
03.10.24	07:45	REGAL PRINCESS	330	03.10.24 19:00

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