

GUIDANCE NOTE 5: PREPARING FOR WINTER ASHORE

Preparations for Winter Ashore:

1. All **sails and canvas work should be removed** prior to lifting out. Failure to remove sails may result in your lift being delayed and/or additional labour charges
2. If you have to leave a **canopy** on the boat please ensure that this is well attached and in serviceable condition. Avoid the use of loose tarpaulins as these cause excessive windage which will place additional load and wear on your boat
3. If you are leaving your **mast up** over the winter we will require you to fit two pairs of **ratchet straps** – one across the bow and one across the stern attaching down onto the cradle. Straps are available to hire from the marina or for assistance in fitting your own please speak to the yard foreman
4. Down below, **store all upholstery** on its edge (or store elsewhere) and remove bedding from the boat. If you require any repairs to covers or sails then Saturn Sails (01475 689 933) can collect from the marina
5. **Remove your outboard** and send for servicing. Clyde Outboard Services (01475 635 700) can collect and service your outboard

When in the yard:

1. **Please do not adjust cradles**, shores or boat stands without first discussing with the marina manager or yard foreman. We inspect the yard at least once a day (often more) and check all boats and supports. If you need to move a support a member of the JWD Marina staff will be on-hand to advise and assist
2. 16 x 16 amp sockets are available in the yard for **temporary use** and are available on a first-come first-served basis for short-term use. If you would like to use power for a longer period of time please speak to the yard foreman who will arrange for a suitable socket to be made available
3. **Power and water supplies** have been positioned along the north side of the yard. Vessels positioned in the middle and southern side of the yard will require long extension leads. The marina keep a limited number of power cables to assist customers – please speak to the yard foreman should you require an extension
4. **Hoses are not provided** in the yard. The taps use a standard fitting with which to attach a ‘Hozelock’ style attachment.
5. **Rubbish bins** are located inside the entrance to A-shed. These include bins for general waste and also for **oily rags and paint tins**. Large items of general waste should be placed in the skip at the top of the centre quay. If you require assistance please speak to a member of the marina staff.
6. **Please do not put oil or waste fuel into bins**. The marina can hold small quantities of waste oil and fuel but larger quantities should go directly to the Council operated ‘Environmental & Commercial Services’ facility located next to the marina at 71 East Hamilton Street. If you wish to use the marina facilities please speak to the yard foreman. The marina can **dispose of old batteries**. Please speak to the yard foreman who will collect your battery.