

Whittley Club Qld

Kooríngal Trip - Feb 15th Saturday - 16th Sunday 2025

Plan A: Kooríngal-Moreton Island

Trip Co-ordinator: Jason Johnstone - Ph 0417 789 729

Kooríngal trip - Days Gutter with township of Kooríngal



Sat 15th Feb: Kooríngal (high tide) is around 10:40am so once anchored we could go & explore Days Gutter in our tenders, Days Gutter & Mays hole is known for having turtle habitats mangroves, oyster leases including the 'Oyster Shack'. For lunch we will book a table at the "Gutter Bar" for around 12.00am. Alternatively, you can self-cater lunch on your boat.

You can check out the menu via the following link:

<https://www.thegutterbar.com.au/menus>

- After lunch we could go back to the beach for some beach games – battle blocks / beach cricket? if people are feeling energetic? or alternatively have a relaxing swim before sundowners watching the sun settle over the city of Brisbane.
- Dinner will be a sausage sizzle (provided by the club) with sundowners of your choice. Alternatively, you can dine on board.
- Please note – The Gutter Bar does close at 4.30pm.

Sun 16th Feb: Leisurely morning at your own pace before cruising back to your designated boat ramp. High tide is at 11:06 am so this would be an ideal time to leave the anchorage and head back.

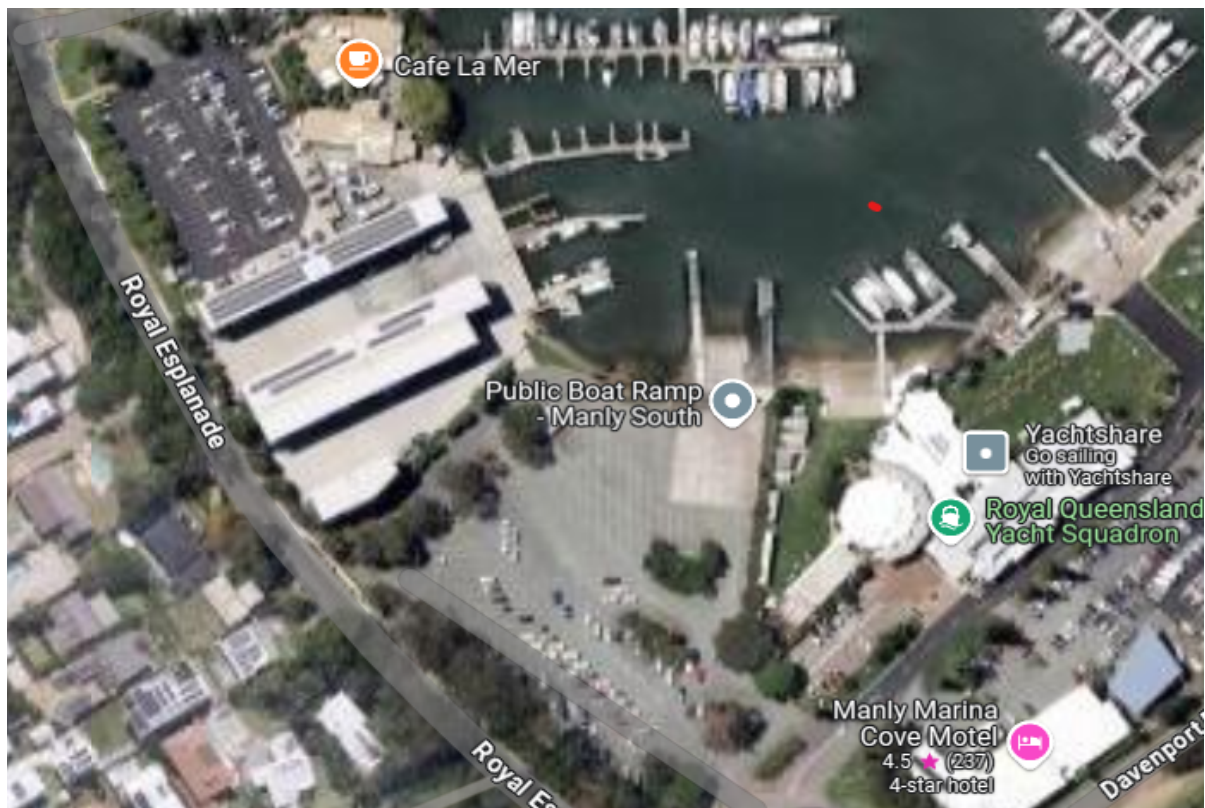
Departure Manly boat ramp south - RQ

Timing:

If you are going across with Jason (Nev'r Say Nev'r) it is an **8.30am sharp** departure from Manly boat ramp south on Saturday. The main public boat ramp at Manly next to MBTBC is also good to launch from. For those who do not have a track in to Day's Gutter, we can go in convoy, so let us know if that is your plan!

If want to leave on Friday , Darryl Ayson (0413 837 823) will be leaving from Manly boat ramp. Koorinal high tide is at 10.13am.

Departure Manly boat ramp south - RQYS



Departure Manly boat ramp North - MBTBC



Big Note, don't trust the routing, these waypoints are from 2022. Make sure you keep a close eye on your depth sounder at all times, and idle at shallow points, especially coming into Koorungal, high tide is at 10.40am Please note – all beacons have been removed from the Rouse channel leading into the Mt Cotton reach & Black Gutter. I was at Koorungal over the Australia Day weekend & if you have a track marked in your chart plotter this shouldn't be an issue on a higher tide. Remember the skipper is always responsible so please take due care and exercise caution.

GPS Way Points

#0 27° 22.269' S	153° 24.255' E
#1 27° 22.281' S	153° 24.454' E
#2 27° 22.265' S	153° 24.579' E
#3 27° 22.030' S	153° 24.692' E
#4 27° 21.942' S	153° 24.829' E
#5 27° 21.609' S	153° 25.084' E
#6 27° 21.199' S	153° 24.916' E



Routing:

Manly to Koorungal Entrance: 13.7Nm. Note: the trip from Manly to Koorungal is approx. 50 min so be sure to have a full tank of fuel. If making your own way there, note tide times as it is difficult to enter/exit on low tide.

Contact Jason if you have issues.

Remember to add at least 33% more fuel than you will need!

Tides:



Contacts:

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Jon plans to go over on Thursday via the northern approach (an exploratory approach), see you all over there!!

To Do: Make sure you let us know you are coming via Facebook or email Jon and Jason (commodore@clubwhittleyqld.org.au)