

ROYAL CORINTHIAN YACHT CLUB

CLUB RULES

1. Hours of opening and closing

- 1.1 The Clubhouse shall open during such hours as directed by the House Committee subject to the limits granted under the licence as amended from time to time.
- 1.2 No person under the age of eighteen (18) shall purchase or attempt to purchase any intoxicating liquor on the Club premises.

2. Dogs

No dogs shall be allowed into the Clubhouse or on the Club balconies, with the exception of guide or hearing aid dogs.

3. Smoking

No smoking (this includes e-cigarettes) is permitted at any time in the Clubhouse, on its balconies or in any enclosed part of the Club premises except for the smoking area or areas designated from time to time by the General Committee.

4. Guests

- 4.1 Members may introduce Guests to the Club provided that any such guest's application for membership has not been rejected, or that they have not been expelled from the Club, or that they have not been asked to leave the Club on any previous visit. Members shall be responsible for the behaviour of their guests and their compliance with these Rules. Every Member introducing guests shall sign in the Visitor's Book and ensure that their guests do the same. Guests shall include crew who are not Members. Guests are not permitted to use such areas of the Clubhouse as may be reserved for the exclusive use for Members.
- 4.2 Subject to the terms of the licence, intoxicating liquor may be supplied to any guest introduced to the Club by a Member. Members of clubs affiliated to the Royal Yachting Association and members of overseas clubs with which the Club has a reciprocal agreement may visit the Clubhouse as guests having made themselves known to the Office and/or Manager/Acting Manager in order to be introduced to a Member.
- 4.3 The same individual may not be brought to the Club as a guest more than eight (8) times in any one calendar year.

5. Children

All well behaved Otter members, children of Members and guests are welcome, but should any Member consider it necessary to complain about a child's behaviour, then the parent of the child may be asked to take them from the Club premises by the Manager or Acting Manager, after reference to an Officer of the Club. Children and Otter members are not permitted to use the West End of the Ground Floor Bar and access to other areas of the Club may also be restricted as the House Committee may

from time to time determine.

6. Payments and refunds

- 6.1 The Club reserves the right to charge for accommodation in the event of late cancellation.
- 6.2 Should cancellation of a reservation at a Club or Class dinner be made in the twenty-four (24) hours prior to the event, the Club reserves the right to charge payment in full or to decline making a refund.

7. Tariff of Charges

A Tariff of Charges shall be exhibited in the Club.

8. Suggestions and Complaints

A Member wishing to make any formal suggestion or complaint shall make such suggestion or complaint in writing, sign it and lodge it with the Office. Under no circumstances shall a member of staff be personally reprimanded by a Member.

9. Gratuities

Members are reminded not to tip or otherwise reward staff in any way.

10. Club property and notices

- 10.1 No Member or guest shall remove from the Club premises any newspaper, book, pamphlet, notice, writing paper, towel or any property of the Club without written permission by way of a resolution from a General Committee meeting.
- 10.2 No advertisements other than for Club functions shall be laid on tables or put up in the Clubhouse without the prior approval of the Office under reference to the Secretary.

11. Accommodation, lockers, moorings and stores

Charges for accommodation, the use of lockers, moorings or stores shall be such sum as shall from time to time be fixed by the relevant Committee and shall be payable in advance or as otherwise arranged at the discretion of the relevant Committee and with the approval of the General Committee. The relevant Committee shall allocate accommodation, lockers, moorings and stores as it sees fit.

12. Dress Code

After 7.30pm, dress in the Club Dining Room shall be governed by the Code indicated by the House Committee for the function concerned. In all other areas of the Club informal but respectable dress may be worn unless otherwise specified by the House Committee from time to time. Wet sailing attire or clothing should not be worn in the Clubhouse, except in the wet room, at any time.

13. Mobile Phones and Hand-held Radios

Mobile phones, which should be in silent mode at all times in the Clubhouse or on the balcony, may be used with discretion and consideration for other Members and staff in the Lift lobby/Hall area of the Clubhouse only. Hand-held radios may be used in the East End of the Ground Floor Bar for the sole purpose of safety in connection with Club organised events.

14. Parking

Cars and/or trailers may only be parked in areas designated for such parking so as not to cause obstruction to other vehicles, the approach to the Club premises or any access, including emergency services, through Club property.

15. Mooring of boats and use of pontoon

15.1 Owners/skippers of boats on club moorings are to ensure that the rudder be secured hard to port at all times that the boat is left on the mooring.

15.2 Owners/skippers of boats are only to moor on the T-head for short periods of time and with due consideration of access to the T-head for the running of launches.

16. Personal Buoyancy

Adequate personal buoyancy must be worn at all times by all those under the age of eighteen (18), whether Members or guests, wishing to use the pontoon and/or launch.

17. Reference to the General Committee

Anything not provided for by these rules shall be referred to the General Committee whose decision shall be final.

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