# Timekeeper Instructions PCC Racing 2022/23 Club Racing Series

### Before the race:

- Collect OOD box from the marina office and check contents (see below)
- Charge radios
- Drive to starting area
- Turn on a radio and set to CH37 / M1
- Announce yourself as 'PCC Timekeeper' and ask competitors to register for race
- Note competitors on Race Form
- Await instruction from the Officer Of the Day ('PCC Race Control') on course and start time

## The race:

- Provide warnings (with countdown) at 5, 4 and 1 minute before the start
- Recall anyone that crosses the line early (e.g. 'xxxxx' you were over the line, please return to the other side of line and restart the race)

### After the race:

- Provide a copy of the finish times to the Race Officer (there's no need to calculate the results)
- Return OOD box to the marina office

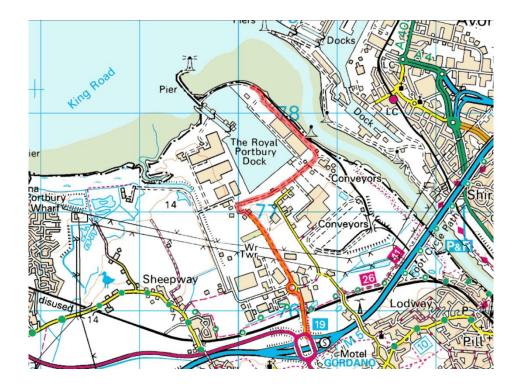
### **Useful Contacts:**

- Bristol VTS: 01179 822257
- Sailing Sub-committee:
  - o Nick Duppa-Miller (J Star): 07977 414575
  - o Simon Britten (Hero): 07809 837442

## **Box Contents:**

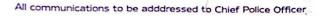
- x2 Handheld VHF radios and chargers
- Calculator
- Assorted clocks and stopwatches
- Folder with Race Forms
- Assorted pens and pencils
- Binoculars

# River starts:



To reach the starting area follow the red line through the industrial estate, into the port and park in vicinity of the red circle (or blue for light airs start, green if using the Cockburn line). You may need to show the approval letter on entering the port. Aim to be at junction 19 around an hour before the start. To avoid creating a security alert, stay close to your vehicle and only get out of it with good reason





Port of Bristol Police



Telephone (0117) 982 0000 Fax (0117) 938 0205 Royal Portbury Dock Portbury Bristol BS20 9XU

Mr KS Melmoth
Portishead Cruising Club
Pump Square
Pill
Bristol
BS20 0BG

28th April 1998

Dear Mr Melmoth

Thank you for your letter dated 24th April in which you seek permission to enter Royal Portbury Dock to start races.

I am pleased to grant permission but advise that your members enter at their own risk, and are required to wear hi viz jackets and hard hats.

Yours sincerely

R Wilson

Chief Police Officer

cc: Captain John Morgan, Deputy Haven Master

# PORTISHEAD CRUISING CLUB RACE OFFICER FORM

Race:		
Start Time: HW Time: Win	d Speed / Dir:	
Course:		
Boat Name	Finish Time	