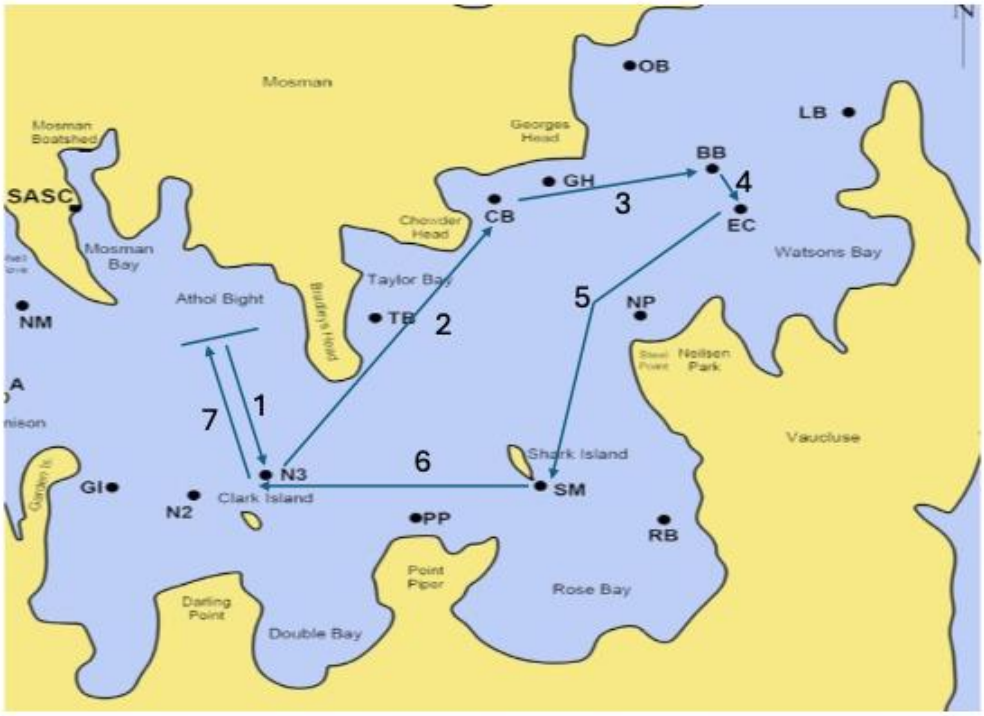
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Gaffers Day – Sunday 11th October 2026

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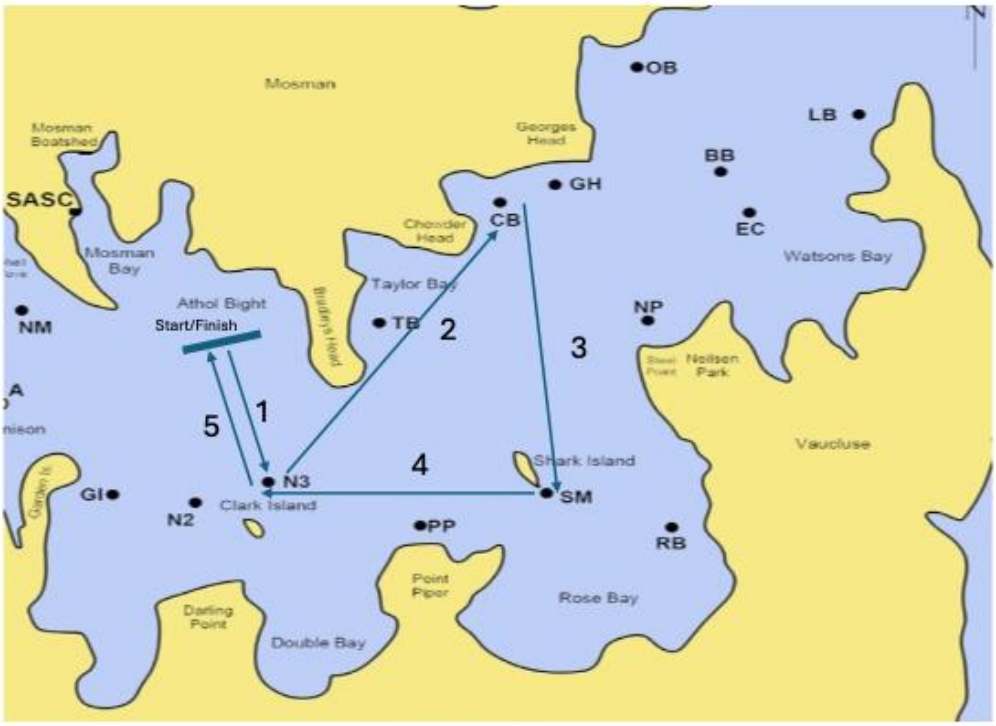
Course A – Gaff1, Ranger, Couta, Historic 18' Skiff



