

British Marine's guidance for the safe and full reopening of the marine industry, boating and watersports in England.

ENGLAND ONLY	Step 1		Step 2	Step 3	Step 4
	8 <sup>th</sup> March	29 <sup>th</sup> March	No earlier than 12 <sup>th</sup> April	No earlier than 17 <sup>th</sup> May	No earlier than 21 <sup>st</sup> June
<b>Hotel Boats</b>	Not permitted.	Not permitted.	Self-contained accommodation (those that do not require shared use of bathing, entry/exit, catering or sleeping facilities) permitted. Use by single household only.	6 people / 2 households per booking  *All holiday accommodation can be opened at Step 3 (subject to social contact limits). No legal restriction on the sharing of facilities if social contact rules adhered to. For example - any shared dormitory could only have 6 people/2 households.	No restrictions (subject to review).
<b>Self Drive Day Hire</b>	Permitted for the purpose of open air recreation in a public outdoor place (vessel must be open air). Single household/bubble only.  Stay local and minimise time spent away from home.	6 people / 2 households per boat (if vessel is open air). Single household (if vessel is enclosed).  *To note that the definition of indoor/outdoor is to be guided by	Same as Step 1.	No restrictions (other than usual capacity of vessel, if open air). 6 people or 2 households per boat (if vessel is enclosed)	No restrictions . (subject to review).

		<p>legislation on smoke free premises. From the All Tiers regs: a place is indoors if it would be considered to be enclosed, or substantially enclosed, for the purposes of section 2 of the Health Act 2006, under the Smoke-free (Premises &amp; Enforcement) Regulations 2006</p>			
Self Drive Holiday Hire	Not permitted.	Not permitted.	Single household / bubble per boat.	6 people / 2 households per boat.	No restrictions . (subject to review).
Skipped Boats	Not permitted.	<p>It is up to the discretion of each individual skipper whether your skipper boat may operate compliantly under each step. Skippers should consider:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The social contact rules governing indoor and outdoor gathering which apply at each step.</li> <li>• Your ability to ensure appropriate social distancing between individuals/households at each step.</li> </ul> <p>N.B. the skipper does not count towards Rule of 6 or 2 household limits.</p>			No restrictions , (subject to review).
Fixed Trading Boats	Takeaway only. Not including alcohol).	Takeaway only. Not including alcohol).	<p>Outdoor table service. 6 people / 2 households per booking.</p> <p>Takeaway alcohol permitted. Must follow</p>	<p>6 people / 2 households per booking indoors.</p> <p>Max. 30 people per booking outdoors <i>if vessel is open</i></p>	No restrictions , (subject to review).

			COVID-Secure rules.	<i>air and is COVID secure</i>	
<b>Watersports Activity</b>	<p>Private watersports permitted for recreation on waterways accessible to the public. (2 people / 1 household).</p> <p>Stay local and minimise time spent away from home.</p> <p>(Subject to complying with restrictions around water sport facilities which remain closed with limited exceptions until 29 March)</p>	<p>Outdoor watersports venues may open. Formal club activity can restart. Private groups of 6 people / 2 households.</p>	<p>Outdoor attractions at waterparks and aqua parks may reopen.</p>	<p>Indoor attractions at waterparks and aqua parks may reopen. Private groups of up to 30 outdoors.</p>	<p>No restrictions . (subject to review).</p>
<b>Private boats</b>	<p>Private boating (where vessel is open air) permitted for recreation on waterways accessible to the public. Single household / bubble per boat.</p> <p>Stay local and minimise time spent away from home.</p> <p>(Subject to complying with restrictions around water sport facilities)</p>	<p>Private boats for recreation (1 household for indoor boats &amp; 6 people / 2 households for outdoor boats)</p> <p>Minimise travel (stay at home rules lifted). Overnight stays should not take place.</p>	<p>Same as step 1 plus guidance against overnight stays lifted (<i>single household bubble only</i>)</p> <p>Minimise travel</p>	<p>Same as step 2 with 6 people / 2 households for indoor boats, max. 30 for outdoor boats</p> <p>Minimise travel</p>	<p>No restrictions . (subject to review).</p>