

Mahina Expeditions
Leg 4 – 2025 June 2 – 11, 2025
Lerwick, Shetland to Kirkwall, Orkney

DATE	LOCATION - ARRIVE & DEPART	DEPART TIME	MILES	HRS	ACTIVITIES	CLASS
Mon. June 2	Lerwick, Shetland				Quiet first night, preparing to set sail	Safety orientation, Harness procedures, Line procedures, Hoisting & reefing main, Anchoring orientation
Tues. June 3	Dep Lerwick Arr Grutness	0900 1400	25	5	Hiking and exploring small village and Stevenson lighthouse	Programming & using MFD, AIS, Rig high lifelines, Watch standing, Position plotting, Collision avoidance, Lifesling, Calculating tides & currents
Wed. June4	Dep Grutness Arr Fair Isle	0800 1200	28	4	Visit bird observatory, check out seaweed sheep	Marine Weather I, Rig check & spares, Lifesling overboard retrieval
Thurs. June 5	Weather Day				Make the trap rounds with scientists, Stevenson light	Marine weather II, Radar, Collision Avoidance, Storm tactics, Celestial navigation
Friday June 6	Dep Fair Isle Arr N. Ronaldsay	0800 1300	32	5	Open water passage	Anchoring worldwide, Cruising medicine
Sat. June 7	Dep N. Ronaldsay Arr Pierowall, Westray Island	0800 1400	25	6	Challenging currents and navigation, great dinner ashore, Hume Sweet Hume	Diesel engines: fuel & cooling systems, Going aloft for rig inspection
Sunday June 8	Dep Pierowall Arr Rousay	0800 1300	30	5	More challenging navigation, cool island	Sail design & trim, Docking practice
Mon. June 9	Dep Rousay Arr Stronsay	1400 1700	15	3	Beach exploring	Electrical power systems, Refrigeration, Watermakers
Tues. June10	Dep Shapinsay Arr Kirkwall	0800 1100	16	3	Graduation dinner ashore	Selecting an ocean cruising boat PowerPoint and dock walk, Docking practice and fueling
Wed June11	Depart Cloud Nine	0800			Tidy boat, pack bags	Off to new adventures!
Total Mileage: 180						