

## Risk Assessment

**TASK / ACTIVITY:** SAILING A  
 VARIETY OF MODEL BOATS AND  
 YACHTS ON WARMINSTER  
 TOWN PARK LAKE.

MEMBER NAME.  
 DATE.  
 SIGN.

**TASK DESCRIPTION:** UNLOADING MODELS FROM A CAR THEN LAUNCHING INTO THE WATER AND RETREIVING AGAIN.

**MAIN HAZARDS:**

Crushing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Direct electrical contact	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hot ambient temperature	<input type="checkbox"/>
Cutting / shearing	<input type="checkbox"/>	Indirect electrical contact	<input type="checkbox"/>	Cold ambient temperature	<input type="checkbox"/>
Entanglement	<input type="checkbox"/>	Short circuit / overload	<input type="checkbox"/>	Adverse weather conditions	<input type="checkbox"/>
Trapping	<input type="checkbox"/>	Fire / explosion	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Asphyxiation / drowning	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Impact	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Ionising radiation	<input type="checkbox"/>	Significant noise	<input type="checkbox"/>
High pressure injection	<input type="checkbox"/>	Repetitive actions	<input type="checkbox"/>	Significant vibration	<input type="checkbox"/>
Abrasion	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stressful postures	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Hazardous substance	<input type="checkbox"/>
Slips / trips	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lifting / handling	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Localised hot/cold surface	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Falls from height	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatigue / stress	<input type="checkbox"/>	Other:	<input type="checkbox"/>

**PERSONS EXPOSED:**

Employees	<input type="checkbox"/>	Clients	<input type="checkbox"/>	3 <sup>rd</sup> Party Professionals	<input type="checkbox"/>
Public	<input type="checkbox"/>	Contractors	<input type="checkbox"/>	Members of boat club	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Please specify:

**CURRENT CONTROL MEASURES:** ALWAYS TWO OR MORE MEMBERS ON SITE AT SAILING TIMES. SUNDAY AM BETWEEN 0900 AND 1200. EVERY THURSDAY BETWEEN 1700 AND 1900. **DRIVING VERY, VERY SLOWLY ON ARRIVAL AND LEAVING.**

\*ACT AS THE RESPONSIBLE PEOPLE WITH IN THE PARK GROUNDS AT ALL TIMES.

**LEVEL OF RISK?**

Low    Med    High  
       

**ADDITIONAL CONTROLS REQUIRED:** LIFTING METHOD TO BE USED. ADVISING THE GENERAL PUBLIC TO KEEP CLEAR WHEN LAUNCHING AND RETREIVING MODELS. TAKE CARE NOT TO FRIGHTEN ANY WILDLIFE BIRDS ON THE LAKE. KEEP CLEAR OF ROW BOATS.

**DATE:** 19/02/17.

**NOTES:** A lifting cradle or straps to be used on all models over 10 kilograms, or over 80cms in length.

**ASSESSOR'S NAME:** JOHN KITLEY

**COMPILED BY:**

JOHN KITLEY

**ORIGINAL ASSESSMENT DATE:** 19/02/17

**SIGNATURE:**

**REVIEW DATE:** 19/09/19

**NEXT PLANNED REVIEW:** 19/09/20

**ON BEHALF OF:**

WARMINSTER MBC.

## Working Procedure

**TASK / ACTIVITY:** ACCESSING LAKESIDE PARK AND FLOATING MODEL BOATS.

**TASK DESCRIPTION:** PARKING CARS NEAR WATERS EDGE THEN UNLOADING, LAUNCHING AND RETREIVING MODEL BOATS FROM WATER SAFLEY.

**MAIN HAZARDS:**

MANOEUVREING CARS INTO PARKING PLACE. GENERAL PUBLIC, CHILDREN, DOGS, SLIPS AND TRIPS, DROWNING IN LAKE. BEING ATTACKED BY WILDFOWL. LIFTING HEAVY MODELS.

**CONTROL MEASURES:** DRIVING VERY SLOWLY ON SITE. PARK ON HARD STANDING. USE OF LIFTING CRADLES OR SLINGS TO LAUNCH AND RETREIVE HEAVY MODELS. WORKING IN PAIRS WITH LARGER MODELS. NO FAST MANOEUVRES NEAR WILDLIFE. NOT TO BE DISTRACTED BY GENERAL PUBLIC DURING USE.

**GENERAL ADVICE**

TO SEEM A RESPECTABLE CLUB AND ACT IN PROFESTIONAL WELL MANNERD WAY AT ALL TIMES, IE. LEAVE AREA CLEAN, USE BINS, USE NO OFFENSIVE LAUNGAGE.

**FURTHER INFORMATION:**

See other club health and safety documents:

- WARMINSTER MODEL BOAT CLUB HEALTH AND SAFTEY STATEMENT.

All members are reminded that where they do not understand any matter relevant to their health and safety at the lake, or consider they have not received adequate information, instruction or training, then they **MUST** report the matter to a club committee member.

**REVISION:** 1      **ORIGINAL PROCEDURE DATE:** 19/02/17

**REVISION:** 2      **REVIEW DATE:** 18/09/19

**NEXT PLANNED REVIEW:** 19/09/20