

Welcome to MAT's Crossword No 5.

Volunteer Roger Burns has included clues which touches on, inter alia, Marine Protected Areas in Scotland and Wales, and for England, Protected Wrecks, Protected Military Remains and Scheduled Monuments. Some crashed aircraft are included and they, by default, have automatic Protection by law. Clues include other maritime wrecks, maritime and nautical terms, and the usual "link" clues. Answers will appear next month and Good Luck.

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3. & 95A and 68A. Means by which one can view online a series of submerged wrecks etc (7, 4, 5)
10. Any uninterrupted stream or discharge (4)
11. HMS _____, a 90-gun 2nd Rate Ship of the Line, launched 1697, wrecked 1707 in the Scillies (11)
12. Conveys liquids; OR used for smoking (4)
14. SS _____, torpedoed and sunk 2/02/1918 south of Worthing; OR a type of orange (5)
15. Unit of imperial measurement (4)
16. Directed; OR guided. (7)
18. In _____, a state of having an obligation (4)
20. SS _____, a cargo steamer torpedoed and sunk 12/02/1918 9 miles W by S½S from St Catherine's Point. Only one survivor. (7)
21. A male ferret (3)
24. The leading units moving at the head of an army. (8)
25. & 9D. English East Indiaman, wrecked 1809 in the Goodwin Sands. (7,7)
29. Panel forming the lower part of an interior wall (4)
30. Cause to separate into pieces, usually by force (5)
32. Leaves fall in this season. (6)
33. See 48D.
34. A long line or cable reaching from the bow of the vessel to the masthead, supporting the mast (8)
35. The _____ Wreck. Named after the area where it sank in 1530, an anchorage in Plymouth Sound. (10)
38. Flower arrangement, often placed on a coffin or against a memorial. (6)
39. Resort harbour town within the Argyll and Bute council area. (4)
41. & 28D. A device used to transfer people from one ship to another or to rescue people from a wrecked or sinking ship by moving them to another ship or to the shore. (8,4)
43. Condition in which the hull of a vessel bends upward such that the ends of the keel are lower than the middle (7)
49. HMSM _____ which was one of the first to carry a periscope, sank in August 1912 off Bexhill. (7,1)
52. An implement used in the practice of a vocation (4)
53. The _____ wreck, from the 13th century which sank in Swash Channel, Poole Bay. (6)
54. See 1D.
55. RN submarine _____, with fireless steam engine, sunk February 1880, off Rhyl, North Wales. (8)
56. RN Submarine _____, lost April 1951 off Alderney while on exercises. (6)
58. Boundary line; OR give in small portions. (4)
59. Completely lacking in playfulness (5)
61. A domain ruled by a King or Queen (5)
63. Iconic British WW2 aeroplane (8)
65. Title _____; OR a brave _____ (4)
66. HMS _____, French warship launched 1744, taken over as a War Prize by the RN three years later, sank 1758 in the Solent. (10)
67. & 37D. A US Liberty ship which sank August 1944 on a sandbank east of the Isle of Grain. (7,10)
68. See 3A.
70. Operating or living on land and in water (10)
72. A domesticated gallinaceous bird thought to be descended from the red jungle _____ (4)
73. Salty. (6)

