



# Notice to Competitors

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## Temporary Mark located near Bradley's Head

MHYC Competitors and Members are advised that the NSW Port Authority has posted Local Marine Notice 018-2024 - [Navigation Aid Positioning Trial](#).

It states in part...

*“Mariners are advised that between 20 August 2024 and 30 September 2024, a yellow buoy will be temporarily installed between Bradleys Head and Shark Island as part of a trial to scope the positioning of a proposed ‘Special Mark’ buoy.”*

*“The temporary buoy may be moved within the designated area during this trial period without prior notice. Mariners should keep well clear and navigate with caution.”*

This trial is to evaluate the possible removal of the existing fairway buoy (KFC Mark) at Bradley's Head, which is an obstacle for large ships, and its replacement with a Special Mark located approximately 200m South-East which other commercial shipping (including Ferries) would pass to port.

Please navigate with caution when sailing or motoring in this area during September and be aware that commercial vessels may be rounding the temporary mark when travelling East.

**David Staley**

MHYC Sailing Manager

4 September 2024 at 1000hrs

# Local Marine Notice 018-2024

## Sydney Harbour

### Navigation Aid Positioning Trial

**Mariners are advised** that between 20 August 2024 and 30 September 2024, a yellow buoy will be temporarily installed between Bradley Heads and Shark Island as part of a trial to scope the positioning of a proposed 'Special mark' buoy in the area depicted in this local marine notice.

The scoping activity will include the temporary placement of a yellow buoy over a period of hours and days in the area depicted below. There may be a Transport for New South Wales vessel in the vicinity of the temporarily placed buoy.

The temporary buoy may be moved within the designated area during this trial period without prior notice. Mariners should keep well clear and navigate with caution.

### Bouy Placement Area



Area of Temporary Special Mark buoy placement

For a list of Local Marine Notices currently in force, please see:

[Local Marine Notices | Port Authority New South Wales \(portauthoritynsw.com.au\)](https://portauthoritynsw.com.au)