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Christmas charity swim at Il-Bajja ta' San Giljan

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta notifies that a Christmas charity swim will be held on Sunday 29th December 2019. The swim is estimated to commence at 0930 hours and will finish at approximately 1230 hours local time.

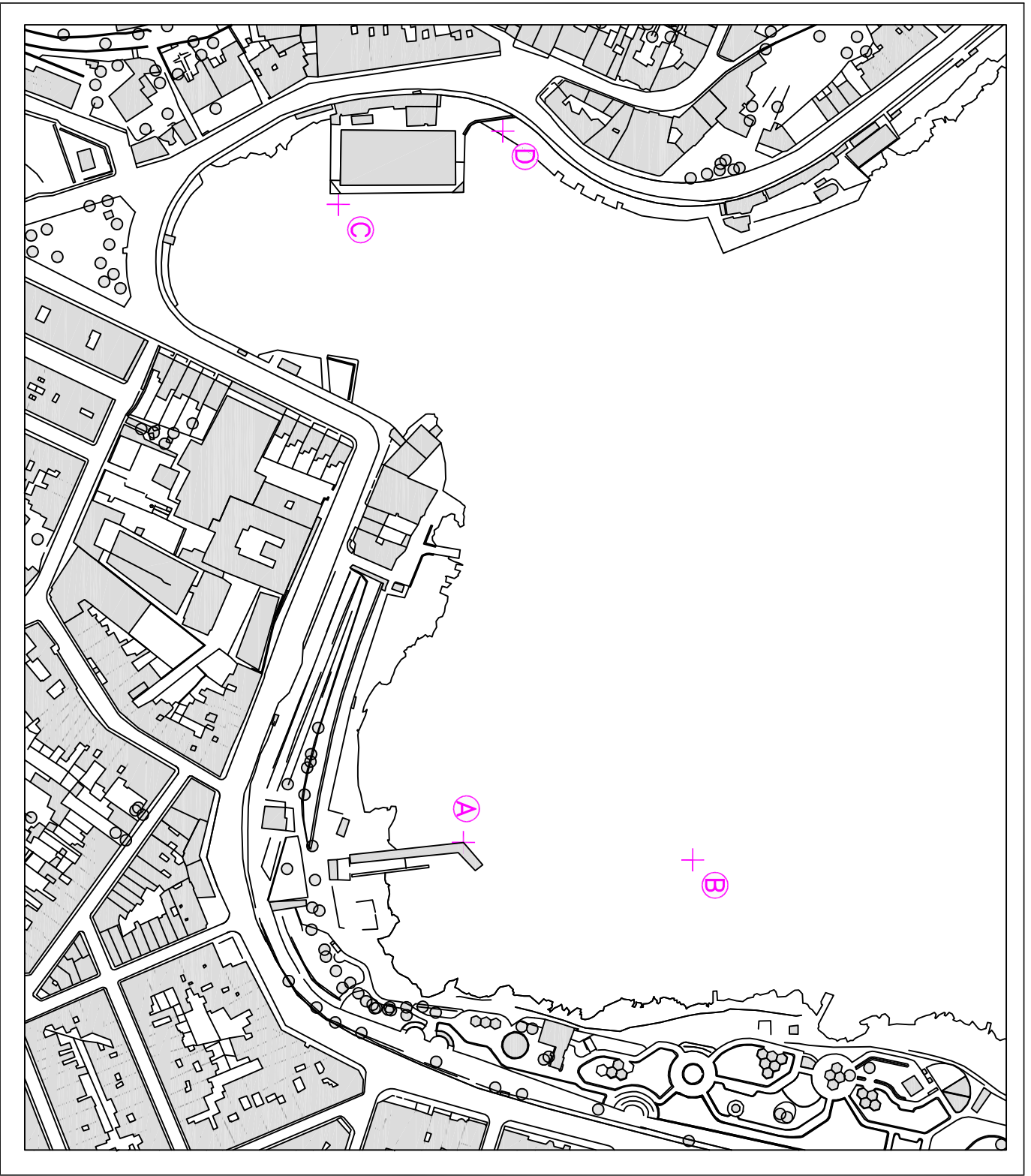
The Christmas charity swim will be held in Il-Bajja ta' San Giljan. The swimmers will start from off the pier by Independence Garden (point A) swim to an inflatable billboard (point B) and return to point A as shown on attached chart.

Support vessels will accompany the participating swimmers.

If the weather conditions are not good for the swim to take place, it will instead be held near the Neptunes waterpolo club on the same date and time. In this case the swimmers will jump from the southern part of the Neptunes waterpolo club (point C) and swim towards the billboard (point D) which will be placed on the rocks near the railings to indicate the exit point.

Mariners are advised to keep a sharp lookout and navigate well clear of the area during the stipulated date and time, giving the swimmers a wide berth. They are to comply with any instructions as communicated by the Valletta Port Control (Valletta VTS) on VHF Channel 12, support vessels and any enforcement agency in the area.

Charts affected: **BA 177, 2538**



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