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COVID-19 Risk Assessment For 1720 Charter

A comprehensive COVID-19 risk assessment was undertaken for the above activity. The following control measures and procedures have been determined to be necessary to safely operate this activity.

General Procedures

Help prevent coronavirus

- Wash your hands
- Cover mouth if coughing or sneezing
- Avoid touching your face
- Keep surfaces clean
- Stop shaking hands and hugging
- Keep a safe distance

The virus spreads in sneeze and cough droplets, so regularly taking the above measures helps reduce the chance of it spreading.

Our major control measures

- Distance**
yourself at least 2 metres (6 feet) away from other people
- Avoid**
Touching items as much as possible

Please work with us by following our staff's directions and by limiting the items you touch as much as possible while with us.

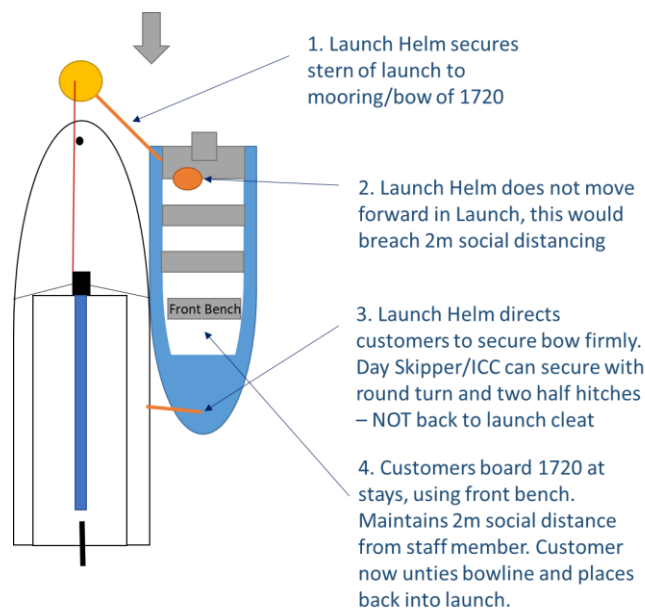
COVID-19 Risk Assessment

Risk	Control
Interaction between staff and customer	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All payments completed either online or by telephone. No cash or in person payments accepted. Limit time staff need to be near customer, at all times complying with 2m social distancing. Customer to wait until staff member directs them to board vessel, which will be after they have step moved clear. Clubhouse, including bathrooms remain closed.
Gear/Equipment provided becoming contaminated	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only Lifejackets will be provided, customers encouraged to bring own. Waterproof gear will not be provided. Instead customers are asked to bring their own. Warm layers and waterproof jackets are recommended. VHF Radio - handed out by office at registration in sealed Aquapack, switched on and fully charged. Handed back in with gear, customer to confirm they did not open radio bag, then staff member can follow specific procedure for decontaminating radio bag only.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lifejackets put into de-contamination area, signage affixed and left for 72hrs before being stored aseptically.
1720 Handover & Ferrying	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Ferrying of customers to 1720 will only be completed with 2m social distancing maintained always. This will be a slower process as ferry launch capacities will be significantly reduced. To reduce the amount of time in the ferry boat, customers may be asked to walk along the pier to a set of steps closer to the 1720 moorings. Customers will be required to sit in designated spaces on ferry boat to ensure they are not within 2m of staff member operating ferry boat. Boarding of the 1720 will be completed using a new procedure outlined.
Decontamination of boat	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> All touchpoints on 1720 and ferry boat will be decontaminated using 5% bleach solution, rest of boat with 1% W/V Virkon spray solution. Of the boat is not required in the next 72h, it will be left prior to cleaning. If it is booked again, disinfect touch points with 5% bleach solution and rest of boat with 1% W/V Virkon spray solution.

COVID-19 Procedure for Loading/Un-Loading on 1720s

Staff may **NOT** provide their hand/arm as a banister to aid customer. Instead the ferry launch must be secured alongside the 1720 and slow careful crossing between vessels is advised.



The same procedure is done for returning to the launch. Again the customer un-ties the bowline.

COVID-19 Procedure Changes to be Communicated to Customer

In light of the risks associated with the spread of COVID-19 a number of procedures have been put into place.

- We will not have in-person payment facilities, all payments must be made in full either online or over the phone.
- Only one member of each party will be permitted to enter our building to deal with necessary paperwork.

- In light of the risks of handling items, we will not be able to look after valuables/car keys.
- Toilet and bathroom facilities are not available currently.
- Any gear (limited only to lifejackets) that you may need to borrow will be decontaminated prior to handout. Please note, waterproof gear is not available for borrowing currently. We encourage participants to bring and use their own lifejackets if available.
- A VHF radio will be provided in a waterproof radio bag. The bag will have been decontaminated prior to use. Please do not open the bag, the radio will be given to you switched on and tested.
- Ferrying out to the charter vessel will take longer as capacity in ferry launch has been reduced. You may be asked to walk to a set of steps closer to the 1720 to reduce time spent near staff members.
- The boat you are hiring will have undergone a decontamination of all touch points from our staff member during set up.
- The handover will be completed at a distance and to reduce touchpoints, we ask that you do not open hatches.
- Emergency procedures will be affixed by sticker to the 1720, we will no longer provide a laminated document. Please read these prior to setting off.