



## **Guidelines For Use of Seattle Yacht Club By Reciprocal Guests**

Seattle Yacht Club (SYC) is pleased to welcome members of approved reciprocal clubs to visit and enjoy the facilities of the SYC Portage Bay Mainstation. SYC was established in 1892 and has grown to include more than 3,000 members. The 19,500 square foot Clubhouse was built in 1920 and is conducive to warm and friendly social gatherings. SYC's private marina on Portage Bay accommodates approximately 255 member vessels plus 220' of guest moorage, guests may also use vacated SYC member slips.

### **PRIVILEGES**

SYC guest facilities include use of dining and bar facilities, counter gift sales and guest moorage. Privileges are limited to use of our Portage Bay mainstation only; outstations and our Elliott Bay Station are not available. Complimentary WiFi is available on the docks and in the Clubhouse, showers are located in the Clubhouse and ice is available to purchase.

Clubhouse usage is limited to four (4) visits per calendar year; each visit is good for seven (7) days. The Club offers fine dining in the Ward Room on the second floor, where reservations are encouraged and accepted as available. The Marine Room, bar and deck located on the third floor offer casual dining on a first-come, first-served basis. See **DINING** for more information.

Moorage on SYC guest Dock 2 is complimentary for the first two (2) days per calendar year plus 14 additional days at posted moorage rates. Reservations on Dock 2 are not available. Alternately, guests may reserve moorage in vacant SYC member's permanent slips on a space available basis at posted moorage rates, but with no courtesy days. See **MOORAGE** for more information.

### **CLUBHOUSE LOCATION**

SYC's Mainstation is located in Seattle at 1807 East Hamlin Street, on the southeast side of Portage Bay (fresh water bay connecting Lake Union with Lake Washington), 1/4 mile southwest of the Montlake Bridge, just north of the Highway 520 bridge crossing Lake Washington and a short distance from the University of Washington. Parking is on a space availability basis. Arrival from Puget Sound requires passing from saltwater to fresh water via locks and under several bridges. Bridge openings are limited during high demand periods. Latitude/Longitude is 47°38.73' N – 122°18.43' W. Bus transportation is available within walking distance.

### **CLUBHOUSE HOURS**

The Club is open Monday 8:30 a.m. – 3:00 p.m., Tuesday – Saturday 8:30 a.m. – 10:00 p.m., Sunday 10:00 a.m. – 9:00 p.m. Since the Club is closed for some holidays and not available during special events, it is suggested you call prior to your arrival to confirm availability.

### **DOCUMENTATION REQUIRED FOR ADMITTANCE**

Reciprocal guests must present either their current club membership card or a letter of introduction from their club.

## CHECK-IN PROCEDURES

Upon arrival, please check-in at the Front Desk located on the 2nd floor of the clubhouse. If you arrive by boat after regular business hours, you may check-in the following morning. A copy of your Visa or MasterCard will be made and a guest card issued. Please present your guest card when purchasing food, beverages, counter gifts, ice or addition moorage.

### Front Desk Hours

8:30 a.m. - 3:00 p.m. Monday (closed Holidays)

8:30 a.m. - 10:00 p.m. Tuesday - Saturday

10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m. Sunday

## PAYMENT TERMS

Purchases must be paid with Visa or Master card, cash and checks are not accepted.

## ATTIRE

Appropriate business or casual attire except in the Ward Room as defined under DINING.

## RULES AND REGULATIONS

Guests are required to comply with all Club rules and regulations, which include no use of cell phones inside the Clubhouse, on the decks or the front porch area. Tipping is not allowed.

## DINING

The Ward Room, SYC's fine dining room, serves dinner. Informal jacket and tie are traditional, but not required. The Marine Room, located upstairs on the third floor, is casual and serves lunch, dinner and full service bar with hors d'oeuvres. Dining on the outside deck is available during the summer. A service charge is added to all food and beverage purchases, additional tipping is not allowed. Reservations are encouraged in the Ward Room, the Marine Room is first come first serve. Dining is on a space available basis.

Dining room hours are as follows:

### Ward Room

Dinner	5:30 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Wednesday - Saturday
	5:30 p.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Sunday

### Marine Room

Bar	11:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Monday (closed holidays)
	11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.	Tuesday - Thursday
	11:00 a.m. - 11:00 p.m.	Friday - Saturday
	11:00 a.m. - 10:00 p.m.	Sunday
Food Service	11:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.	Monday (Soup, Salad, Sandwich Bar only)
	11:30 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.	Tuesday - Saturday
	11:30 a.m. - 8:00 p.m.	Sunday

## **GUEST MOORAGE**

Guest moorage located on Dock 2, the Mainstation's only uncovered dock, is available on a first-come basis, but reservations are not available. Total length of guest moorage is 220'. One hundred sixty feet of this space is located at the western end of Dock 2 for vessels 30'+ LOA and sixty feet of space is located near the gate on the south side of Dock 2 for vessels under 30' LOA. Rafting at the end of Dock 2 is permitted (up to "three deep"). Dock 2 moorage is complimentary for the first two (2) days per calendar year and available for 14 additional days at posted moorage rates. There is a small charge for power. Guests may leave their boats unattended with prior approval.

