

Port of Garston

NOTICE TO MARINERS No 003 of 2024

SOUND OFF IN SUPPORT OF RNLI 200

On Monday 4 March 2024, the Royal National Lifeboat Institution (RNLI) – the charity that saves lives at sea, will celebrate its 200th anniversary.

The charity has a remarkable 200-year story – from oar-powered boats to the modern boats used today; from introducing the first lifeboats on the River Thames to rolling-out a lifeguard service on over 240 UK beaches; from running the UK’s biggest drowning prevention campaigns to working with others overseas.

Funded by voluntary donations, and with lifeboats crewed by specially-trained volunteers, the RNLI is a truly unique rescue organisation that has saved over 144,000 lives since 1824.

In appreciation for the RNLI and its volunteers in all roles, from the fund raisers to the launchers and the crew, in all of its stations, we invite you to sound your horns in unison – one continuous blast - at 1200 hrs on Monday 4th March 2024.'

Steve Hearn
Marine Manager
& RNLI Crew (Retired)

15th February 2024