



Padstow Harbour Commissioners

Waste Disposal from Visiting Vessels.

General refuse & catering waste

Refuse and catering waste from visiting yachts / powerboats:

Bagged refuse and catering waste can be disposed of in the 1100 Litre wheeled bin located outside the harbour office entrance.

Refuse and catering waste from commercial fishing / survey Vessels:

This type of waste can be disposed of in the 9.2 cubic metre covered waste skip located on the South Jetty. Please cover the skip once you have finished depositing your waste as this helps to keep the seagulls from spreading the rubbish onto the pier.

PLEASE NOTE - This skip is not to be used for discarding unwanted electrical equipment and in particular, refrigerators – these items should be disposed of to the local council by separate negotiation.

International Catering Waste:

Please note that because of the extreme rarity of vessels arriving in Padstow directly from a port outside the European Union, **Padstow Harbour does not accept International Catering Waste.**

Waste Oil, Oily Water & Oil / Fuel Filters

Waste oil can be disposed of in the 1200 Litre waste oil tank situated at the end of the South Pier, adjacent to the bunker tank.

Small amounts (up to 15 Litres) of oily water can also go into this tank, however vessels cleaning bilges or those with large quantities (over 15 litres) of oily water to dispose of, must do so via a contract with a specialist contractor (please contact harbour office for details of available contractors).

A separate container is provided for disposal of fuel / oil filters. This container is emptied on demand by approved contractors.

Waste batteries

Waste batteries are to be brought to the harbour office, or preferably taken directly to PHC's workshop at the southern end of the harbour car park.

Ship / vessel sewage

In order to keep the waters of the estuary and harbour clean and healthy, onboard toilets must not be used unless the vessel is operating with a sewage / grey water holding tank. Adequate toilet and shower facilities are provided free of charge ashore. PHC toilet / shower blocks are located on the southern end of the harbour office and in the Red Brick Building on the North arm of the inner harbour. Public toilet facilities are also located nearby – please see the attached plan.

PHC do not have any reception facilities to allow for holding tanks to be pumped out.

Pyrotechnics

Padstow Harbour does not accept time expired pyrotechnics. In the first instance please check with your supplier to see if they operate a 'take back' scheme. Failing this, please contact Falmouth Marine Rescue Co-ordination Centre to ask if they can accept them – you will need to advise them of the number, condition and age of the TEPs that you are looking to dispose of. Acceptance is at their discretion and will depend on space in the storage facility.

MRCC Falmouth – Phone 01326 317 575

Waste fishing nets / pots

Waste monofilament 'gill' net should have the head and foot ropes removed and then be bagged in the bulk bags provided by the harbour staff. The bulk bags are to be deposited in the appropriately marked half of the scrap net pound situated at the base of the South pier. The bags of waste gill nets are then recycled by Petlon Polymers.

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Waste trawl net, pots, wires and other fishing equipment should be deposited in the other half of the segregated net pound mentioned above – both halves are appropriately labeled for ease of use.

Recycling

There are no recycling facilities at Padstow Harbour. The nearest recycling point is on the Ring Road car park – a pleasant five minute walk from the inner harbour.

Directions to the Ring Road car park: Walk up the steps behind the 'Golden Lion' public house, turn right at the top, continue on for about 80 meters and take the second entrance on your left. This is the Ring Road car park and the recycling point is next to the main entrance for cars.