Alternately, guests may reserve moorage in vacant SYC member's permanent slips on a space available basis at posted moorage rates, but with no courtesy days. While using SYC member slips, guests may leave the slip and return during their reserved stay. Arrangements for reserved space must be made during normal business hours with the Dock Master prior to arrival. Moorage fees are charged from the time of initial occupancy until departure. Guests may leave their boats unattended with prior approval.

Moorage facilities include power (110 VAC, 30/50 Amps), fresh water, restrooms with showers, ice, phones, garbage disposal and complimentary WiFi. Laundry and pump out station are not available. Proximity to fuel is about 1 mile.

Upon arrival, all guests must register at the Front Desk located on the second floor of the Clubhouse. Guests arriving after hours may register the next morning. A copy of your registration form must be posted on your boat window closest to the dock. If you need assistance during regular business hours please call our Dock Master at (206) 325-1000.

SYC is committed to preserving and enhancing the environment through proper management of all activities that occur at our facility. Marina staff is available to assist members and guests 24 hours/day, 7 days/week. For assistance during business hours call or visit the Front Desk. During non-business hours ask for assistance in the Marine Room or in the employee work areas on the lower floor. SYC has been named an "EnviroStar Business", earning the highest five-star rating for preventing pollution and reducing hazardous waste.

## **MOORAGE RULES**

All boats moored and vehicles or personal property stored at SYC are at owner's risk. SYC is not responsible for loss or damage to personal property sustained by theft, accident, stress of water, fire, collision or careless boat handling or any other cause. All guest boats must be insured for hull, liability, and pollution coverage.

- Loud music or other intrusive disturbances are not allowed at any time.
- Skateboards, bicycles and mopeds are not to be ridden on the docks.
- Running, waterskiing, swimming, diving, open fires, fireworks, and all potential hazardous activities are prohibited in the Marina.
- Barbecue devices shall not be used on SYC docks or moored vessels.
- Dogs must not be left unattended and kept on leashes at all times. Owners are responsible for cleaning up after their pets.
- Moor as close to the boat in front as possible to maximize guest space, use spring lines to secure position.
- Club burgees must be flown at all times.

- SYC is a “NO DUMP ZONE”; vessel holding tank and/or appliances must be used at all times.
- No maintenance or repair work is permitted in guest moorage areas except in the case of emergencies which shall be reported to the Dock Master. Sanding, painting, varnishing and other maintenance activities are not allowed.
- Vessels must not be left unattended overnight, except with prior permission.
- Refueling of vessels in any way is strictly prohibited.
- No refuse of any kind including bilge oil or other flammable liquids shall be emptied overboard. No person shall deposit, drop, throw or cause any bottles, papers, food, wood or any other waste or rubbish on the docks or around the marina.
- Children under ten years of age are not permitted on docks without parent or responsible adult. Life jackets are strongly recommended for all children.
- Exercise good seamanship with regard to mooring position, mooring lines, power cords, fenders, etc.
- Please point out to all of your crew and guests the ladders mounted on the end of the finger piers.

**Rates as of December 1, 2016:** These rules are for ALL guest moorage holders (member and reciprocal guest alike).

	Facility Charge	Ft/Night	Max Stay April 1-Oct 31
SYC Member	\$3/night	\$1.00 after first 4 nights	18 nights
Reciprocal Guest	\$3/night	\$1.00 after first 2 nights	16 nights per calendar year
SYC Member or Reciprocal Guest with Reservation	None	\$1.00	None

### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

To learn more about SYC please visit our web site at <http://www.seattleyachtclub.org>. For information about nearby services and things to see and do in the area please see our *Guest's Guide to Seattle Yacht Club and Interesting Places Nearby* which is available at the Front Desk and on our website, click The Club, Guests, then Reciprocal Guests.

If you require additional information, please contact Tanya Treat our Reciprocity Committee Administrator during business hours or club management at Seattle Yacht Club, 1807 East Hamlin St., Seattle WA 98112, phone (206) 325-1000, fax. (206) 324-8784 or email [sycadmin@seattleyachtclub.org](mailto:sycadmin@seattleyachtclub.org). If you would like to reach the Reciprocity Committee email [reciprocity@seattleyachtclub.org](mailto:reciprocity@seattleyachtclub.org).