



# Mike Thurston Water Activities Centre Rules For Users Of The Centre (2014)

*Registered Charity 1101150*

1. The reservation of the facilities will only be confirmed upon the receipt of the completed booking form(s) and a deposit of £20 (non-refundable).
2. Persons using the site, both land and water must ensure that they provide their own adequate insurance. **The trustees will accept no responsibility for any injury/damage or loss, however caused, to centre user's life, limb or property.**
3. The user is responsible for ensuring there is suitably qualified supervision for all activities.
4. All persons using the water must be able to swim a minimum of 50 metres and must be dressed in suitable clothing, i.e. T-shirts, shorts, windproof outer garment and old trainers or like to protect feet.
5. Users must ensure that no wilful damage is caused and no unruly behaviour occurs. All equipment and property allocated to or in the custody of the user will be checked prior to issue/use and upon return. All losses and/or damage will be charged to the users at the replacement cost, up to our insurance excess charge of £50.00
6. No pollutant, whether liquid or solid, is to be discharged into the water.
7. No fires may be lit on the ground. Altar fires and a campfire pad are provided. Wood is expensive and if it is wasted we reserve the right to make an additional charge. There is to be no felling of standing timber.
8. The toilet block and washing facilities must be left clean after use.
9. The site must be left clean and free of litter. The digging of holes for refuse is not permitted. When practical, all combustible litter must be burnt. Non-combustible material should be separated and taken to the local household recycling site<sup>1</sup>.
10. The site must be left secure at all times when unattended.
11. Vehicles are not permitted on the grass (except for initial unloading and final loading at the start and end of camp respectively).
12. Good relationships are maintained with our neighbours by mutual respect and understanding. All users are expected to uphold this.
13. All properties, land and waterways adjoining the site are out of bounds.
14. Strictly no motorised craft on the lake.
15. Dogs belonging to hirers or visitors are not permitted on site.
16. The site should be cleared by noon on the day of departure.

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<sup>1</sup> Site is approx two miles south of North Walsham. Leave North Walsham at the 'Lid' mini-roundabout and take the 'former' A149 Yarmouth Road heading south (past the Police Station on the right). Pass the Caravan Park on left, then hotel on the right. Take the next right at the nursery/plant centre. Follow this road up the hill and site is immediately at top, through metal gates. Site is also well sign posted from the 'new' A149 from the south.