BORROWING OF CLUB BOATS

Authorisation is required from one of the following: the Commodore, Des George; or the following Directors, Paul Hoad Phil Morgan. Or OOD on that day

In the following, a Junior is any person under 18 years of age who is included in a Family Membership, or is a Junior Member in his/her own right. If your membership does not include a craft fee, you must pay the annual supplement.

NOTE Club dinghies are NOT available for use by Temporary or Social Members.

RULES SPECIFIC TO JUNIORS

- 1) A Junior may only borrow a Club dinghy if the form headed To be returned to the Club has been completed and signed by their parent/guardian/carer and returned to the ring binder folder in the Lookout, under the Race Course Board.
- 2) A Junior may book a Club dinghy to take part in an organised event for which they will sign on and for which the Club safety boat is in attendance.
- 3) If a Junior wishes to sail a Club dinghy other than an organised event then the booking must be countersigned by an adult who must monitor the junior at all times, and be able to summon assistance if necessary.

If the Club safety boat is manned, in the same area and in radio contact with the shore, then supervision may be undertaken from the shore otherwise there must be an adult afloat at the same time who has agreed to monitor the Junior on the water.

RULES APPLICABLE TO ALL

- 1) Adequate personal buoyancy and clothing must be worn at all times.
- 2) Before a dinghy is used it must be signed out (with adult countersignature if relevant) in consultation with an authorised person who may assist with rigging the boat and getting you afloat. The A3 sheet for this is located in the Lookout under the Race Course Board. Topper and Laser rudder and dagger board etc are stored in the boat with sails rolled on masts in the racking. Feva and GP14 sails located in boats.
- 3) A Safety Boat should normally be on service and must be notified before launching
- 4) If not competing in an organised event, the dinghy must remain in an area bounded by the Inner Buoy (No 5) to the West, and Penhelig to the East. Sailing amongst the moorings is to be avoided as it is potentially dangerous at any state of tide.

- 5) The person signing out a dinghy is responsible for washing it, returning it to the dinghy park and re-stowing the gear. Any damage or repairs needed should be noted on the sign out sheet and reported to the authorising person.
- 6) All dinghies are insured by the Club in respect of damage and third party liability. Any incident which may give rise to a claim must be reported to the authorising person and noted on the signing out sheet.
- 7) You must comply with any directions given by the authorising person in connection with the use of any Club dinghy.
- 8) ADVANCE BOOKINGS may be made up to one week in advance of use, for up to two sessions (mornings 10.00 to 13.00, afternoons 13.00 onwards); during Dovey Fortnight the afternoon will consist of two sessions 13.00 to 15.30 and 15.30 to 17.00.

In addition, if a session is free it can be booked up to 24 hours in advance.

During Topper Week, Club boats will be allocated upon request for the week.