



MARINA - BERTHING GUIDE

Jolly Harbour Marina

Berthing Guide

CRAFTING SIGNATURE CHARTER YACHT EXPERIENCES

Jolly Harbour Marina - Yacht Charter Berthing Guide

Destination: Antigua & Barbuda

Ecosystem: Antigua & Barbuda

Gateway: ANU - 25-40 min from ANU

Source: Editorial

Blue Ocean Club LLC

CARIBBEAN

Overview

A west-coast marina for quieter weeks on an Antigua yacht charter, Jolly Harbour Marina accepts an indicative LOA of 40 metres and 3.5-metre draft. Reachable on VHF 16, it serves the December to April Caribbean season, before Antigua Sailing Week fills southern harbours in late April.

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DESTINATION

Antigua & Barbuda (<https://blueoceanclub.com/charter/destinations/antigua-yacht-charter>)

QUAY FACTS

Specifications

INDICATIVE MAX LOA approx. 40 m	INDICATIVE MAX DRAFT approx. 3.5 m
FUEL Available	POWER Shore power typical - confirm amp rating vs LOA
WATER Available	WASTE Pump-out on request / by arrangement
WI-FI Harbour Wi-Fi variable - starlink aboard preferred	GATEWAY ANU
TRANSFER 25-40 min from ANU	PEAK LEAD TIME 4-10 weeks peak

PILOTAGE NOTES

Approach

West-coast quieter alternative - confirm LOA.

HOLDS & LEAD TIMES

Berthing

Peak berths typically need 4-10 weeks peak. We hold anchorage fallbacks before you fly.

TRANSFERS

Door to deck

Typical ANU quay timing: 25-40 min from ANU. Timed to embarkation, not a taxi scramble.

AIRPORT

ANU

TYPICAL TRANSFER

25-40 min from ANU

EMBARK UTILITY

Jolly Harbour Marina Yacht Berth - Embark Guide

Door-to-deck for Antigua & Barbuda: fly into the gateway, transfer timed to the gangway, luggage aboard before guests. We choreograph the buffer - not a taxi scramble.

MEETING POINT	Meeting point: Jolly Harbour Marina - confirm quay / pontoon with the captain the morning of embarkation.
ARRIVAL BUFFER	Plan 60-90 minutes from wheels-down to passerelle for chauffeur corridors; helicopter windows are tighter when helipad access is confirmed.
PEAK LEAD TIME	Peak berths typically need 4-10 weeks peak. We hold anchorage fallbacks before you fly.

Captain notes

West-coast quieter alternative - confirm LOA.

Tender fallback

When berths are scarce we hold a sheltered anchorage + tender (or captain-only standby) plan before you fly - never a last-minute scramble at the mole.

Luggage / hotel

Night-before hotel near the gateway (or marina) when late arrivals risk missing the embarkation slot - we hold rooms against the transfer plan.

ANU

Typical ANU quay: 25-40 min from ANU. Typical transfer: 25-40 min from ANU

[Draft] Indicative seasonal berth ranges are shared on request - confirm with the marina agent before contract. We never publish unverified nightly rates as fact.

SHORE TABLES

Nearby dining

The Copper & Lumber Store

Dockyard classic - book against Nelson's nights.

Coconut Grove / harbour restaurants

Falmouth convenience when megayacht nights are held.

Catherine's Cafe

Dockyard-side favourite in season.

FALLBACKS

Nearby anchorages

Nonsuch Bay

East-coast protected sound.

Green Island

Day-stop snorkel and beach.

Cades Reef roads

West-coast reef day.

Low Bay, Barbuda

Pink-sand roadstead - swell planning.

TIMING

Seasonal note

The Caribbean charter season runs roughly December to April; Antigua Sailing Week fills the southern harbours in late April.

INDICATIVE DRAFT

Berth fees

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BEFORE YOU FLY

Berthing FAQ

Why plan a Jolly Harbour Marina berth with Blue Ocean Club?

Antigua west-coast berth - we hold peak slips, anchorage fallbacks and door-to-deck transfers before you fly, with APA line-items before deposit. This is a charter berthing guide, not a marina booking desk.

How do I embark at Jolly Harbour Marina?

Confirm quay / pontoon with the captain the morning of embarkation after your ANU arrival. We brief the chauffeur on the correct marina gate - not a generic harbour drop.

Can I berth a yacht at Jolly Harbour Marina?

Yes when LOA, draft and event weeks allow. 4-10 weeks peak Blue Ocean Club opens the berth conversation with the yacht shortlist for Antigua & Barbuda.

What does berthing cost at Jolly Harbour Marina?

Jolly Harbour Marina berth fees move with demand. Blue Ocean Club holds an indicative band for your LOA and dates, then locks the written quote before APA is set for the Antigua & Barbuda week.

Is yacht charter available from Jolly Harbour Marina?

Boat charter and crewed yacht charter both use Jolly Harbour Marina as a working berth when LOA fits. We match hull class to quay politics and your itinerary.

How far ahead should we book a berth at Jolly Harbour Marina?

4-10 weeks peak

What is the practical embarkation airport for Jolly Harbour Marina?

Typical ANU quay timing: 25-40 min from ANU. Timed to embarkation, not a taxi scramble.

Can we overnight at anchor instead of taking a quay night?

Nonsuch Bay is a common alternative when the quay is full - captains confirm holding and shelter before committing.

Indicative guidance - some berth fee notes are labelled draft. Live rates move with LOA, season and events. Blue Ocean Club confirms in writing before deposit. No invented phone numbers or reviews. Not a substitute for captain pilotage or marina contracts.

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