



CADET VICTORIAN STATE CHAMPIONSHIP

7 - 9 MARCH 2026



REGATTA OFFICIALS

COURSE RACE OFFICER
CADETS

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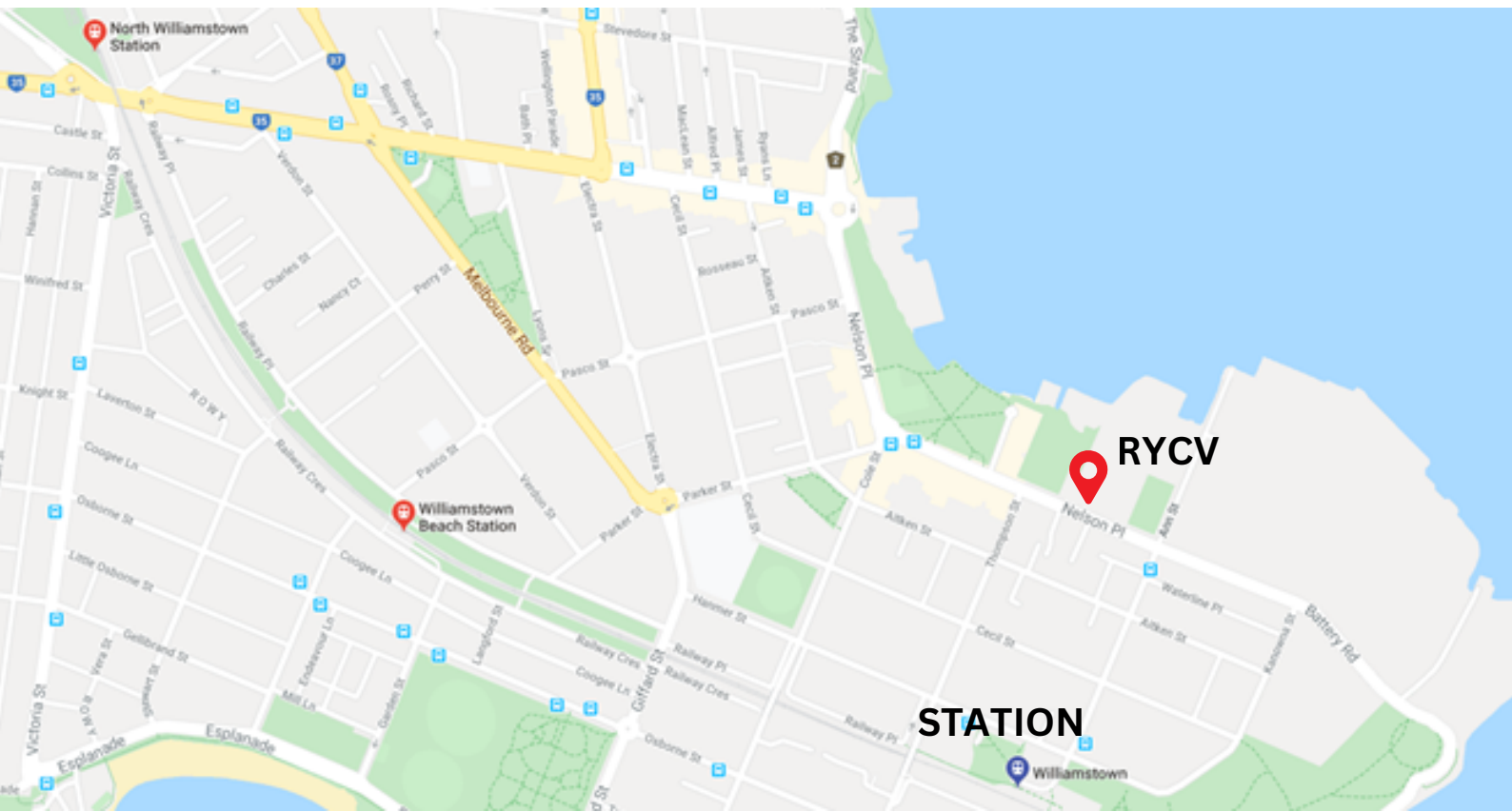
EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Emergency (Fire, Ambulance, Police)	000
Williamstown Police	9393 9555
Coast Guard	9598 9092
Melbourne Ports	9644 9700

