

Little Bras d'Or

CHS Chart No: 4267 — Little Bras d'Or
4277 — Great Bras d'Or, St Andrews Channel & St Anns Bay

Amenities:

Gas stations have diesel, ice, propane exchange, and limited food supplies.

Restaurant: Bras d'Or View Restaurant & Pizzeria, 902-736-3311 (Canadian and Chinese)

Restaurant: Kitchen 1409, 902-794-1409, (¼ mile from service dock)

Celtic Country Market, 902-544-1144 (¼ mile from service dock), bakery, produce, grocery

Hillside Trailer Services, 902-736-9655, (½ mile from service dock) propane filling

Ice Cream Caboose (close to service dock)

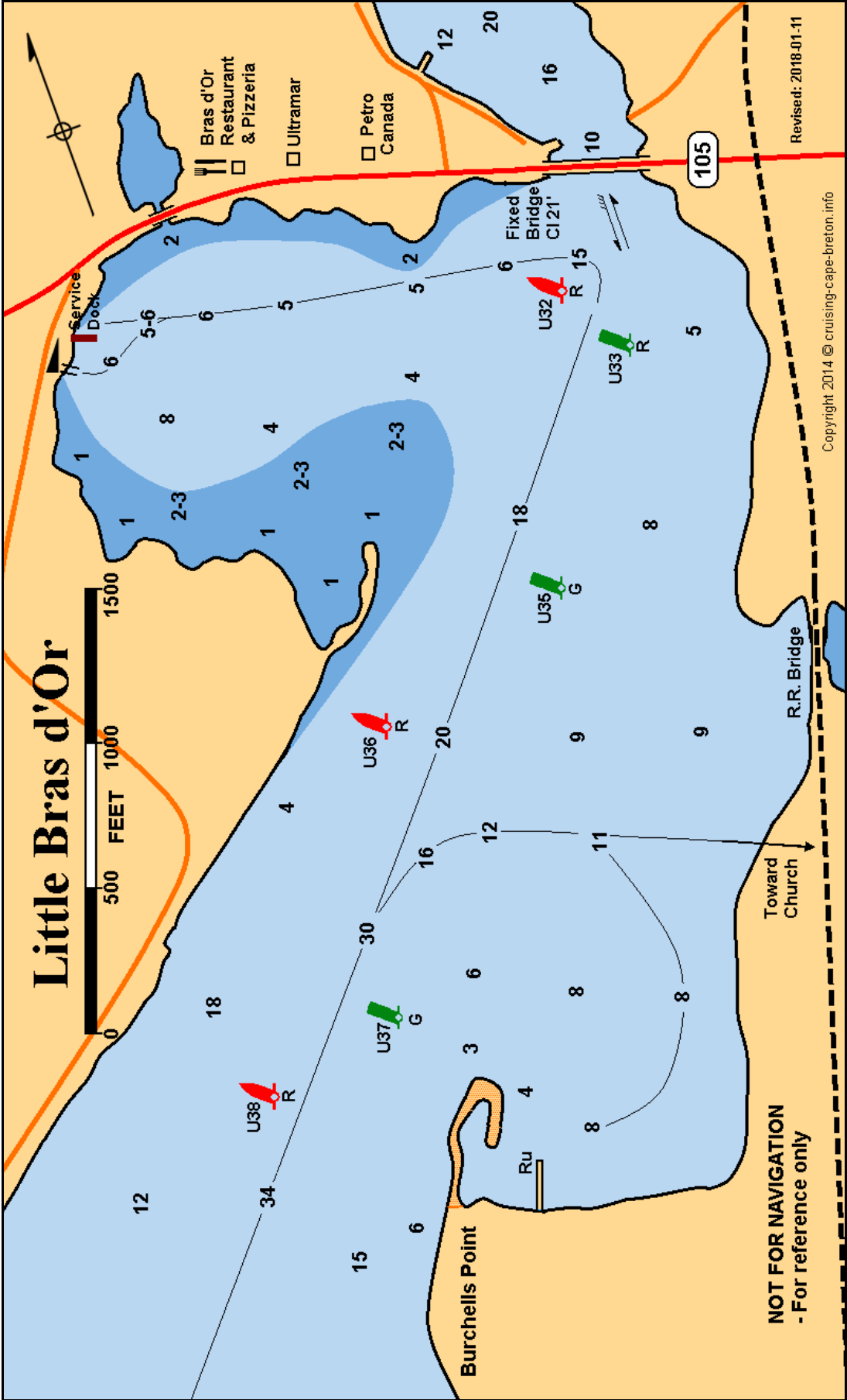
Description:

The Little Bras d'Or Channel is the preferred passage for many power boats transiting between Sydney Harbour and the Lakes. The old road bridge was replaced by a single-span bridge in 2013. The seaward entrance may be impassable in a heavy sea due to breakers, especially with wind against the tidal current.

Navigation:

The fixed bridge to the ocean has a clearance of only 21 feet. The least depth in the winding channel is 12 feet. The current is strong in the passage, and it is recommended that it be negotiated at slack water. The current tables for Great Bras d'Or Narrows may be used for the times of maximum current and slack water. Traffic at the seaward end of the passage may be considerable as boats come and go between the Atlantic and the fish processing plant. The seaward end of the passage is buoyed and two ranges provide guidance.

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