



## Risk Assessment for Workshop and Maintenance Equipment

Generic Benefits	Specific Outcomes
Members have access to use of work space for maintaining and repair of their own craft, that they might not have at home. Club have a range of mechanical equipment for specific jobs There are a range of tools available to members that may not normally be available	Club equipment is well maintained and serviced Members using workshop tools are matched by their own ability to use the tool – members judgement.

Specific Activity	Possible Problems/Issues	Probable Benefits	Control measures, reasonable and practical steps to avoid or reduce problems/issues	Decision/Comments/Actions	Reference other documents
Electric Tools The club has a range of electric mains tools	Electrocution Serious injury Incorrect use	Ability to complete tasks easily compared to manual process	Check that the electric cable is intact – good condition Use a circuit breaker	If in doubt ask for advice before use. Tools used at Members own Risk Tool not working or damaged – Isolate from continued use	
Hand Tools	Cuts and injury	Club gives access to a wide range of tools not normally found at home	Use tools according to your experience and expertise	If in doubt – don't use ask for advice.	
Hoists and Jacks	More specialist equipment Mechanical failure	Easy lifting of heavy items and boats	Equipment is professional checked and tested annually	Only use equipment within your expertise. Only use tagged equipment Members responsibility to if in doubt ask	
<b>Maintenance Tools</b> Sit on Lawnmower	Cuts and serious injury Incorrect usage	Clubs grounds are well maintained	Training is mandatory before use, by in house training	Don't use until training complete Ask if not sure	
Tractor	Serious Injury Improper use Like all tractors has its quirks	Moving heavy objects easily and other key tasks	Training is mandatory before use, by in house training	Don't use until training complete Ask if not sure	
Weedcutter	Serious Injury Improper use Water based	Specialist equipment to help maintain a weed free lake	Training is mandatory before use, by in house training	Don't use until training complete Ask if not sure	