



Port Macquarie Hastings  
Canoe Club  
May, June & July 2026  
SCHEDULE



Coal Wharf Reserve

**IT IS THE POLICY OF THE PORT MACQUARIE HASTINGS CANOE CLUB INC (PMHCC) THAT LIFE JACKETS (PFD'S) BE WORN WHILST PARTICIPATING IN ALL CLUB PADDLES**

<b>REGULAR PADDLES</b>		
Every <b>TUESDAY</b>		
<b>Turtles social paddle</b>	8:00 am start OTW at McInherney Park boat ramp near the Sailing Club.	Contact Julie 0421 449 519
<b>Fast &amp; furious Group</b>	Regular hard training run. Mostly skis and racing kayaks. Rated 2/3 Approximately 16kms from Marine Rescue Building in Buller St. Paddle up Hastings River to Maria River and return. Early start. Coffee after at Seasalt Cafe near the Marina in Park Street.	Contact Bill W on 0418 437 957
Every <b>THURSDAY</b>		
<b>Regular social paddle Hastings River</b>	6 to 10km options from Westport Park boat ramp. 7:50am briefing then 8:00am OTW. Cuppa after at Sea Salt	For shorter paddle contact Stephen 0490842005
<b>Longer Paddle</b>	Earlier start & different distance for longer paddle . Morning tea/coffee after	Longer paddle Contact Bill W on. 0418 437 957

### SUNDAY PADDLES

Please **message the paddle leader/contact if you are intending to join** (or withdraw from) a Sunday paddle. If running late please phone the paddle leader/contact.  
Weather conditions etc can result in paddles being changed or cancelled. If you have not registered, you will not be aware of any such changes.

<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Launch Point</b>	<b>Leader/Contact</b>
May 3rd	Googleys Lagoon Approx 8km Rating 1-2 Picnic after at launch Pt	Marine rescue Laurieton OTW 8:45am	Stephen 0490842005
May 10th	BYE No Paddle	Mothers Day	
May 17th	Limeburners Crk Approx 8-10km Rating 1-2 Coffee & cake at Pipeworks after	Settlement Pt OTW 8:30am	Carolyn 0438462856
May 24th	Wilson River Downstream + Cooperabung Crk Approx 12km Rating 2 Picnic after at launch point	Log Wharf Telegraph Point OTW 9:00am	Barry W 0438319767
May 31st	Watson Talor Lake Approx 12km Rating 2 Picnic after at launch point	Apex Park, Dunbogan Bridge Boat Ramp OTW 9:00am	Barry K 0429028652
June 7th	Lake Cathie Approx 6-7km. Rating 1 Cuppa after at Foreshore Café Lake Cathie	Perch Hole OTW 9:00am	Bruce 0438839387
June 14th	Annabranches Approx 8-10km. Rating 1-2 Picnic at Log Wharf Reserve	Hacks Ferry boat ramp OTW 9:30am	Greg 0428980264
June 21st	Pelican Is. loop Approx 6-7km Rating 1 Sausage Sizzle	Settlement Pt OTW 9:00am	Julie 0421 449 519
June 28th	Lagoon & The Hatch Approx 12km Rating 2 Coffee & cake after at Ricardos	Blackmans Point OTW 8:45am	Stephen 0490842005
July 5th	Stingray Creek Approx 8-10km. Rating 1 Picnic after at launch point	Queens Lake Sailing Club OTW 9:30am	Carolyn 0438462856
July 12th	Pipers Creek Approx 7-8km Rating 1 Sausage Sizzle after	Kundabung OTW 9:0am	Barry K 0429028652
July 19th	Canals Approx 8 Km. Rating 1 Picnic after at park	McInherney Park OTW 8:45am	Leon 0401037469
July 26th	Rocks ferry Approx 12-14km Rating 2 Picnic after at launch point	Rocks ferry Upstream upstream OTW 9:00am	Greg 0428980264

Remember to **message the paddle leader/contact by the FRIDAY evening before if you are intending to join**, if possible. You can always cancel out later if necessary.

#### VISITORS

Visitors are always welcome.... However, If you wish to bring a friend/new paddler along on any **Sunday** paddle, please discuss with Carolyn, our Sunday Trip Coordinator, on 0438462856.

OR if bringing a friend/new paddler to a **weekly** paddle please contact Julie, Stephen,  
(As per the Regular Paddles section above)

Not all paddles suit infrequent/new paddlers.



Please bring plenty of drinking water, wear sunscreen & appropriate clothing, a hat & sunglasses etc.

#### **RATING SYSTEM FOR CLUB PADDLES**

RATING 1: Up to 10 kms with rests along the way.

RATING 2: 10 – 20 kms Fairly continuous paddling with short breaks; possibility of difficult conditions or long stretches on open water.

RATING 3: 20+ kms Continuous paddling; extended time in the kayak; possibility of difficult conditions such as wind & open stretches of water.

RATING 4: 30+ kms Continuous paddling; long stretches in the kayak; likelihood of difficult conditions & open stretches of water.

Thank you to the touring subcommittee & trip leaders. Please support them as they enable us to be out on the water as frequently as we are.

**SAFE PADDLING EVERYONE**