



**Hythe & Saltwood Sailing Club
Risk Assessments**



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RISK ASSESSMENT RATING

| SEVERITY OF CONSEQUENCES | | | LIKELIHOOD OF OCCURRENCE | | |
|--------------------------|---|-------|--------------------------|--|-------|
| Definition | Meaning | Value | Qualitative Definition | Meaning | Value |
| Catastrophic | Results in accident, death or equipment destroyed | 5 | Frequent | Likely to occur many times | 5 |
| Hazardous | Serious injury or major equipment damage | 4 | Occasional | Likely to occur sometimes | 4 |
| Major | Serious incident or injury | 3 | Remote | Unlikely to occur but possible | 3 |
| Minor | Results in minor incident | 2 | Improbable | Very unlikely to occur | 2 |
| Negligible | Nuisance of little consequence | 1 | Extremely Improbable | Almost inconceivable that the event will occur | 1 |

SEVERITY X LIKELIHOOD = RISK RATING

| RISK RATING | ACTION |
|-------------|---|
| 0-5 | No action required. |
| 6-10 | No additional control measures required, however monitoring should continue to ensure risk does not increase. |
| 11-15 | Attempt to reduce risk if possible. Need for continued control measures to ensure risk does not increase. |
| 16-25 | Activity should not be undertaken until the risk has been reduced to an acceptable. |



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1. ALL ACTIVITIES WHILST AFLOAT

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|----------|-------------------|--|----------|------------|-------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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2. DINGHY RACING

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|----------|-------------------|--|----------|------------|-------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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3. FREE SAILING

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|----------|-------------------|--|----------|------------|-------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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4. WINDSURFING

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|---------------|--------------------------|--|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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5. SAFETY BOAT

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|---------------|--------------------------|--|-----------------|-------------------|--------------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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6. BEACH RISKS

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|----------|-------------------|--|----------|------------|-------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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7. CLUB HOUSE RISKS

| Hazard | Who may be harmed | Control Measures | Severity | Likelihood | Risk Rating |
|----------|-------------------|--|----------|------------|-------------|
| Drowning | All Sailors | <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Wearing PFD and appropriate clothing whilst afloat.2. Place responsibility on individual for assessing own competency in relation to prevailing conditions3. Place responsibility for sea worthiness of equipment | 5 | 1 | 5 |
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