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Diving Survey at Ghajn Tuffieha Bay

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, notifies mariners that a diving survey will be carried out at Ghajn Tuffieha Bay.

The diving survey will be carried out within the hatched area, as shown on the attached chart.

The diving survey is scheduled for Tuesday, 18 August 2026. The survey will be conducted by divers from a vessel anchored outside of the area, displaying the International Code of Signals Flag "A".

A safety distance of 100m from the above-mentioned positions is to be kept, while the diving survey is being carried out. Vessels are to navigate with caution and at a slow speed in the vicinity of the survey area.

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta will accept no Liabilities whatsoever for any vessels that are left lying in the area on the above-mentioned dates and times.

Masters and operators of vessels are advised to keep a sharp look-out, navigate with caution and at very slow speed and give the indicated areas a wide berth.

They are also to comply with any instructions given on VHF channel **12** and/or **16** by Marsaxlokk VTS and to co-operate with the contractor on site.

Charts affected: **BA 2537, 2538**

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