

RVIB NATHANIEL B. PALMER Operating Schedule

June 11, 2012



General Information: Maximum science and ASC staff berthing is 39. Grantees should plan to board the ship the night before the scheduled departure date and to depart the ship the morning after the ship returns to port. Port calls generally require five days but can vary at times to meet mission-critical requirements. Opportunities exist on oceanic transits for collection of underway data. Ship schedules are subject to change. Information on submitting proposals for vessel use is at the end of this schedule. Please contact Randy Sliester, Marine Operations Manager, (randy.sliester.contractor@usap.gov) with any questions or comments.

Arrival/Departure Key

TAL= Talcahuano, Chile
PUQ= Punta Arenas, Chile

MCM= McMurdo Station, Antarctica
VAL= Valparaiso, Chile



CRUISE/PROJECT	PORT	DEPART	ARRIVE	PORT	Point of Contact/Marine Proj. Coord
NBP12-06 Dry Dock	TAL	15-May-12	12-Jul-12	TAL	POC: Owen/Kluckhohn MPC: Alesandrini
NBP12-06 Mtce. period following dry dock	TAL	13-Jul-12	25-Jul-12	PUQ	POC: Kluckhohn MPC: Owen
NBP12-07 NOAA B-006	PUQ	1-Aug-12	18-Aug-12	PUQ	POC: Jenkins MPC: Jenkins
NBP12-08	PUQ	28-Aug-12	02-Sep-12	PUQ	POC: Jenkins MPC:TBD/Sliester/Jenkins
<u>NBP12-09</u> OPEN	<u>PUQ</u>	12-Sep-12	03-Dec-12	<u>PUQ</u>	POC: Kluckhohn MPC:TBD
NBP12-10 Halanych B-281/Yuan O-261	PUQ	13-Dec-12	23-Jan-13	MCM	POC: Jenkins MPC:TBD
NBP13-01 McMurdo Fueling PAX	MCM	23-Jan-13	25-Jan-13	MCM	POC:Jenkins MPC:TBD
NBP13-02 Kooyman B-464	MCM	25-Jan-13	15-Mar-13	PUQ	POC: Coyac MPC:TBD
NBP13-03 Rouse/Wilson B-465	PUQ	20-Mar-13	12-Apr-13	PUQ	POC: Jackson MPC:TBD
<u>NBP13-04</u> OPEN	<u>PUQ</u>	17-Apr-13	11-May-13	<u>PUQ</u>	POC:Kluckhohn MPC:TBD
NBP13-05 Transit to Valparaiso	PUQ	21-May-13	27-May-13	VAL	POC: Kluckhohn MPC:TBD
NBP13-06 Ocean Sciences	VAL	1-Jun-13	30-Jun-13	VAL	POC: Jenkins MPC: TBD
NBP13-07 Transit Punta Arenas	VAL	5-Jul-13	11-Jul-13	PUQ	POC: Kluckhohn MPC: TBD
<u>NBP13-08</u> OPEN	<u>PUQ</u>	16-Jul-13	27-Jul-13	<u>PUQ</u>	POC: Jenkins MPC: TBD
NBP13-09 NOAA B-006	PUQ	1-Aug-13	30-Aug-13	PUQ	POC: Jenkins MPC: TBD

Antarctic research solicitation (2012-2022): [Antarctic Solicitation](#) describes the science programs supported as USAP and how to prepare a proposal. Additional information about the USAP is available on NSF's web site at the U.S. Antarctic Program portal at <http://www.usap.gov>

UNOLS ship request procedures for NBP and LMG: [UNOLS Ship Time Request \(STR\)](#) form and submit the form as a supplemental document with new proposals. To navigate the site: 1) Create a new member account if it is first time visiting the site. 2) Click on Principal Investigator tab (detailed instructions can be found at the "?How do I create a Ship Time Request". 3) Click a project and request the LMG or NBP.

