

# Wilsonian Sailing Club



## Operating procedure for Power Boating Briefing

### Scope

Wilsonian Sailing Club is a Royal Yachting Association (RYA) Recognised Training Centre, it provides activities that it has been certificated to provide by the RYA.

These include:

#### Powerboat Courses

- Power boat Level 1 Course
- Power boat Level 2 Course
- Safety Boat Course

### The briefing of students and Instructors

On arrival at Wilsonian Sailing Club the students shall be briefed on the day's activity. All of the points below must be followed and relayed to the students.

- a) Identify the course leader
- b) Identify non swimmers or swimmers lacking confidence
- c) Facilities at Wilsonian Sailing club
  - i. Changing facilities (male, female, family and external toilet)
  - ii. Drinking facilities
  - iii. Food areas.
- d) Safety
  - I. Wearing of buoyancy aids
  - II. Footwear
  - III. Adequate clothing
  - IV. Fire Hazard no smoking or naked flames or other sources of ignition on or near the power boats, near petrol cans or the fuel store.
  - V. Danger of tripping in the dinghy park
  - VI. Slipway hazards
  - VII. Correct method of handling of boats (sailing and power)
  - VIII. Other slipway and footpath users (do not leave trip hazards where members of the public could be injured)
  - IX. All to wash hands prior to eating or drinking on the shore
  - X. Danger of vehicles accessing the club facilities especially on the lower track.

**e) On the Water**

- I. No water fights or splashing
- II. No swimming while undertaking a course.
- III. Keep clear of other boats while power boating
- IV. Identify training area within 3 miles RYA approved training zone.

Referred documents

SOP Power Boating

Health and safety Policy

Risk Assessments WSC 01, WSC 02, WSC 03, WSC 04, WSC 05

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