

FAQ's relating to NYYC & Harbour Court For participants and Guests of the 2019 Rolex NYYC Invitational Cup September 7-14, 2019

New York Yacht Club, Harbour Court 5 Halidon Avenue Newport, RI 02840 +1 401 846 1000

How do I use the clubhouse?

Regatta Participants and their guests will enjoy full use of the Harbour Court facility while in Newport.
 Simply complete the online Guest Registration form and your Guest Card will be waiting for you at the Quartermaster's Desk upon your arrival. The bearer may present this card to service personnel at any time and will be accorded the same cordial service we routinely offer our club members. Charges may be settled by credit card. Click Here for the online Guest Registration Form.

What are the hours of operation?

- The Clubhouse is open daily. The Bolero Grill, the club's casual dining room, is open for breakfast from 7:30am to 10am, Lunch from Noon to 2pm and Dinner from 6 to 9pm. The bar is open continuously from Noon through 11pm.
- Additionally, the Invitational Cup hospitality villa will offer morning and after-racing snacks and bar service.

What is the Dress-code?

- Tasteful casual and sailing attire are permitted on the grounds throughout the day. After 1800, collared shirts are required in the Bolero Grill and on the Sailor's Terrace and jackets are required for gentlemen in the Formal Dining Rooms.
- Denim is not considered acceptable attire and jeans are not permitted.

May I make reservations?

- To obtain a table in the Bolero Grill please see a host on duty on arrival and one will be made available
 promptly. Short waits are occasionally necessary, but may be comfortably spent enjoying Harbour Court's
 stunning hill-top views! Reservations are accepted for parties of up to 12 people.
- Dining by reservation is available in the Main House Dining Rooms. Jackets are required for gentlemen. To reserve a table please call 401.846.1000, or email dininghc@nyyc.org or inquire at the front desk.

May I host a Private Party at Harbour Court?

- Yes. The Clubhouse and its ground offer several distinctly different and very special private venues for
 private parties. These include the formal dining rooms of the Main Mansion, the spacious and attractive
 spaces in the Sailing Center, and the historic and unique Station 10 the original clubhouse of the NYYC
 which was built in 1845, relocated to the Harbour Court in 1999 and recently refurbished.
- Our Special Event Team is likewise versatile and available to assist in organizing any sized gathering. Please call Special Events Office at 401.845.9476 or email banquethc@nyyc.org

Is wireless connectivity available?

• The Main Clubhouse, Sailing Center, Station 10, Lower Lawn and Pier areas are all covered by wireless service. Access is free. The password is *nyyc1844*.

Are Overnight Rooms available?

Most overnight rooms are booked for the week of the Invitational Cup. However, should you require a
room prior to or after the regatta it may be arranged at the front desk at 401.846.1000 or at
<u>quartermastershc@nyyc.org</u>. Please feel free to contact the desk to inquire about rooms that may be
available due to cancellations.

Are moorings and Launch Service available?

- The Club operates a launch within the Brenton Cove area, near the clubhouse. The launch monitors VHF Channel 74. For service to moorings outside the mooring field, including trips to the Newport waterfront area, please hail Oldport Launch VHF Ch 68.
- The Club has limited moorings, some of which will be in use in support of the regatta. If your Club will have
 a spectator boat, you may check with Michael Reardon, NYYC Waterfront at 401.608.1159. You may also
 arrange a mooring in Newport Harbor via Oldport Marine at VHF Ch 68
- There is a designated anchorage area within reach of the club's launch service. To obtain permission to anchor in this area please contact the Newport Harbormaster at 401.846.1625

What is the best way to get around Newport?

• Uber and Lyft provide the most convenient form of public transport on the island. Taxi service is also available and generally arranged by telephone. All three services provide travel to the Providence Airport.

A-1 Cab	401-841-0411
ABR TRANSPORT	401-848-9729
COZY CAB SERVICE	401-846-2500
NEWPORT CITY TAXI	401-662-1407
RAINBOW TAXI CAB	401-849-1333
ORANGE CAB	401-841-0030

What is the history of Harbour Court?

- A short, informative book on the history of the Harbour Court building is available in the Library for viewing and at the front desk for purchase.
- A walking tour pamphlet covering the grounds and outbuildings is also available at the front desk.

Who's who at Harbour Court?

James Boyd, General Manager boydj@nyyc.org Lynn Lynch, Director of Sailing lynchl@nyyc.org Beth Duggan, Racing Coordinator dugganb@nyyc.org Daniela Burton, Sailing Event Coordinator burtond@nyyc.org Pete Cavanaugh, Operations Manager cavanaughp@nyyc.org Alexandria Lucas, Director of F&B lucasa@nyyc.org Julie Kasley, Director of Special Events kasleyj@nyyc.org Arthur Barrette, Executive Chef barrettea@nyyc.org Matt Delaney, Chief Engineer delaneym@nyyc.org reardonm@nyyc.org Michael Reardon, Waterfront

Where can I find information about Newport in general, beyond Harbour Court?

• Visit www.gonewport.com for a complete overview of the Newport area including tourist attractions, visitor information and other valuable information.