

SYC 707 National Championships

General Information for Competitors & Crews

Welcome to Scarborough.

This guide brings together the key arrival, launching, parking, berthing and shoreside information for the 707 National Championships.

Scarborough Yacht Club

The SYC clubhouse is located in the lighthouse at the end of **Vincent Pier**.

[Open clubhouse location in Google Maps](#)

Lift In / Lift Out

Arrival tip: join the queue behind the 707 fleet and keep the crane access area clear.

Lift in and lift out will take place at the **yellow crane at the end of Vincent Pier**.

On arrival, please line up behind the other 707s. If time permits, rig and step your mast while waiting, then follow the lift-in instructions given by the event team.

[Open crane / lift-in location in Google Maps](#)

Parking - East Pier

One permit per boat - £20 for the event.

Parking on Scarborough's East Pier is limited. We can issue **one parking permit per boat**, charged at **£20 for the event**. Permits will be issued at event registration.

The pier can accommodate **small camper vans**, but not motorhomes, tents or caravans. There are **no electrical hook-up or power facilities** on the pier.

SYC club racing will continue during the 707 Nationals, so all vehicles on the pier should be parked in **herringbone formation** to maximise the available space.

At weekends, the East Pier gate will be locked. The access code will be provided at registration.

[Open East Pier parking location in Google Maps](#)

Trailer Storage

Trailers will be stored on **Vincent Pier**, very close to the crane and lift-in point.

The trailer storage area is **not secure**. Please bring a suitable trailer lock if you have any concerns about security.

Marina Berthing & Access

Competing boats will be berthed on the pontoons in **Scarborough Inner Harbour**.

Access to the marina pontoons requires a fob. Visitor fobs are in short supply and there will not be enough for every boat, so crews will need to **share fobs**.

[Open marina facilities location in Google Maps](#)

Toilets & Showers

Toilet and shower facilities are available close to the marina and can be accessed using the **same fob as the marina gate**.

SYC also has toilet and shower facilities. A code for the SYC showers can be supplied at registration.

[Open marina toilets & showers in Google Maps](#)

Fuel

Important: no petrol is available within Scarborough Harbour.

There are **no petrol fuel facilities within the harbour**. Please make suitable arrangements before launching or going afloat.

Navigable Depths - Scarborough Harbour

Navigation: monitor VHF Ch 12. Take particular care around low water and consult Port Control if in doubt.

There are sandbanks throughout Scarborough Harbour which may be **too shallow for a 707 for approximately two hours either side of low water**.

Extreme care should be taken when transiting the harbour. Vessels must monitor **VHF Channel 12** while entering and exiting the harbour.

If you are in any doubt about available depth or the safest route, please seek advice from **Scarborough Port Control**.

[View Scarborough Harbour Navigable Depths Notice \(PDF\)](#)

Thursday Evening - Fish & Chips

Thursday evening fish and chips will be at **Winking Willie's**.

[Open Winking Willie's in Google Maps](#)

Thursday Evening - Live Music

Live music on Thursday evening will be at **Inc. Social**.

[Open Inc. Social in Google Maps](#)

Quick Reference

Item	Key information
Parking	One permit per boat - £20 - issued at registration
East Pier gate	Weekend access code issued at registration

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Marina access	Fob required - crews will need to share
Showers	Marina fob or SYC shower code
Petrol	Not available within the harbour
Harbour VHF	Channel 12
Low water	Take extra care approx. 2 hours either side of LW