

Cruising Association East Coast Spring Rally 2025

Passage Challenge Instructions

The Passage Challenge is based on predicting your Time of Arrival at the RHYC.

Open to Sailing and Motor Yachts, Motor Homes, Caravans, Cars and Cyclists too, just follow the rules below, and remember anyone can win!

1. The passage must be at least 30 minutes duration and be completed on Saturday 3rd May.
2. Plan a passage to RHYC, Woolverstone. The finish lines are as follows:
 - Boats: The Race Line which is marked by the white race hut on the Club lawn & 2 white posts on the Nacton shore, approx. 52° 00.44'N 001° 12'E.
 - By road, the finish line is on Marina Drive by the first entrance to the RHYC carpark, location by What3Words: /// reviewed.handlebar.warmers.
3. **As you start your passage** text 07757 218690, giving:
 - Your name,
 - The name of boat or vehicle registration,
 - The time at which you predict reaching the finish line as hh.mm.ss, e.g. 13.45.00.
 - Time reference: Internet 'phone time.
4. If arriving by boat, to obtain information about the berth we have reserved for you, please call our Berth Master, on Channel 80, or 07742 145994, as you pass Pin Mill or pass under the Orwell Bridge.
5. **Notification of imminent arrival:** Fifteen minutes before you expect to arrive at Woolverstone please call 07757 218690.
6. **As you cross the line** text us to say that you have arrived, and the time of your arrival, we shall be watching from a distance! Seconds do count!
7. The winner is the team which arrives closest to their predicted time, without stopping or reversing on the way. For those arriving by boat, bonus points are given for not using the engine in the last 30 minutes of the passage.
8. The judge's decision is final.

The winner will be announced at the Sunday evening Rally Dinner.

Any questions to Suffolk@theca.org.uk

Simon and Georgette 07757 218690