Lifejackets for recreational boaters

Poole Harbour Commissioners fully support the National Lifejacket Campaign launched this year by the Maritime Coastguard Agency. The purpose of which was for a panel of experts to analyse if fatalities could have been prevented had a suitable lifejacket or flotation device been worn. It was agreed that 69% of fatalities probably or possibly would have been prevented.

It is strongly recommended that all recreational boaters wear a suitable lifejacket that is maintained, correctly worn and fit for purpose whilst at sea and within the Harbour.

More information can be obtained at the MCA, RNLI and RYA websites.

All Local Notices are available on the PHC website – www.phc.co.uk.

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Mariners please be aware that all Radar, CCTV, telephone and VHF Channels are recorded.