



**FALMOUTH
HARBOUR**

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Notice to Mariners

No. 20 of 2026

Sunbeam Championships 2026

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Sunbeam Championships will be held in Falmouth from the 4th to the 6th of September 2026. This event is being organised by the Royal Cornwall Yacht Club and it will involve 13 sunbeam class keelboats.

Courses will be windward/leeward as described in the sailing instructions. Races will be approximately 50 minutes in duration. Racing will take place in Falmouth Bay or adjacent waters to the east. If conditions in the Bay are unsuitable, racing may be held within the Fal estuary.

The race committee may make use of marine VHF channel 77 to make announcements to competitors, including during the pre-start period.

Mariners are requested to navigate with caution during this period and are reminded of Falmouth Harbour Byelaw 13 which requires masters of small craft to avoid obstructing or impeding racing vessels.

This notice is self-cancelling after the completion of the event.

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