LOCAL INFORMATION

Supermarkets		
Coles	20 Douglas Parade, Williamstown	
Woolworths	71 Kororoit Creek Road, Williamstown	
Chandleries		
Boating Central	158 Nelson Place, Williamstown	03 9397 6300
Sail Repairs		
North Sails	354 Reserve Road, Cheltenham	03 9584 9844
Doyle Sails	8 Network Drive, Port Melbourne	03 9646 5273
Hospitals & Doctors		
Williamstown Hospital	Railway Crescent, Williamstown	03 9393 0100
Sunshine Hospital	176 Furlong Road, St Albans	03 8345 1333
The Clinic Williamstown	107 Ferguson St, Williamstown	03 9397 1366
The Melbourne Sports Medicine Centre	4/250 Collins St, Melbourne	03 9650 9372
Dentists		
Hobsons Bay Dental	72 Electra St, Williamstown	03 9391 5174
Chemists & Pharmacies		
Priceline	19-21 Douglas Parade, Williamstown	03 9397 5114
Post Office		
Australia Post	70 Douglas Parade, Williamstown	13 13 18
ATMs		
ANZ	48-56 Douglas Parade, Williamstown	03 9397 2177
Bendigo Bank	15 Douglas Parade, Williamstown	03 9399 9266
Westpac	70 Ferguson Street, Williamstown	03 8340 5588
NAB	19-21 Douglas Parade	13 22 65
Taxis & Public Transport		
Yellow Cabs		13 22 27
Silver Top Taxi		131 008

RAILWAY STATION



PARKING

There is **limited** parking at Royal Yacht Club of Victoria. During the regatta it will be open to Club Members and Race Officials.

There is additional parking in surrounding streets, including free parking in Ann St and Thompson St, and other paid locations.

FIRST AID SERVICES

Please contact the office if first aid is required.



ON ARRIVAL FOR EVENT & ROAD TRAILER PARKING

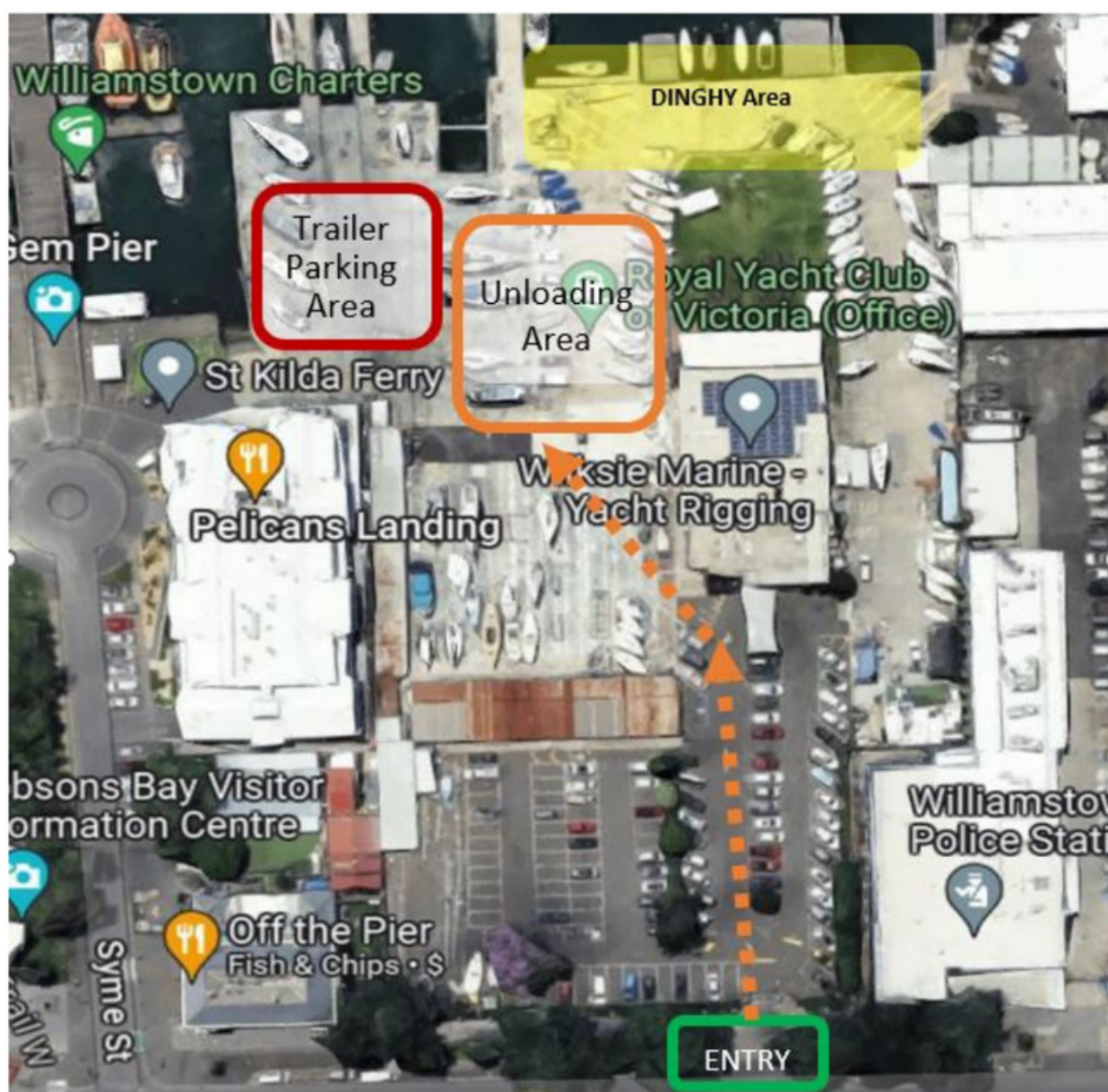
Access via RYCV Front Gate 120 Nelson Place Williamstown.
Unload the boats placing them in the yellow marked areas.

