

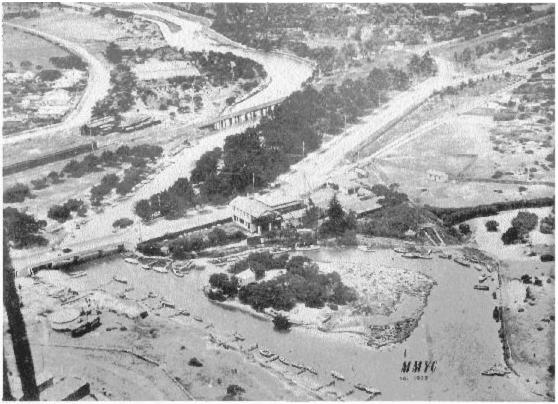


Mordialloc Motor Yacht Club



Club History

The MMYC was established in 1925 and members in those days sailed their boats out of the creek into the bay. MMYC was one of the earliest clubs to be founded around the shores of Port Phillip. You can see early pictures of the club and activities displayed in the club house today.



The Island 1923

Our history is one of a club founded on its member's love of boating. There are long traditions of yacht racing, power boat navigation rallies and fishing competitions. The MMYC is a founding member of the Whalley Cup (with the RVMYC and the SYC and in recent years the BMYC) which is most probably the oldest navigation rally event on Port Phillip Bay. The Long Beach Challenge has been running for over 23 years between the Carrum Sailing Club and MMYC and is hotly contested each year! Members are involved in twice weekly yacht races and regular navigation rallies and fishing competitions.

Mordialloc Motor Yacht Club is located on Lambert's Island in Mordialloc creek between the Nepean Highway bridge and the creek entrance to Port Phillip Bay. Locally known as "the pearl of Mordialloc" given its priceless appeal and location. Access is via a footbridge from the car park of the Bridge hotel. The Mordialloc Motor Yacht Club has approximately 200 members of all ages and has an equal mix of power boats and yachts.

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Members are fortunate to have wonderful facilities from which to enjoy their boating. In 1926 the original club house was built on Lambert's Island and rebuilt by members in 1956. Since then the building has been modernized numerous times including the recent construction of the BBQ Pavilion. The club has stunning views to the bay from the roof top deck, a fantastic function/training room, and the cosy Sutton Lounge for members to relax in. The grounds to the island are popular for members to picnic in with shady trees on those hot summer days.

There are two working slips for members to maintain their boats and both are under cover. The slips have been an important part of the club's success as it is very easy for members to maintain their boats in great condition. Bookings for the slips are done on line.

Since the beginning of the club, members have been able to moor their boats in the creek and today the club has moorings along the south wall of the creek and around the island. The club is responsible for over 90 moorings in the creek managed by a mooring committee.

MMYC has a very active social calendar, popular monthly general meetings, numerous training events and a wide range of completions to enter. The club warmly welcomes new members and will assist those new to boating feel safe and comfortable very quickly in using their boat. It's certainly no surprise that members soon love the facilities on Lambert's Island and never want to leave this hidden gem.