

PORT JOINING INFORMATION

Ipswich Beacon Marina (On some maps it is called Ipswich Haven Marine)

Bright Star 07760 664559

Eastern Star 07859 747612

Guiding Star 07360 985757

How to find us

By car:

Ipswich Beacon Marina is situated on New Cut East, Ipswich, Suffolk, IP3 0EA. If you approach from the south along Bridge Street you need to do a U-turn at the mini roundabout just after you cross the bridge and take an immediate left into St Peter's Dock bearing left to the Marina carpark.

The car park (surrounded by large concrete blocks) opposite the entrance sign to Beacon Marina with a sign saying "Authorised Parking Only". Park here and ask for a temporary parking permit from the marina office. The office is about another 50m along the marina fence. Please mention you are sailing with or dropping off for Morning Star Trust. They will be expecting your request. Please obtain a permit & display it in your windscreen for even very short stays as restrictions are vigorously enforced.

There is a WC for visitors on the entrance drive, immediately after the car park with a sign "Family & Disables Toilet/ Shower" It does not require a key or code.

Should you arrive early and wish to use it, the Last Anchor Bar & Restaurant (open all day) is just after the WC and before the marina office.

By public transport:

By rail to Ipswich Station.

Come out of the station turn left and cross Ranelagh Rd and head north across the bridge. Just after you reach the other side there is a river path to your left. Follow this through to the Marina. It is about 20 minutes' walk (0.7 miles) There are various bus options which you will need to look up on Google Maps. Alternatively, it is a short taxi ride. Once at the Marina look out for one of our boats flying the MST banner.

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On arrival.

If you arrive close to the start time of the voyage members of sea staff will greet you at Marina Reception. If you arrive earlier, please wait until the joining time. The Last Anchor does good coffee. If you are running late, please call the boat phone and advise the Skipper of your ETA so that someone can be there to greet you.

