



## Information for Competitors

### **Berthing in the basin & Canal Transits**

Scottish Canals have very generously offered a 10% discount on boats berthing in the canal basin at Crinan over Friday and Saturday nights as well as a 10% discount on those transiting the canal or leaving their boat there until West Highland Yachting Week. Berthing in the canal **must** be booked in advance before the event on a first come/first served basis – you can book your berth or canal transit by emailing Scottish Canals at [transitcrinan@scottishcanals.co.uk](mailto:transitcrinan@scottishcanals.co.uk) and quoting the Autism on the Water regatta. Shore Power is available at £5.00 per day.

### **Moorings**

Moorings are available at a discounted rate on a first come/first serve basis by the Crinan Boatyard. Please telephone them on 01546 830232 for more information.

### **Anchoring**

Anchoring is permitted off the Crinan Lighthouse and Pier – please ensure that when you are anchoring that you are not interfering with boats that are racing.

### **Accommodation**

Crinan and the surrounding areas of nearby Lochgilphead, Ardrishaig, Kilmartin etc have a number of hotels/B&Bs/self-catering/backpacker accommodation available. It is advisable to book in advance due to it being high season. Please be advised that some of the location of the accommodation is not regularly served by public transport and own transport or local taxis maybe needed.

*Crinan Hotel – Tel: 01546 830261*

*Crinan Canal Cottage – Tel: 07831 259990*

*Shelburne Lodge, Cairnbaan – Tel: 01369 706591*

*Kilmartin Hotel, Kilmartin – Tel: 01546 510250*

*Argyll Backpackers, Ardrishaig – Tel: 07786 157727*

*The Empire Travelodge, Lochgilphead – Tel: 01546 602381*

*The Grey Gull Hotel, Ardrishaig – Tel: 01546 606017*

### **Local Transport**

*KJ Cars – Tel: 07970 158406*

*Tarbert Cars – Tel: 07930 884851*

West Coast Motors - <https://www.argyll-bute.gov.uk/roads-and-travel/public-transport/timetables-directory/timetable/425426-lochgilphead-achnamara>

### **Sail Repairs**

*Owen Sails by Oban & W B Leitch & Son, Tarbert are the nearest sailmakers in the area for any sail repairs. Owen Sails can be contacted on 01631 720485 and W B Leitch & Son, Tarbert on 01880 820287 – collection and delivery maybe possible, please discuss with them.*

### **Chandlery**

*Crinan Boatyard has a well-stocked chandlery as well as engineers and general boat repairs. The chandlery also stocks basic groceries, fruit and vegetables.*

### **Fuel**

*Fuel can be purchased from Crinan Boatyard and also the two filling stations in Lochgilphead – the Riverside filling station and Tesco Express Esso filling station.*