

Boatyard Guidelines

For the happiness and safety of all boatyard users, please observe all guidelines. If in doubt, please ask a member of staff.

Prior to lift, the owner must

- Remove and secure all sails, covers and awnings to reduce windage.
- Ensure that the boat is safe to lift and that speed log blanks are in place.
- Tell the marina in advance if your boat is non-production or has been altered.
- Arrange unstepping of mizzen mast prior to lift (at Deacons Yard only).

Boatyard services

- Excessive hull fouling will incur additional charges for spray off.
- Mast un/stepping does not include a rig check or dis/connection of mast electrics and electronics.
- Only approach the hoist dock, boat hoist, forklift or boat mover when accompanied by a member of staff.

Prior to launch, the owner must

- Ensure the hull is watertight and ready to be lifted and launched.
- Have fenders and mooring lines ready.

Boats ashore

- Do not move or tamper with boat stands, cradle arms or other boat supports. Ask our staff for help.
- Do not secure anything to the cradle or any boat supports.
- It is the owner's responsibility to board the boat and to move around the deck using the correct equipment and taking all reasonable precautions.
- We do not supply ladders.
- Be careful moving forward of the main bulkhead and/or main mast.
- No use of sea toilets, sinks, showers or other through hull exits.
- No living/sleeping onboard boats ashore.

Working on boats ashore

- Only minor work can be undertaken on boats ashore without approval. Obtain marina authorisation before removing old antifouling, all sanding/scraping, removing engines, un/stepping masts and all 'boatbuilding' activities.
- It is forbidden to go up the mast.
- It is forbidden to start the engine.
- All contractors must report to the marina office on arrival and must complete our Contractors Permit before starting work.

Waste and rubbish

- Keep the area around your boat clean.
- It is your responsibility to dispose of waste from the boat in a safe and appropriate way. This may include removal from site to a suitable facility.
- Ask us for disposal of hazardous waste including oil, paint, batteries, electrical items, flares and fire extinguishers.
- Do not contaminate the general waste or recycling bins with oil, grease, paint, resin, sealant, lightbulbs, electrical items, batteries or metals. This will result in extra charges.
- Do not pour waste liquids down the drains or into the sea.

Children and pets

- Keep dogs on leads and children under close control at all times, and never onboard boats ashore.

Important

Read our Terms & Conditions, Health & Safety, and Environmental Guidelines, and our Contractors' Terms & Conditions

All available from the marina office and online www.boatfolk.co.uk/policies

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