



**Chanonry Sailing Club
The Harbour, Fortrose, IV10 8TP**

Terms and conditions for seasonal berthing of vessels in Fortrose harbour

Successful applicants for berthing in Fortrose Harbour must be able to meet and accept the following terms and conditions:

- Permission to berth a vessel in the Harbour for the season may only be granted to Club members who are 18 years of age or older (Individual, Senior individual, Family, Senior Family, Student or Honorary). Should membership cease vessel owner(s) will be required to remove their vessel promptly; should the vessel not be removed within two months of your membership ceasing the Club reserves the right to dispose of the vessel through whatever means it chooses and retains the right to recover from the owner any costs incurred.
- Permission to berth a vessel will be subject to annual review by the Club.
- Vessels shall not take up seasonal berthing in the Harbour without agreement from the Harbourmaster.
- Vessels berthed in the harbour shall be used for recreational purposes only.
- Vessels berthed in the harbour must be insured as a minimum for third party and public liability indemnity for at least £2,000,000.
- Owner(s) of any vessel given permission to take a seasonal berth shall undertake to pay a berthing fee on being invoiced by the Treasurer. This invoice will be issued following vessel arrival in the harbour and will be notified in advance to successful applicants.
- Vessels shall be berthed as directed by the Harbourmaster or any Board member of the Club. The Club reserve the right to reallocate berths to any vessel for management purposes during the season. Vessels shall not obstruct access to the Harbour steps.
- The Club reserve the right to require temporary movement of any vessel from its berth, or indeed from the harbour, to allow harbour operations, such as (but not limited to) cruiser crane in or crane out and allowing access to the concrete pad. Owners accept that if they are unable to move their own vessel within the harbour on request then the Harbourmaster or Board may authorise the movement of the vessel by any Club member in the owner's absence.
- Owner(s) shall ensure the vessel is secured appropriately and has adequate lines and fenders for whatever sea state and weather conditions may arise and is maintained in a seaworthy condition. Vessels shall attach their warps to the chains provided; warps are not to be attached to ladders.
- Owner(s) alone are responsible for the security of their vessel in the harbour (including any gear stored on board). Gear relating to berthed vessels is not to be stored on the harbourside.

Harbourmaster

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