Move the trailers to the trailer parking area show in red in the diagram below.

No cars are to be parked in in the trailer area.

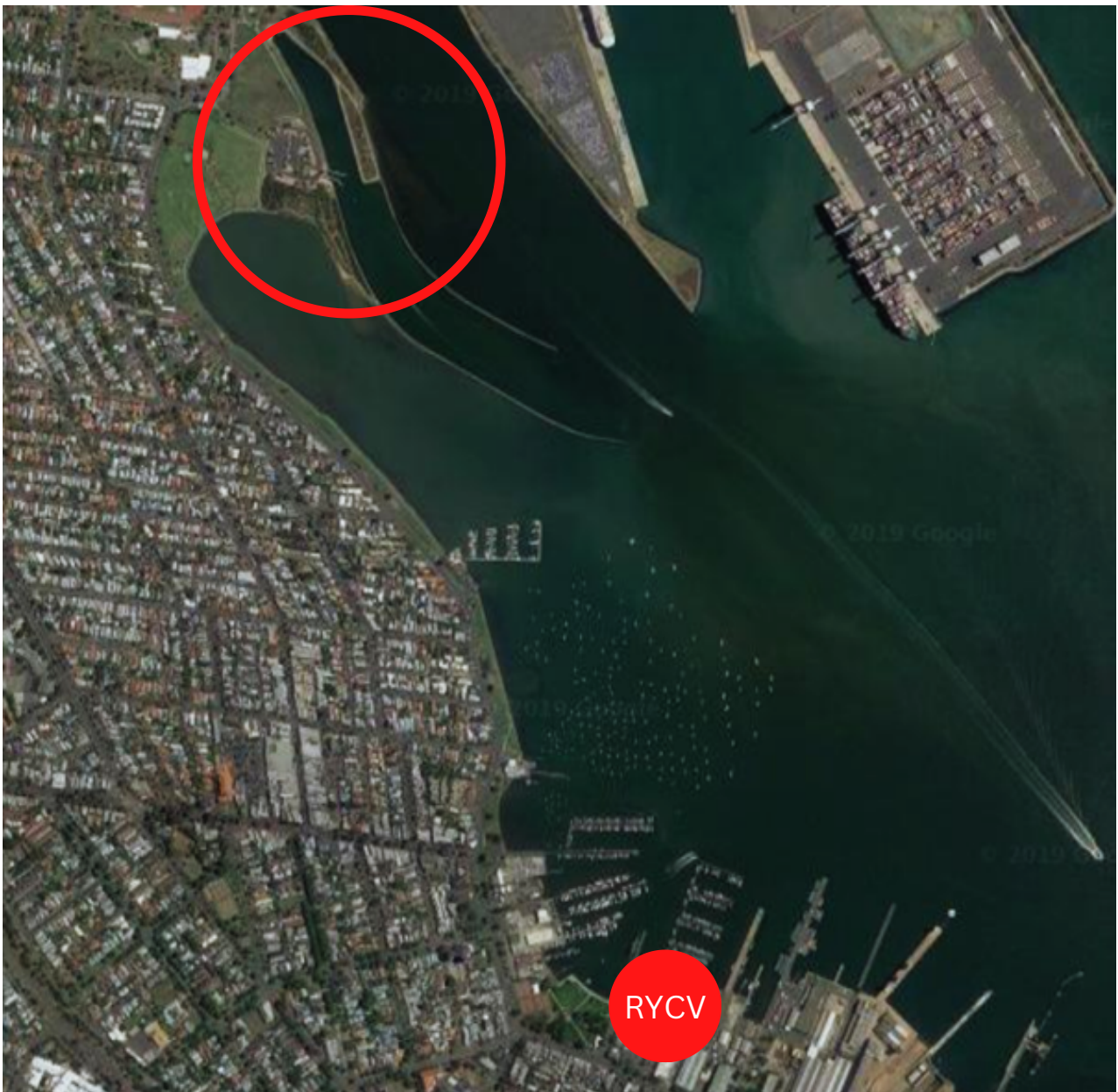
Car parking in the RYCV carpark is reserved for Full RYCV Members only. There is ample all day on-street car parking available within a short walk of the Club.

