**Coastal Barbarians Rowing Club CIC**

**Regatta Emergency Plan and Risk Assessments**

**Date:**

**Hazard Identification and Risk Assessment**

**Purpose:**

To identify hazard and assess its risk in relation to organized Offshore Rowing Races in Swanage Bay in April/May.

Risk Assessments are based upon the following Risk Rating Matrix:

**Severity x Probability = Risk Rating**

Severity ratings are based upon typical outcomes rather than the most extreme. For example tripping on an underwater obstruction is most likely to result in a 2 or 3 level of severity despite the risk of the outcome being 4 or 5.

**Severity Rating**

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| Score | Description |
| 1. | Minor injury requiring limited medical assistance |
| 2. | Injury requiring medical assistance (first aider) but unlikely to result in absence from work and rowing |
| 3. | Injury requiring medical assistance (first aider possibly followed up by local doctor referral) that is likely to result in absence from work and rowing |
| 4. | Injury where professional medical treatment is required (fracture, dislocation etc by Paramedic, First Responder or Hospital |
| 5. | Serious illness, injury or death. |

**Probably Rating “It is considered that…..”**

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| Score | Description |
| 1. | there is little or no chance of hazard occurring (i.e. only in rare and unforeseen conditions) |
| 2. | there is a remote chance that the hazard could occur and therefore harm is unlikely |
| 3. | it is possible that the hazard could occur and could result in harm |
| 4. | it is likely that the hazard could occur and could result in harm |
| 5. | the hazard is certain to occur resulting in harm |

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|  | | **Probability Rating** | | | | |
| **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **5** |
| **Severity Rating** | **1** | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** |  |
| **2** | **2** | **4** | **6** | **8** | **10** |
| **3** | **3** | **6** | **9** | **12** | **15** |
| **4** | **4** | **8** | **12** | **16** | **20** |
| **5** | **5** | **10** | **15** | **20** | **25** |

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| **Score** | **Action** |
| 1 - 9 | Can Proceed with existing controls |
| 10-15 | Additional controls must be applied and the risk re-assessed |
| 16-20 | CANNOT PROCEED without complete re-evaluation of methodology and control |