

EYEMOUTH HARBOUR

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS No.7 of 2026

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Restriction on Out-of-Hours Supply of Rebated Fuel

Please be advised that, with immediate effect, rebated fuel will no longer be available outside staffed operating hours at Eyemouth Harbour fuel facility.

This change is required to comply with statutory obligations placed on suppliers of controlled oil, which require verification of both customer eligibility and lawful use prior to fuel being dispensed.

Provision of fuel at unattended times would necessitate continuous real-time monitoring and intervention capability, equivalent to a 24-hour manned operation, which is not practicable. Failure to comply with these legal requirements carries significant penalties and may result in withdrawal of authorisation to supply rebated fuel altogether.

All users are requested to plan accordingly and ensure fuel is obtained during staffed hours, 0600 hours to 1900 hours weekdays and 0900 to 1700 weekends.

We will require a minimum of 24 hours' notice must be given for any fuel requests between 1900–2100. Vessels can book in for fuel up until 2100hrs although an out of hours charge will be applied for any vessels wanting fuel outside of working hours as EHT staff will need to attend to authorise the fuel delivery. This charge will be £70 per callout.

We apologise for any inconvenience caused and thank you for your cooperation.

NOTE: Working Hours are summarised below:

Weekdays: 0600 to 1900

Weekends: 0900 to 1700

By order of the Harbour Master

Brendan Bates

Eyemouth Harbour Trust