Contact Owen Church Mobile 0416 149 167 if you have any questions.



LAUNCHING AND RETRIEVING SUPPORT BOATS

Any support boats can be launched at Warmies Boat Ramp, which is free to use, or by club crane if arrangements have been prior to arrival, and with rated lifting equipment/slings etc.



REGISTRATION & MEASUREMENT

Registration and measurement will take place at the regatta office.

To ensure a relaxed registration process at the event, we've prepared the following checklist so that you can arrive confident that you have everything covered:

- You must have a current insurance certificate for your boat, including cover not less than AUD \$10,000,000 for any accident
- Names and AS number for helm and crew
- Age bracket for helms
- Measurement certificate for boat

For daily safety checks you will need:

- Suitable life jackets properly fitted and adjusted
- At least 1 bailer compliant with class rules tied in the boat
- The centreboard must have a lanyard tied in or clipped into boat
- Paddle secured to boat
- Tow rope
- Bulk head covers installed correctly.

REGATTA SCHEDULE & SOCIAL PROGRAM

Friday 6 March

1600	Bar and kitchen open
1700	Cadet bump in
1900	Bar draw and Last One Standing

Saturday 7 March

0700	Bar open for grab and go toasties, sandwiches, pastries, chips & chocolate
0800 - 1100	Registration Cadets
1000	Race management briefing
1100	Cadet competitors information session
1200	Kitchen opens - all day
1300	Racing
1700	BBQ buffet dinner (pre booked only)

Sunday 8 March

0800	Bar open for grab and go egg & bacon rolls, toasties, sandwiches, pastries, chips & chocolate
0830	Volunteer briefing
0900	Cadet competitors information session
1030	Morning racing cadets
1200	Kitchen opens - all day
1300 - 1600	Live music on the deck
1400	Afternoon racing cadets

Monday 9 March

0800	Bar open for grab and go toasties, sandwiches, pastries, chips & chocolate
0830	Volunteer briefing
0900	Cadet competitors information session
1030	Morning racing cadets
1500	Cadet presentation
1600	Bar and restaurant close

SUNSMART

It's important to be SunSmart and to think UV, not heat!

UV rays can be seen or felt and can damage your skin on cool or cloudy days.

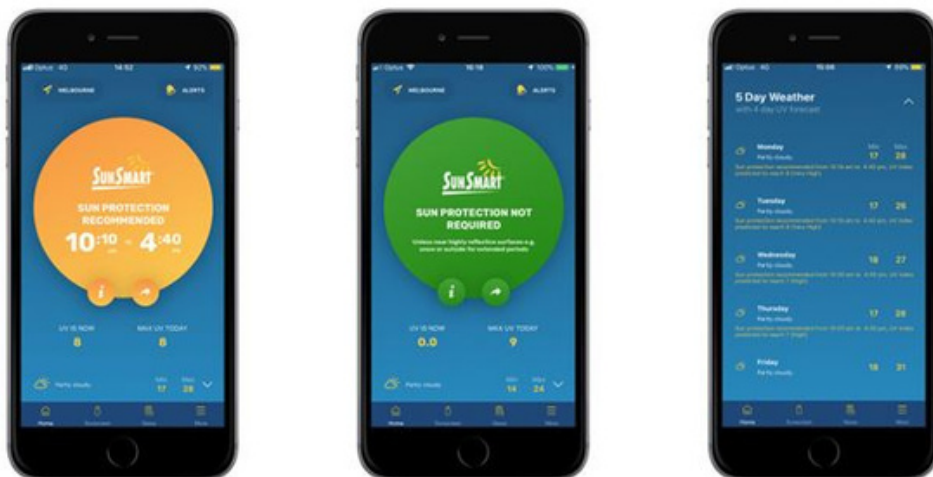
When UV is 3+

- Slip on covering clothing
- Slop on SPF30 or higher, broad spectrum sunscreen
- Slap on a broad brimmed hat
- Seek shade
- Slide on sunglasses

Download the SunSmart app to find sun protection time for your location in Australia. Available from the App Store, Google Play or via the QR code below.

