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Birzebbuga Sailing Club - MODA ILCA Regatta 2023

The Ports and Yachting Directorate, Transport Malta, hereby notifies mariners that the Birżebbuġa Sailing Club shall be holding the MODA ILCA Regatta 2023 between Saturday 2nd December 2023 and Sunday 3rd December 2023.

Races shall take place between 0900 hours and 1700 hours (local time) on both days.

Class races shall take place over two (2) adjacent upwind / downwind courses, centred in the selected sailing area depending on the prevailing weather conditions. See attached chart showing areas A, B and C.

The courses, around which the competitors shall have to sail, shall be defined by orange inflatable marks (waypoints) of about 1.5 meters in height.

Races will take place, only when no merchant vessel traffic is scheduled to enter or to depart, from the Malta Freeport Terminals.

Masters of all craft, not directly involved in any of these events, are asked to keep clear of the racing areas, especially at each of the turning marks. All mariners are to observe any instructions that may be given by the Race Organisers safety crafts and on VHF Channels 14 and/or 16 by Marsaxlokk VTS.

Charts effected: BA 36, 2538



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