



Hillarys Boat Harbour



Hillarys is located 13 nautical miles north of Perth and is one of the most popular boating and recreational destinations in the metropolitan area. It receives over 4.5 million visitors each year. The harbour contains the Sorrento Quay retail and restaurant precinct, and also a number of attractions such as the Aquarium of Western Australia (AQWA), The Department of Fisheries' Discovery Centre and The Great Escape – a water leisure park. The harbour is also the base of a number of boat charter operators.

The harbour has over 470 boat pens, a service wharf, 6 boat ramps, a boat lifting service and a fuelling facility, as well as numerous public amenities. The entire harbour and beach is also designed to be fully accessible to people with disabilities.

Boating facility fees

Fees are payable for the use of maritime facilities throughout the state. Please refer to the schedule of maritime facilities fees and charges. <http://www.transport.wa.gov.au/imate/facilities-and-waterway-fees.asp>

All customers should contact the Department of Transport's (DoT) Hillarys office prior to arrival to ensure suitable facilities are available and to receive all relevant documentation and facilitate payment.

It is a condition of use that all users comply with the gas, electrical, insurance requirements and terms and conditions. These documents can be found at <http://www.transport.wa.gov.au/imate/general-use-requirements.asp>

Waterway

Harbour basin and entrance channel

The harbour entrance has a design depth of over 4 metres.

Latitude: -31.823
Longitude: 115.732

Boating facilities

Boat pens

Number of pens	Approximately 473
Lengths	Up to 35 metres
Services	Single phase power (3 phase in Jetty W-Z), CCTV, water and lighting. Toilets, showers and telephone located nearby.

Service wharf

Length	100 metres long
Services	Three single phase power outlets, two three phase power, two water outlets, two firefighting units.
Wharf load limits	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Stack Load - 750kg/m²• Vehicle Load - 5t BHB mobile crane (axle load 10.7 tonne)• Fendering - 300 tonne displacement vessel @ 0.3m/second & 15 degrees maximum approach angle.

Boat ramps

There are six concrete ramps with a catwalk on either side to facilitate launching or retrieval of trailerised vessels. A fee is charged for parking and/or launching in this area and tickets are available from three ticket machines. Annual passes are also available from the DoT's Hillarys office. The launch ramp access road is restricted to one-way traffic to avoid congestion. A wash down facility is also provided and maintained on the exit road.

A limited lay-by mooring area is available immediately to the east of the boat ramp.

Boatlifters

A boat lifting, storage and maintenance facility and Chandlery are located next to and west of the boat launching ramps. The facility has access to mechanical repair services

Fuelling facilities

A 50 metre long and 2 metre wide jetty is situated on the north side, immediately inside the harbour entrance for vessel refueling purposes. Private operators run the refuelling site which is accessible 24 hours a day 7 days per week with credit card facilities. Diesel and unleaded petrol is available. There are cafe facilities at the fuelling jetty site.

Other facilities and services

Toilets/showers

There are numerous toilet blocks provided for harbour users; one near the fuel jetty on the north side of the harbour, one on the north side of the harbour near the launch ramps, one near the swimming beach and several within the Sorrento Quay shopping and dining boardwalk area. All toilets cater for people with disability. There are two toilet and shower blocks provided exclusively for boat pen holders; one on the north side of the harbour near the boat launch ramp area and the other on the south side next to the DoT's harbour management building.

Facilities and services for people with disability

Hillarys Boat Harbour has been developed with universal access in mind. The harbour provides some unique purpose built facilities to cater for people with disability, including a universal access boat jetty, a swim platform, a fishing platform, a beach access pathway, a beach wheelchair and accessible barbeque facilities. The harbour resort's hotel rooms are specifically tailored for people with limited mobility. General facilities for people with disability include car parking, toilets, showers and tactile pathways as standard. All shops and restaurants are wheelchair accessible.

An Access and Mobility Map is available to assist people with disability or limited mobility and to help their families and carers to locate the accessible facilities for the large variety of land and water based activities at the harbour.

The Map can be viewed and downloaded from the Hillarys Boat Harbour web site. Alternatively hard copies are available from the DoT's Hillarys Boat Harbour Office.

Using marine facilities

Please familiarise yourself with the following information sheets:

- Schedule of marine fees and charges – Coastal Infrastructure Fees
- The harbours Live on Board policy for boat pen licencees
- Electrical, gas and insurance requirements for DoT operated Maritime Facilities
- Coastal and marine facilities requirements

Marine rescue

All volunteer marine rescue groups monitor radio listening watches on marine radio 27.88 MHz and VHF Channel 16. Most groups also monitor other frequencies such as 27.90 MHz, 27.91 MHz and VHF channels 72 and 73, as well as their own channels.

Don't hesitate to call any volunteer marine rescue group on your marine radio.

Remember to log on before heading out and log off when you return with your local volunteer marine rescue group. For full radio procedure, refer to 'Boat Rules at a Glance'.

Whitfords Volunteer Sea Rescue Group (Inc.)

Mailing Address: 1 Boat Harbour Quays
Ocean Reef WA 6027

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Key contacts and links

Department of Transport

Marine Safety Hotline: 1300 863 308

Website: <http://www.transport.wa.gov.au/imagine>

Hillarys Harbour Management Office

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Police/Fire & Rescue

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