

East Kent Radio Sailing Club

Title: Radio Sailing Events Risk Assessment – Barton's Point	Ref: EKRSC02	Issue No: 1	Effective Date: 27-Sep-22	

Table A

Assessor: Alan Hounsell & James La Roche	Assessment Date: 20-Sep-22	
Area Assessed: Barton's Point Coastal Park	Activities: Radio Sailing	Review Frequency: Annually

Table B

Potential Hazard Areas	Who might be harmed and how	Existing Control Measures	Additional Control Measures	Action by Who?	Action by When?
Serious Health Issues or Injury	Club Members Event Participants Serious Illness, Heart Attack or Hypothermia	"Responsible Person" nominated "In Case of Emergency" contact details to be supplied by all participants and held in "Safety Envelope"	Competent first aid applied when possible	Responsible Person to contact: 1 - Emergency Services "999" 2 - Persons "Emergency Contact"	Immediate
Rescue Boat Activities	Crew falling into water Crew at risk due to damaged boat	Only allow designated club members with Rescue Boat experience to "Skipper" Rescue Boat Designated crew to always wear buoyancy aids or lifejackets Watcher to be appointed to assist with launch, observe boat in use until return and assist with landing	Explain limitations on use of Rescue Boat at Skippers Briefing Check of Rescue boat condition at end of every event	Rescue Boat crew "Responsible Person" Watcher	Event Briefing Throughout Event



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Club Members and Event Participants hit		Normal driving practices Identify correct parking positions Limit speed within car area to 5mph	Remind club members to take care when parking and not obstruct any thoroughfares or access routes	"Responsible Person" with Hi Vis jacket	"Notice of Race" Event briefing
recovery of boats into water during launch or recovery		Identify safe sites for launch & recovery Only physically fit people allowed to launch & recover boats	Only allow launch & recovery at safe sites Ensure the bank approach is unobstructed When boat is being recovered / launched, sails to be fully sheeted out	Skipper "Responsible Person" Launcher Recovery Person	Event Briefing Throughout Event
Slips, Trips & Falls	Skippers & event officials General Public	Site is mainly natural "Coastal Park" with uneven ground and irregular shoreline with existing signage	Check areas of site in use and remove any trip hazards or slippery surfaces where possible Advise Skippers & Event Officials of trip hazards and slippery surfaces in areas likely to be used Advise wearing of suitable footwear and clothing for environment and weather	"Responsible Person"	Event Briefing Throughout Event



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Fatigue	Skippers & event officials "Responsible Person"	Run event at suitable pace and schedule appropriate breaks Have enough resources in Race Team	Allow sufficient breaks Monitor situation in extreme weather	"Responsible Person"	Throughout Event
Lake Water	Skippers & event officials Water contamination Illness and upset stomach	Notification of high levels of Blue Green Algae or similar water contamination. Monitor Warning Notices posted around lake	Check Lake and surrounding area for warning signs. Always Sanitize or wash hands before eating, smoking and at end of each event	"Responsible Person"	Event Briefing

Table C

Last Change	(None – First Issue	