DMBC: COVID – 19, POND REQUIREMENTS

The following requirements need to be implemented until further notice for all DMBC pond meetings. Idverde from whom DMBC hire the pond have required us to update our Event Plan and Risk Assessment. Below are the applicable areas of both amended documents. The documents (in full) will both be available on the DMBC website.

DMBC have been advised that Idverde will be monitoring events. So please comply with the requirements detailed within this document. This should allow DMBC to continue using the pond until the country is clear of COVID-19. requirements

David Marks – 9 July 2020

Event Plan

COVID

COVID - 19
For the duration of
restrictions defined
by UK government.
Added June 2020.

DMBC revised and up-issued the DMBC Risk Assessment to Iss. 9. to include COVIC 19 requirements/arrangements. The full document is available to members on the DMBC web-site and in addition, Section 14 covering COVID- 19 will be issued/forwarded to all members. The three DMBC committee members will monitor pond meetings to establish compliance to these requirements/arrangements.

Risk Assessment

14. COVID – 19	1. Group Size – Maximum of 6* members to sail one model each at any one time. <i>N.B. Maximum group size* is correct at 24 June 2020 and may change in accordance with government guidelines.</i>	M	LOW
	2. Spectating – Members not able to use the pond due to the maximum group size will be classed as `spectators' but are required to comply with the other requirements e.g. social distancing.	M	LOW
	3. Social Distancing – The 6 members sailing are requested to position themselves equispaced around the pond - see Annex A. Where this is impractical i.e. due to debris or an obstruction in the pond a minimum distance of 2 metres* is to be maintained at all times as the group is likely to consist of up to 6 different households. N.B. Minimum distance* is correct at 24 June 2020 and may change in accordance with government guidelines.	M	LOW

14. COVID – 19 Continued	4. Hand Sanitising – Members to provide their own sanitising solution which is to be applied upon arrival and at regular intervals during their time at the pond.	M	LOW
	5. Communal Items - Avoid touching communal items but where this occurs e.g. the entry/exit gate, apply sanitising solution as soon as possible afterwards.	М	MEDIUM
	6. Models and Equipment – Members are to handle only their own models and equipment. Where there is a need to handle models/equipment owned by others e.g. retrieval of an inoperative model from the pond, apply sanitising solution as soon as possible afterwards.	M	MEDIUM
	7. Records – One nominated member of the DMBC committee will complete the Attendance/Frequency Sheet.	М	LOW
	8. Sailing Times – The DMBC will ensure that the entry/exit gate is operative by 10 AM. All members to exit site (including vehicles) by 1PM	M	LOW

14. COVID – 19	9. Coronavirus Symptoms – DO NOT attend	M	MEDIUM
Continued	pond meetings if you are showing coronavirus		
	symptoms or if you or anyone in your		
	household or support bubble are self -		
	isolating.		

Annex A

