

Competitor Information Guide



Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club 16 Mitala St NEWPORT NSW 2106

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Club Information

Location Details

Address

Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club 16 Mitala St

NEWPORT NSW 2106

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Club Website

www.rpayc.com.au

Road Access:

From Barrenjoey road travelling north bound

- Turn left onto Gladstone street (or) Bardo road
- Turn right into King street (through round about)
- Turn left onto Irrubel Street
- Turn left onto Mitala Street



Trading Hours

	Monday - Wednesday	Thursday	Saturday	Sunday
Office	0800 - 1700	0800 - 1700	0730 - 2000	0800 - 1800
Bistro	0900 - 1500	0900 - 2000	0730 - 2000	0800 - 2000
Bar	0900 - 1800	Trade	Trade	Trade
		dependant	dependant	dependant

Schedule of Events

Approx timing	Function	Location
Saturday 26 March		
07:30	Halyards open for breakfast	Halyards Bar & Bistro, Club House
09:00 - 11:00	Registration & Safety Check Lunch Collection for Pre-Orders	Jack Gale Centre Lower car park foreshore
11:15		Jack Gale Centre
11:20	Coach & Support Boat briefing	Jack Gales Centre
12:30	Competitor Briefing	On Water
	First Warning Signal – Further races to follow ASAP	
Sunday 27 March		
08:00	Halyards open for breakfast	Halyards Bar & Bistro, Club House
0900	Lunch Collection for Pre-Orders	Jack Gale Centre
11:00	5: . W	On Water
15:30	First Warning Signal - Further races to follow ASAP	
ASAP After Racing	No further warning signals.	On Water
	Championship prize giving	Halyards Bar and Bistro

Arriving at RPAYC

On arrival at RPAYC vehicles will be given brief access to enter the lower car park area to drop off competing boats.

Vehicles and trailers will then be able to park for the weekend in the Crystal Bay car park. Marshals will be on hand to assist unloading boats and directing traffic. Please move quickly and efficiently when arriving and leaving the area – there will be a lot of people trying to do the same thing. (Note that the Club also have other events occurring with Members accessing the lower carpark).

Storage & Rigging

All boats are to be stored/rigged in the designated signed marked zones in the lower car park area at RPAYC.

The lawn is not a rigging zone, it is a hosing and trolley storage area. Existing club members with boats in racks at the centreboard lawn are requested to move their boats to the car park for rigging

Car Parking

Parking is available at Crystal Bay Car Park for visitors.

RPAYC Members will be able to access the middle and top car parks. Please note there will be limited parking in the lower car park, as this will largely be used as rigging space. (Note dual events occurring across the weekend).

Registration

Registration will take place in the Training Centre Headquarters "Jake Gale Centre", located adjacent the centreboard lawn and launching area.

All competitors are required to register and sign on and off each day of competition.

Dollies are to be labelled with the sail number and or boat name or owner.

Signing On / Signing Off

All boats intending to race shall sign on in the training HQ centre ashore before launching, and sign off once they have returned.

Support Boats and Trailer Storage

RIB & Support Boat Launching

For those who will bring RIBS or support boats, we recommend launching from Bayview Boat Ramp. **There is no RIB launching facilities at RPAYC**. There is also car and trailer parking available at Rowland Reserve as depicted in the map below.



Fuel

Fuel can be purchased from the Royal Motor Yacht Club. Depicted as "2" on the Newport map on page 9.

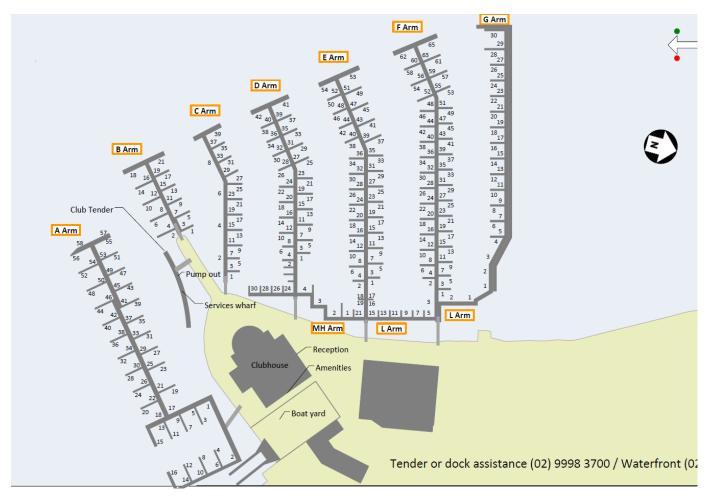
Trailer Storage

All trailers are to be stored in the Crystal Bay car park or Rowland Reserve Council Carpark. Access to Crystal Bay car park is via contacting Reception via the boom gate intercom. Auto out gate.

Overnight RIB berthing

Overnight RIB berthing may be available through **booking** with the RPAYC Waterfront Department at waterfront@rpayc.com.au on a first come first serve.

Vessels may be rafted together in berths. Ensure that your return to the same berth.





RIB Exclusion Zone

For the safety of competitors, support RIBs are asked to adhere (**do not enter**) to the below exclusion zone in the vicinity of the launching ramp.



Rigging Area and Registration Centre



Club Facilities

Signing into the Club

All persons 18yrs or older are required to sign in as a temporary member of the RPAYC if entering the Club House.

Visitors are required to carry their registration slip at all times in and around the club area. There will be an electronic sign-in screen located at reception when you walk into the main club house. A Weekend Pass can be produced.

Halyards Bistro / Bar trading hours:

The Bistro and Bar will be open from 07:30am on Saturday for breakfast and 12:00pm for lunch on both days of the event.

Post racing Saturday and Sunday the Bistro will be open for dinner bookings till 08:00 pm, trade dependant.

BOOK A TABLE ONLINE AT https://rpayc.com.au/online-bookings/

Lockers:

Lockers are available to competitors for the duration of the event. They are located in the downstairs bathroom facilities in the main Club House. See reception for access.

Showers & Toilets:

Showers and toilets are situated on the ground floor past the reception desk in the main Club House.

There are additional showers and toilets adjacent to the registration centre at the Jack Gale Centre. There are additional toilets on the upper level of the main Clubhouse.

On-Site Chandlery

Riggtech Bosun's Locker is available for all your boating and merchandise needs. Located in the tenants' building adjacent to the entrance to the club on Mitala Street.



Facility Map



Newport Map



Transport

Bus Services

Transport NSW provides bus services around the Northern Beaches and wider Sydney region. The most useful routes are the L90 and 199 route details, for direct transport into the city swap at Mona Vale for the B-Line. Visit the website at transportnsw.info or call 131 500 for more detailed route information.

The Transport NSW Buses L90 and 199 service runs in two directions from 'The Newport' Hotel (roughly a 10 minute walk around Crystal Bay from the RPAYC). The route travels north to Palm Beach and south all the way to Central in the CBD (L90) and Manly (199). Buses generally come every hour, however check timetable online or at bus stop for more information outside of busy operating hours.

Keo Ride

To get directly from the Club to Mona Vale use Keo Ride. Please note Keoride does not return you from Mona Vale back to the Club, you'll need to catch a 199, L90, uber or Taxi from Mona Vale. Download the app and register to use from **keoride.com.au**

Uber/ Rideshare

Download your ridesharing app of choice. The Clubhouse has free wifi, download from the app store.

Taxis

Pick up from anywhere on the Northern Beaches. Manly Taxis (Northern Beaches service) – 131 668 Taxis Combined – 133 300

Walk

From Barrenjoey Road. Alternatives from The Newport and or Gladstone Street Bus Stops.