1. & 54A. 15th century flagship of King Henry V, launched 1418, burned after a lightning strike. (5,4)
2. HMS _____, an example of 80D, used thus at Zeebrugge on 23/04/1918. (8)
3. HMS _____, a WW2 U-class submarine lost off Lochranza, Isle of Arran, eventually found in June 1994. (6)
4. Dangerous to swimmers, type of tidal flow (3)
5. Too much of this and you won't remain 59A. (3)
6. Opposite to Stop! (2)
7. Left side; OR fortified wine. (4)
8. 19th or early 20th century method of joining plates of metal hulled vessels. (5)
9. See 25A.
10. SS _____, 1855 Turkish wreck, 18.43 km south-east of St Catherine's Point and now a Scheduled Monument. (5)
13. Scottish vessel built 1855 purchased by American Confederate agents but collided with the Chanticleer in 1862 and sank in the Upper Clyde. (1,1,4)
17. & 42D. Term applied to small fast sailing vessels historically built on the mid-Atlantic seaboard of the USA, typically used as coastal traders along USA coastlines and the Caribbean Islands. (9,7)
19. MV _____ Japanese built 1975 tanker which ran aground off Shetland in 1993 during a record storm for the North Atlantic. (5)
22. HMS _____, WW2 destroyer torpedoed and sunk by enemy aircraft off Portland, Dorset. (8)
23. German multirole combat aircraft, crashed off the IoW in April 1941. (7)
26. Subatomic particle. (3)
27. See 48D.
28. See 41A.
31. See 76D
35. Angle in a vessel's hull; OR a geographical feature typically found on the Isle of Wight coast (5)
36. British fighter bomber, crashed off IoW June 1944; OR a tropical cyclone in western Pacific or Indian oceans. (7)
37. See 67A.
38. Small songbird; OR famous British church architect (4)
40. Typically, a flat-bottomed barge used to transfer goods and passengers to and from moored ships (7)
42. See 17D
44. Sleeping accommodation on board a ship (5)
45. Fraudulent breach of duty by the master of a ship that injures the owner of the ship or its cargo; includes stealing or sinking or deserting the ship or embezzling the cargo. (8)
46. The _____ Wreck. 19th century unidentified wreck off Little Gannick, Isles of Scilly, its cargo including tin mining equipment. (5)
47. SS _____, British cargo ship sunk January 1918 south of Kimmeridge; OR G&S opera. (8)
48. & 27D & 33A. East Suffolk hulk of 1867-built iron steamship, designed by Cutty Sark shipwright. (4,5,6)
50. Portable device. (6)
51. Name of an Italian cruiser, launched 1886, sold for scrap 1915: also, the name of an Italian cargo ship, 1881-1896 lost in the Mediterranean. (7)

75. HMS _____, a Third Rate Ship of the Line wrecked 1798 at the Isles of Scilly. (8)
77. A written agreement. (4)
79. A spar used to extend the bowsprit (7)
82. Javelin class British destroyer lost February 1942 off the north Java coast. HMS _____; OR largest planet in the Solar System. (7)
84. Influence; OR a blow (5)
86. HMS _____, this battleship exploded in 1914 while in Sheerness Harbour. (7)
88. HMS _____, a V-Class destroyer, sunk 1942 off Cromer. (9)
89. _____ boat or train (5)
90. HMS _____, this destroyer struck a mine off the Isle of Wight in June 1944. (7)
93. Joint covered anteriorly by the patella; OR an iron forging used in wooden hulled sailing vessels (4)
94. An instrument probe that automatically transmits information about its surroundings from an inaccessible location, such as underwater. (5)
95. See 3A.
96. An indefinite quantity above the average in size or magnitude (8)
57. HMS _____, British Battleship sunk on New Years Day, 1915 east of Start Point. (10)
58. Dutch steamship sunk March 1915 south of Beachy Head (5)
59. British submarine, with name of a large toothless marine food fish, disappeared 1940, found 1983 off Isle of Wight. (9)
60. American lend-lease frigate lost June 1944 approximately half way between Poole and Cherbourg. (9)
62. British SS _____, sunk February 1917, 7 miles south of St. Catherine's Point. (5)
64. Imitator. (5)
69. Go quickly (3)
71. English 1919 built steamship which struck rocks in 1943 off the Skerries, Anglesey, sank and has a 500m exclusion zone due to nature of cargo. (1,1,9)
74. Preposition; OR symbol of a highly unstable radioactive element. (2)
75. The raised edge of a hatch, say, designed to help keep out water that pools on the surface above. (7)
76. & 31D. HMS _____, a 70-gun ship lost in the great Storm of 1703, about 8.5 km north-east of Deal in Kent. (8, 6)
77. Easily perceived (8)
78. Wooden British Day and Night Fighter-Bomber, one crashed into IOW cliffs July 1946; OR Two-winged insect whose female has a long proboscis (8)
80. A vessel sunk deliberately to block a waterway to prevent the waterway's use by an enemy. (9)
81. To thread a line through blocks so as to gain a mechanical advantage e.g., as in a block and tackle (5)
82. WW1 Naval Sea battle involving some 250 warships. (7)
83. Style of construction of a wooden hulled vessel (6)
85. HMT _____, requisitioned trawler mined April 1917 and sunk some 35 miles south of St. Alban's Head. (5)
87. Main deck likely to be if in a wreck situation (5)
91. 17th letter of the Greek alphabet (3)
92. Lower and raise one's head quickly (3)