

**21 Florence Terrace,  
Scotland Island  
NSW, Australia**

### **BACKGROUND TO PARADISE:**

**Scotland Island** is approximately 25 k from the centre of Sydney. A regular bus service is available between Church Point and Mona Vale/ All the Northern Beaches/ Manly and Wynyard

**Woolworth's** has a large supermarket at Mona Vale, about 5 minutes by car from Church Point. They are open long hours and have a liquor store. Liquor is also available at Church Point.

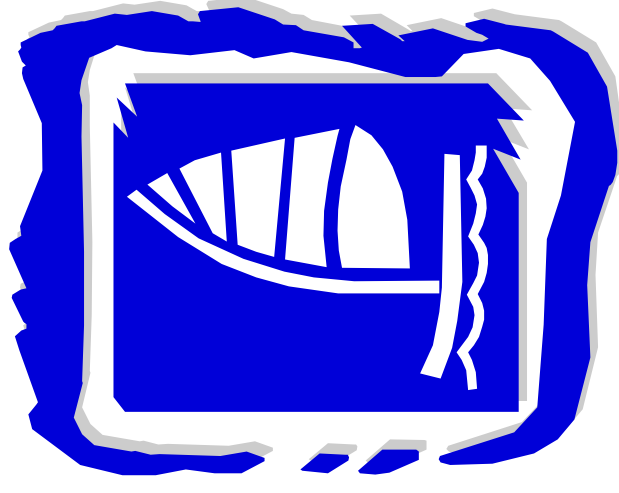
**Movie Theatres** may be found at Warriewood, Avalon, Collaroy and Warringah. Pick up program guides in the free copy of the Manly Daily obtainable at Church Point, or delivered to the end of the jetty on Saturdays.

**Parking** – is a pain on public holidays and weekends. Apart from the cost of council parking at Church Point or the resulting fine if you overstay, you may find it easier to park in Quarter Sessions Road, which is the road parallel to and above Mc Carrs Creek Road at Church Point. Your guests might prefer to park at the Newport Arms and catch a water taxi to the island. Water Taxi: phone 0428-238-190

### **Some useful phone numbers:**

- House Phone: 02-9979-9667
- Water Police: 02-9979-4044
- Water Taxi: 0428-238-190
- PMC Hill Real Estate: 02-9999-4902
- Email : [ppurvis@yahoo.com.au](mailto:ppurvis@yahoo.com.au)

# *Paradise Found*



You are here to RELAX and ENJOY yourself – just leave the house as it was when you arrived. Local calls and calls to emergency services are included in your tariff. STD and ISD calls are not available.



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PO Box 296, Church Point NSW, Australia 2105

## SOME HINTS TO MAKE YOUR STAY COMFORTABLE

There are three keys, one for the front (seaside) door, one for the back door and one for the boathouse. In addition there are two keys to allow you to open some of the locked windows.

Locking the front door might require you to lift the door slightly. Don't bother to lock up if you are going for a walk for an hour or so – Scotland Island is a very safe environment. Lock the boathouse if it is not in use. To turn on hot water in the boathouse, use the switch in the fuse box at the rear of the boathouse.

**1.** The hot water system in the main house remains on all the time. There is a master switch just outside the laundry door with a red neon light on it. Please leave it on all the time and when you depart.

**2.** Garbage is collected on Monday and Friday and may be left in the bin at the end of the jetty. Recycling of bottles and paper is as per the roster on the microwave. Please put the recycling bins out on the road on the appropriate day.

**3.** We are fortunate to have plenty of water and you may use it freely. We have a septic system and you should NOT put anything in the toilet that has not previously been consumed!

**4.** There are mozzie zappers in various rooms in the house. Put them on at night if the little blighters worry you. Please ensure they are turned **OFF** each morning

**5.** The fuse box for the house (all circuit breakers) is on the NW corner of the house. Candles are in the linen cupboard, together with a selection of board games. Some first aid supplies are in the second drawer in the bathroom.

**6.** To light the BBQ, turn on the gas, lift the hotplate and apply a light. Please turn the gas **OFF** when you finish.

**7.** Swimming is perfectly safe – very few sharks 😊 Watch out for the oyster shells on the jetties – they are mighty sharp. ps: Oysters are fine to eat.

**8.** Fishing from the jetty can be rewarding and prawns are good bait (from the mini-market at Church Point)

**9.** There is a complete ferry timetable in the top drawer of the bedside table in bedroom one.. Water taxis 24 hours a day by phoning 0428-238-190. Cost = \$11 for a single trip to/from Church Point for up to 6 people. (more after hours and on weekends.) To get to the house from Church Point, just ask for the Purvis' jetty. Most drivers know us. If not - a good description is the house on the North East side of the island with lights on the jetty.

**10.** The phone at the house is for your use and all local calls are included with your stay.

## THINGS TO DO WHILE YOU ARE HERE

**1.** There are some excellent bushwalks on the island. A walk around the island on the road takes about 40 minutes. The view from the top of the hill on the island is spectacular.

**2.** The ferry trip from Palm Beach to Ettalong is very worthwhile. More information by ringing: 02-99974815.

**3.** Catch the bus from Church Point to Manly and then the ferry to the city. This is by far the most scenic way to get to Sydney and also very inexpensive.

**4.** Hire a yacht for a day. Even if you are not a sailor, many of the charter operators can supply a skipper.

**5.** Visit The Basin, a lovely inlet about 20 minutes by boat from the house. You can hire a small motor boat from Palm Beach and other places around Pittwater. Good safe swimming for all the family.

**6.** Visit the Manly aquarium. They claim to have some of the largest sharks in the world. This kids will love it!

**7.** The township of Avalon has many nice boutiques and coffee shops. Avalon is about 30 minutes by car from Church Point.