(A)	Start - Athol Bight	N3(P)-CB-BB-EC-SM-N3	Finish - Athol Bight

Mark	Description
BB	Beashel Mark – AS NSW buoy, South-West of Sow & Pigs reef
CB	Chowder Bay Mark – AS NSW buoy, North-West of Chowder Head
EC	YA buoy, approx. 100 m West of the Eastern Channel Pile Light
LB	Lady Bay Mark – AS NSW buoy, West of Lady Bay
N3	Naval Buoy No. 3 – Approximately 200m East-North-East of Clarke Island
OB	Obelisk Bay Mark – AS NSW buoy in Obelisk Bay
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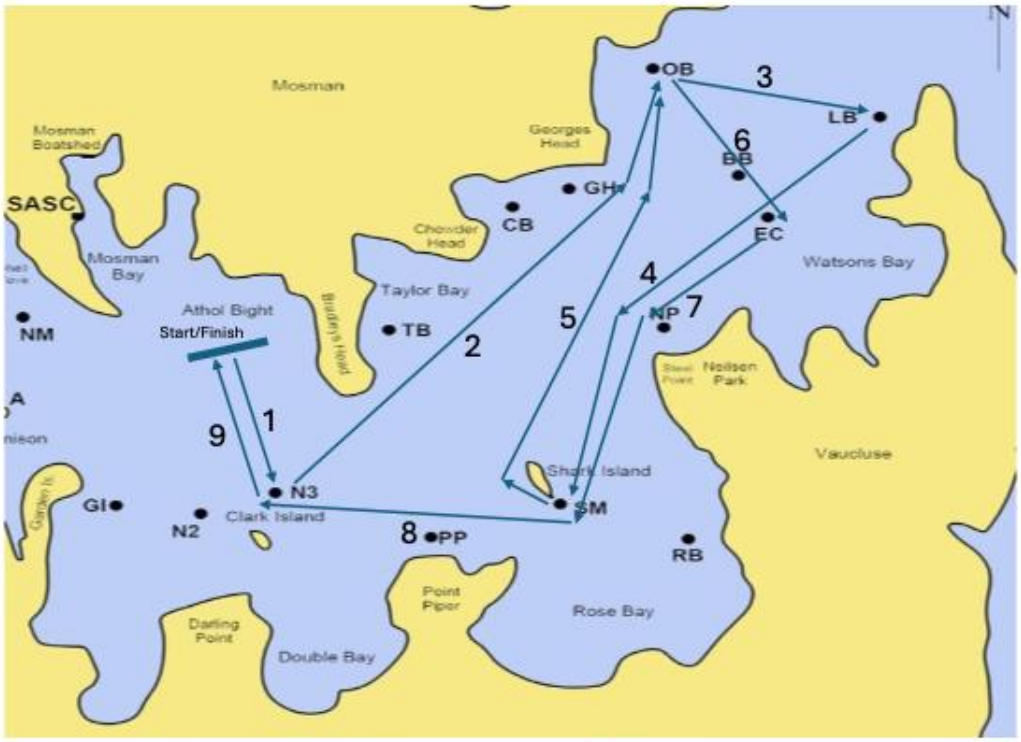
Course B – Gaff2, Cygnet



(B)	Start - Athol Bight	N3(P)-CB-SM-N3	Finish - Athol Bight

Mark	Description
BB	Beashel Mark – AS NSW buoy, South-West of Sow & Pigs reef
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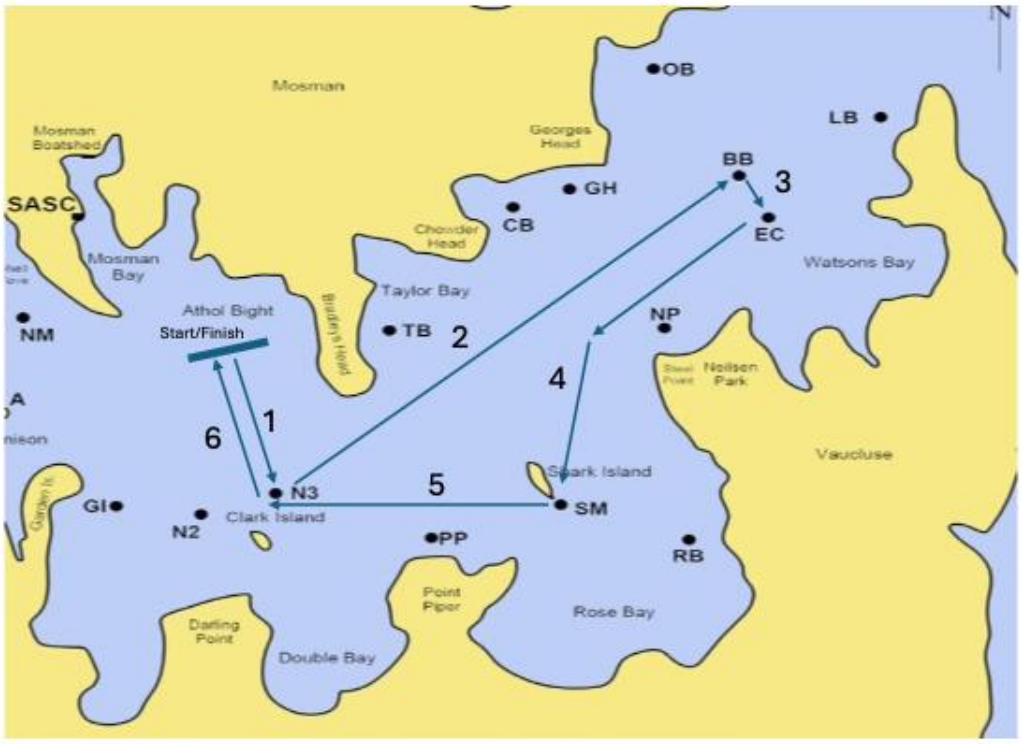
Course C – Bermudian Division 1, Metre Boat, E30



(C)	Start - Athol Bight	N3(P)-OB-LB-SM-BB-EC-SM-N3	Finish - Athol Bight

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BB	Beashel Mark – AS NSW buoy, South-West of Sow & Pigs reef
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Course D – Bermudian Division 2



(D)	Start - Athol Bight	N3(P)-BB-EC-SM-N3	Finish - Athol Bight

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BB	Beashel Mark – AS NSW buoy, South-West of Sow & Pigs reef
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