Features

- UV and sun protection alerts each day.
- A sunscreen calculator, providing you with the minimum recommended sunscreen application, based on your choice of outfit. Plus, a two-hour reminder so you don't forget to top up.
- Four-day forecast of sun protection times and weather information.
- Live UV levels for major cities, and forecast UV for all other locations.



ACTIVITIES AND ADVENTURES IN HOBSONS BAY

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1. Take your time to explore over 20 kilometres of coastal pathways and enjoy the tranquil setting with cityscape views, beaches and foreshores, and an array of nature to admire.



2. Take a scenic seaplane flight. *



3. Explore Newport lakes, located off Mason Street, Newport. 33 ha of Tranquil bird-rich parklands with walking tracks, lakes, kid's play equipment and BBQ spots.



4. Wander around historic Williamstown waterfront. Discovering some of Melbourne's maritime history from stately homes to quaint seaman's cottages.



5. Visit the Williamstown Botanic Gardens, established in the 1850s.



6. Snorkel at the Jawbone Marine Sanctuary, Williamstown.



7. Work up an appetite and check out the many local eateries across Hobsons Bay.



8. Stand up paddle with Sun Seekers in Altona.



9. Swim at Altona or Williamstown beaches.



9. Rock climb at one of the three indoor climbing centres, Cliff Hanger, Clip and Climb or Climb West.



10. Go on board the HMAS Castlemaine Maritime Museum at Gem Pier, Williamstown. Open weekends and public holidays, with extended days during the Christmas New Year period.*



11. Grab a movie ticket at one of the local cinemas Reading, Altona North or Sun Theatre, Yarraville.



12. Visit the Newport Railway Museum or Altona Miniature Railway.*



13. Walk the 100 steps to federation and take in the views over the Bay and across to the You Yangs. Truganina Coastal Park, Altona Meadows.



14. Take the skateboards and BMX bikes to one of two skate parks.



15. Explore further afield and hop on the West Gate punt to Port Melbourne. Travelling under the famous West Gate Bridge.*

16. Play a game of badminton at the Altona Badminton Centre, 271 Mason Street, Altona North.

17. Check out Seaworks Maritime Museum and Discovery Centre on Nelson Place, Williamstown. Here you can immerse yourself amongst impressive display of artefacts and models that showcase maritime history.*

18. Challenge yourself at Scienceworks in Spotswood, and see the Pumping Station, current exhibition, Melbourne Planetarium, and Lightning Room.

19. Enjoy the feel of village shopping in six diverse locations without the hustle and bustle of the city.

20. Wander through the Truganina Explosives Reserve, Altona on the first Sunday of the month.

21. Swim in the indoor pool at Bay Fit, 257 Mason Street, Altona North.

22. Sail on the Tall Ship Enterprise from Gem Pier*

EVENTS COMING SOON

Christmas Carols. Sunday 18 December. 7pm, Commonwealth Reserve, Williamstown. If inclement weather moves to St Marys Church. 116 Cecil Street, Williamstown.

Caravan Sounds. Saturday 24 December. Caravan Sounds will be spreading Christmas cheer. Carrying fresh beats and holiday themed tunes. Bring a picnic rug and enjoy the music with family and friends. Commonwealth reserve, Williamstown 12 pm till 4pm.

Movies By the Bay. Friday 6 January. Bring a picnic, chairs, rug, popcorn or get something from one of our fabulous local eateries and enjoy free movie, Ticket to Paradise. Commonwealth reserve, Williamstown. Movies shown on dusk.

For more local events visit What's On - Hobsons Bay



Hobsons Bay Visitor Information Centre *Local people local knowledge*
Corner Syme Street and Nelson Place, Williamstown Ph. 9932 3016
www.experiencehobsonsbay.com

* Operating times vary. For more information visit the Hobsons Bay Visitor Information Centre.

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- 13 Cherry Lake
- 14 Altona Beach

THANK YOU...

TO OUR VOLUNTEERS

A huge thank you to all our amazing volunteers!

Whether you're helping out on water or on shore, we greatly appreciate your valuable time and generous contribution; we couldn't do this without you.