

# DBCYA PONTOON TERMS OF USE

**For use by DBCYA Full members only**  
for the purpose of temporary land access by personal dinghy.  
NO COMMERCIAL VESSELS



**MAXIMUM STAY IN ONE CONTINUOUS PERIOD: 48 HOURS**

## **DINGHIES MUST BE:**

- **IDENTIFIED** with your DBCYA membership number on legible display.
- **AUTHORISED** with a current DBCYA authorisation sticker on legible display.  
*(issued from the office/bar to current members only)*
- **14FT OR LESS**  
Oversize dinghies are to be tied up to the wharf (pontoon end).  
DBCYA reserves the right to declare smaller length dinghies oversize if they are an otherwise substantially sized vessel.
- **SECURED CONSIDERATELY THUS:**
  - a) with a rope painter, being of uniform length to the dinghies around it.  
NO CHAINS PERMITTED.
  - b) by the bow only - no tying up fore and aft
  - c) in a manner that:
    - does not cause trip hazards over steps and ladders.
    - does not block access to the duckboard (loading deck) and water tap at the rear of the pontoon.
    - minimises the risk of damage to other dinghies.

Inflatable dinghies and dinghies under 8ft can be secured to the walkway bridge, with the rope painter secured so that it does not cause a trip hazard.  
NO CHAINS PERMITTED.

No member is to willingly interfere with another secured vessel for their own gain or benefit.

No tie-up locations can be reserved.

## **USERS TAKE NOTE**

Use of the pontoon is solely at the user's risk. DBCYA takes no responsibility for damage incurred to persons or vessels in the process of utilising the pontoon.

TAKE CARE: vessels tied to, or too near to, the duckboard risk being sunk as the tide changes.

Please report any observed pontoon damage or wear and tear to the General Manager.

DBCYA reserves the right to reposition or authorise the repositioning of any dinghy secured on the pontoon if that dinghy is in danger of or is incurring damage to itself or other vessels, including cutting rope if required.

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**Any vessels stored or secured in contravention of these rules are subject to removal, relocation and/or disposal by DBCYA.**  
**DBCYA holds no liability for these actions.**

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**Governing Policy:**  
*DBCYA Pontoon Access and Dinghy/Trailer Storage Policy*

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**DO NOT LEAVE ANY  
RUBBISH OR  
PERSONAL ITEMS**