

Mahina Expeditions
Leg 1 – 2025 May 11 - 20 10 Days
Oban to Stornoway

DATE	LOCATION - ARRIVE & DEPART	DEPART TIME	MILES	HRS	ACTIVITIES	CLASS
Sun. May 11	Dep Oban Arr Loch Aline	1700 2000	15	3	Gorgeous quiet and protected anchorage	Safety orientation, Harness procedures, Line procedures, Hoisting & reefing main, Anchoring orientation
Mon. May 12	Dep Loch Aline Arr Kilchoan Bay	1100 1600	18	3	Hiking and exploring castle ruins	Programming & using MFD, AIS, Rig high lifelines, Watch standing, Position plotting, Collision avoidance, Lifesling, Calculating tides & currents
Tues May 13	Dep Kilchoan Arr Iona	1000 1400	28	4	Visit Iona's historic monastery	Marine Weather I, Rig check & spares, Lifesling overboard retrieval
Wed May 14	Dep Iona Arr Barra	0600 1800	60	12	Visit Kisimul Castle, seat of Clan MacNeil's pirate base	Marine weather II, Radar, Collision Avoidance, Storm tactics, Celestial navigation
Thurs. May 15	Explore Barra		36	6	Explore this small island perched on the edge	Anchoring worldwide, Cruising medicine
Fri. May 16	Weather Day		40	7	Who knows where we'll sail today!	Diesel engines: fuel & cooling systems, Going aloft for rig inspection
Sat. May 17	Dep Barra Arr St Kilda	0500 1700	75	12	Hopefully get to hike and explore this Holy Grail of cruisers	Sail design & trim
Sun. May 18	Dep St Kilda Arr Loch Finsbay	1000 1800	48	8	Challenging navigation and piloting	Electrical power systems, Refrigeration, Watermakers
Mon. May 19	Dep Loch Finsbay Arr Stornoway	0800 1500	40	7	Graduation dinner ashore	Selecting an ocean cruising boat PowerPoint and dock walk, Docking practice and fueling
Tues. May 20	Depart Cloud Nine	0800			Tidy boat, pack bags	Off to new adventures!
Total Mileage: 395						