

FLEETWOOD MODEL YACHT



AND POWER BOAT CLUB

Affiliated to M.Y.A.

Health, Safety and Environment Plan

To ensure the health and safety of club members and protection of the environment, the following conditions will be applied at all times that the facilities are in use:

1. Model sailing events hosted by **FMY&PBC** at **Laidleys Walk** will be under the control of a **Responsible Person**. This will be the Fleet Captain or in the case of an Open event, someone nominated by the Race Officer.
2. The **Responsible Person** must be in possession of a functioning mobile phone and remain on the bank at all times.
3. Should any anomaly in the lake or its environs be observed, the **Responsible Person** will immediately advise all participating persons and continue to do so as additional persons arrive.
4. The **Responsible Person** will have available a first aid kit (situated on the north wall of the club lounge) suitable for the maximum numbers of club members likely to use the facility and will launch the Emergency Action Plan in the event of serious illness or injury.
5. All activities shall be undertaken with full respect for wildlife on or in the vicinity of the lake.
6. A protection cover shall be installed over the tip of each protruding transmitter telescopic aerial at all times.
7. Launch and recovery of boats shall be made from a designated area. Care shall be taken by all participants to avoid slipping at the water's edge. Should a boat lose radio control and have to be manually recovered then extreme care must be exercised or preferably the rescue boat should recover the boat before it reaches the side of the lake. **Any person who decides to wade in the lake does so at their own risk.**
8. Protection against Weil's Disease should be observed by participants. Wash hands as soon as possible after sailing. Cover scratches and minor abrasions with a waterproof plaster. Do not go barefoot in water.
9. Prior to locking-up the facilities, the **Responsible Person** will check the general area to ensure that any litter has been collected.