

## Hat Island Visitor Protocols

Hat Island is a Private Community. As such you must be an invited guest of an owner to visit the island. Here are the current visitor protocols.

### Ferry

**Family (defined as adult children, grandchildren, parents and siblings):** May ride the ferry as a guest of the owner, without the owner being on island. If the owners are not on island, they must fill out visitor protocol paperwork available on the ferry or at the Hat Island Office.

**Friends and Guests:** May ride the ferry as a guest of the owner. The owners must meet them at the ferry and be on site.

### Marina

**Weekdays:** Guest boats are allowed in the marina during the week. The owner must meet them in the marina when they arrive and guest rates apply.

**Weekends:** Three guest boats are allowed per weekend. The owners must arrange this with the Harbor Master, making sure there is space available. The owner must meet their guest in the marina when they arrive and guest rates apply.

**Holiday Weekends:** There is no guest moorage allowed on holiday weekends.

### Arriving by Private Vessel of another owners

Some guests arrive on the vessel of a non-hosting owner. These guests, if not accompanied by the owner of the property they are visiting, must fill out visitor protocol paperwork in the Hat Island Office.

### Contractors/House Managers

Property owners who are not on the island but would like to allow guests or contractors have access to their property, may ask another owner to host for them. Property owners should inform the office of who will be acting as their host and their guests must sign it at the office.

### Responsibility for Guests

Guests on island are the responsibility of the property owner and any designated host. If an owner is providing transportation to the island in their vessel for another owner's guest, they are responsible, as is the owner for the guest's behaviors. This applies to anyone accepting the responsibility of 'hosting' a guest for another owner.