

Mahina Expeditions
Leg 3 – 2025 June 2 - 11 10 Days
Kirkwall to Stornoway, Scotland

DATE	LOCATION - ARRIVE & DEPART	DEPART TIME	MILES	HRS	ACTIVITIES	CLASS
Mon, June 2	Dep Kirkwall Arr Balfour, Shapinsay Island	1700 1800	3	1	Gorgeous quiet and protected anchorage	Safety orientation, Harness procedures, Line procedures, Hoisting & reefing main, Anchoring orientation
Tues, June 3	Dep Balfour, Arr Whitehall, Stronsay Island	1100 1500	20	4	Hiking and exploring castle ruins	Programming & using MFD, AIS, Rig high lifelines, Watch standing, Position plotting, Collision avoidance, Lifesling, Calculating tides & currents
Wed, June 4	Dep Stronsay Arr N. Ronaldsay	1200 1500	18	3	Explore lighthouse, visit seaweed eating sheep	Marine Weather I, Rig check & spares, Lifesling overboard retrieval
Thurs, June 5	Weather day					Marine weather II, Radar, Collision Avoidance, Storm tactics, Celestial navigation
Fri, June 6	Dep N. Ronaldsay Arr Fair Isle.	0800 1600	45	8	Knitwear, bird observatory and Stevenson lighthouse	Anchoring worldwide, Cruising medicine
Sat, June 7	Dep Fair Isle Arr Shetland	0900 1400	26	5	Morning run and swim before setting sail!	Diesel engines: fuel & cooling systems, Going aloft for rig inspection
Sun, June 8	Dep Shetland	0800	200	?	Overnight passage	Sail design & trim, Docking practice
Mon, June 9	At sea	At sea			Overnight passage	Electrical power systems, Refrigeration, Watermakers
Tues, June 10	Arr Stornoway	1100			Graduation dinner ashore	Selecting an ocean cruising boat PowerPoint and dock walk, Docking practice and fueling
Wed, June 11	Depart Cloud Nine	0800			Tidy boat, pack bags	Off to new adventures!
Total Mileage: 310						