



Tarbert Harbour
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Tarbert Harbour Accidents & Incidents Report 2017-18

There was a total of 3 incidents and 1 accident this reporting year (01 April 2017 – 31 March 2018). This compares to 3 incidents and 2 accidents the previous year (2016/17) and 5 incidents and 0 accidents in 2015/16.

Incidents:

1. 30 June 2017 – When leaving the harbour, yacht 'Enigma' met a fishing vessel, overcompensated on a change of course and hit the perch. Yacht returned to the harbour and on inspection at the drying out berth, no damage was found, and the yacht resumed its voyage.
2. 18 Oct 2017 – Norwegian fish carrier was berthed at East Pier when it sank at its berth overnight. Fire brigade and coastguard were in attendance. Vessel had breeched its hull by rubbing against a bolt on the jetty. Vessel had not rigged any fenders which would have prevented this incident. Vessel subsequently towed to Norway for repair.
3. 14 Jan 2018 – Fishing vessel 'Stella Maris' caught fire whilst berthed at the fish quay. Fire extinguished by fire brigade. Electrical fire. Vessel was written off by insurance and detained by the MAIB.

Accidents:

1. 22 Oct 2017 – Member of staff fell in sea whilst conducting pontoon inspection. No injuries.