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MARINA - BERTHING GUIDE

Portavadie Marina

Berthing Guide

CRAFTING SIGNATURE CHARTER YACHT EXPERIENCES

Portavadie Marina - Yacht Charter Berthing Guide
Destination: Scotland - West Coast
Ecosystem: Scotland - West Coast
Gateway: GLA - 90-120 min from GLA
Source: Editorial
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Overview

Portavadie Marina - Clyde marina with spa - south embark alternative. Portavadie Marina yacht berth guide for crewed yacht charter in Scotland - West Coast - mooring notes, GLA door-to-deck timing, nearby day-anchors and tables like Ee-Usk below. Blue Ocean Club holds peak slips and APA before you fly.

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DESTINATION	Scotland - West Coast (https://blueoceanclub.com/charter/destinations/scotland-west-yacht-charter)

QUAY FACTS

Specifications

MAX LOA **50 m**	MAX DRAFT **4 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 **GLA**
TRANSFER **90-120 min from GLA**	PEAK LEAD TIME **4-12 weeks for peak season slips**

PILOTAGE NOTES

Approach

Approach Portavadie Marina with local pilotage notes from the captain; high season berths book weeks ahead. Fuel, water and shore power are available - confirm waste and amp rating before arrival.

HOLDS & LEAD TIMES

Berthing

Peak berths typically need 4-12 weeks for peak season slips. We hold anchorage fallbacks before you fly.

TRANSFERS

Door to deck

Typical GLA quay timing: 90-120 min from GLA. Timed to embarkation, not a taxi scramble.

AIRPORT	GLA
TYPICAL TRANSFER	90-120 min from GLA

EMBARK UTILITY

Embark at Portavadie Marina

Door-to-deck for Scotland - West Coast: 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: Portavadie 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 4-12 weeks for peak season slips. We hold anchorage fallbacks before you fly.

Captain notes

Approach Portavadie Marina with local pilotage notes from the captain; high season berths book weeks ahead. Fuel, water and shore power are available - confirm waste and amp rating before arrival.

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.

GLA

Typical GLA quay: 90-120 min from GLA. Typical transfer: 90-120 min from GLA

[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

Ee-Usk

Oban seafood pier.

Coast Restaurant

Oban fine casual.

Café Fish Tobermory

Mull harbour dinner.

The Three Chimneys

Skye destination dining.

FALLBACKS

Nearby anchorages

Tobermory Bay

Colourful Mull overnight.

Loch Scavaig
Skye dramatic day-hook - weather critical.

Canna Harbour
Small Isles favourite.

Loch Na Keal
West Mull quiet overnight.

TIMING

Seasonal note

Peak density tracks Scotland - West Coast high season and local events - 4-12 weeks for peak season slips lead time is typical for larger LOA.

INDICATIVE DRAFT

Berth fees

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BEFORE YOU FLY

Berthing FAQ

How do I embark at Portavadie Marina?
Confirm quay / pontoon with the captain the morning of embarkation after your GLA arrival. We brief the chauffeur on the correct marina gate - not a generic harbour drop.

Can I berth a yacht at Portavadie Marina?
Yes when LOA, draft and event weeks allow. 4-12 weeks for peak season slips Blue Ocean Club opens the berth conversation with the yacht shortlist for Scotland - West Coast.

What does berthing cost at Portavadie Marina?
Berthing at Portavadie Marina is quoted by LOA, season and events - we share indicative ranges labelled as draft, then confirm in writing before deposit. Never treat a published nightly figure as a hard fact.

Is yacht charter available from Portavadie Marina?
Yes - Portavadie Marina is a practical embarkation for crewed yacht charter in Scotland - West Coast. We sequence the berth, transfers and first-night plan before you fly.

How far ahead should we book a berth at Portavadie Marina?
4-12 weeks for peak season slips

What is the practical embarkation airport for Portavadie Marina?
Typical GLA quay timing: 90-120 min from GLA. Timed to embarkation, not a taxi scramble.

Can we overnight at anchor instead of taking a quay night?
Tobermory Bay is a common alternative when the quay is full - captains confirm holding and shelter before committing.

What services should we expect at Portavadie Marina?

Portavadie Marina typically offers fuel, shore power, water, waste/pump-out, harbour Wi-Fi. Confirm amp rating and pump-out against your LOA before arrival.

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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Begin a conversation.

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