

Date: 01/02/2011

Assessed by: MC

Location: Longridge

Assessment no: 13

Review Date: 01/02/2012 or reviewed in the event of an incident

Activity – Power Boating

Activity	Hazard	Persons in Danger	Severity (1-10)	Likelihood (1-10)	Rate	Measures/ Comments	Result*
Power Boating	Drowning	Participant	10	1	10	Correctly fitted Buoyancy aids checked by Instructor prior to going on the water	T
Power Boating	Sinking	Participant	3	5	15	Well maintained boats and bailers in boats	A
Power Boating	Equipment crashing around	Participant	2	4	8	Instructors to ensure all equipment in the boat is stowed away securely	T
Power Boating	Falling over board	Participant	2	2	4	Safety briefing in which the Instructor explains to stay seated at all times and warns participants should there be a sudden change of direction	T
Power Boating	Hypo/Hypothermia	Participant	6	2	12	Instructor to ensure that participants go afloat in appropriate clothing and if in the water are recovered swiftly	A
Power Boating	Collision	Participant	3	3	9	Instructor to be RYA Power Boat Level 2 Helms	T
Power Boating	Hair Loss	Participant	5	2	10	All wigs to be securely strapped down or pinned prior to high speed work	T
Power Boating	Prop Injury	Participant	6	3	18	All final approaches to a person in the water are to be done slowly and engine turned off prior to reaching the casualty	A
Power Boating	Run away boat	Anyone on the water	6	3	18	Where fitted all helms to wear the kill cord securely around the knee of the leg closest to the engine or Morse control	A
Power Boating	Overloading	Participant	3	3	9	No more than; Newmatic 370 = 4 people, Poineer = 7 people, Shacks = 12 people, Scout = 12 children or 8 adults, Catamaran = 2 people	T

*Key to Result after measures taken

T= Trivial Risk

A = Adequately Controlled

N – Not adequately Controlled