



Haversham Sailing Club Open Meetings Competitor and Guest Covid 19 Protocols

General:

Do not visit the site if you are feeling unwell or you or anyone in your household are displaying symptoms associated with Covid-19.

It is recommended that those that are clinically vulnerable should consider their own individual risk and not visit the site under the current circumstances.

All visitors should NOT travel with anyone outside of their own household/bubble.

All entrants should comply with all recommended Government Guidelines around Covid19 Protocols, including (but not limited to) local lockdowns which are in place in the entrant's home town.

At the Club:

Competitors will be divided into bubbles of six boats, please remain within this bubble for rigging, launching and recovery.

Follow our marshal's guidance for parking to allow adequate space to maintain social distancing measures

Whilst on site, maintain social distancing of 2m from all other persons outside of your household/bubble or 1m+ with mitigating controls as per government guidance.

Track and Trace:

All visitors/guests must be signed in using the open meeting entry forms and/or the NHS Covid-19 app, QR codes are displayed around the site.

Track and trace forms will be retained for 21 days. Anyone that has visited the club and later tested positive for Covid-19 within 10 days of their visit should inform the club immediately.

The club will then inform all members and visitors.

Changing:

The changing rooms and showers will remain closed to all users in line with current guidance.

Visitors should arrive and depart in sailing kit if at all possible.

If there is a need to change on site, please do so discreetly out of the way of other visitors.

WC:

There is marshal controlled access to the clubhouse for the toilets. Please follow the marshal's guidance to use these facilities.

The toilet facilities are limited to a maximum of two persons at any one time.

WC main entrance doors to be fixed 'open'.

Wash hands using soap and water at the base of the ramp before and after using toilets.

PPE:

Everyone on site is encouraged to consider their own protection and provide their own gloves, face coverings and hand sanitizer when using any indoor facilities.

Hand washing facilities are available at the base of the clubhouse ramp and in the toilets.

Rigging Zones:

Depending on numbers on site, allocation of specific rigging areas may be necessary in order to maintain social distancing and restrict numbers gathered in one area. These will be pre-assigned, Red, Yellow, Purple, Black, Blue and Green.

Visitors should respect and adhere to their allocated area for rigging and maintain social distancing at all times.

Parking:

No cars to be parked within the dinghy park. Cars are permitted inside the dinghy park for loading/unloading only and should be moved to the car parking area as soon as possible.

Launching and Recovery:

Competitors will be issued a launching and recovery slipway relating to their rigging area zone. Marshals will assist the two groups of six allocated to each slipway.

Competitors should only launch/return to shore when their corresponding flag colour is flying.

Competitors must understand that this process may be more time consuming than under usual circumstances and everyone taking to the water is asked to be considerate, courteous and respectful to others whilst launching and recovering.

Full co-operation is the only way that we can ensure that open meetings are run safely and meet government guidance.

All trolleys must be clearly marked with the sail number.

Safety Boat Cover:

Essential safety cover is defined as when a sailor/windsurfer is unable to retrieve a boat/ windsurfer safely themselves and/or life is at risk.

No equipment will be rescued until conditions allow for it to be safe to do so by the safety team.

All those on site, on shore or on / in the water, must do what the safety team instructs at all times for their own and the safety team's safety.

Weather Conditions:

Anyone taking to the water must only do so in conditions that are within their own capabilities to sail in and they must be confident of their own ability to self-rescue in the event of a capsized.

Equipment Condition:

All craft and equipment should be checked to be in good condition at the time of launching.

Failure of equipment not only puts yourself unnecessarily at risk but others too!