

DHNA is the moorings licensing authority for Dart Harbour. To this end, it is Board policy that DHNA shall:

- Manage DHNA Harbour moorings in accordance with Articles 9, 10 and 11 of the Harbours, Piers and Harbour Act, 1975 Harbour Revision Order and Docks, Harbour Revision Order 2021.
- Lift and maintain all DHNA buoys annually.
- Inspect by divers the mainstream buoys biannually.
- Continue to license all the moorings in the Harbour, negotiating with the Duchy of Cornwall as required.
- Will not create any further moorings and stay in line with the contract between the Duchy of Cornwall and DHNA.
- Demand evidence of appropriate insurance and adequate maintenance from all private mooring holders.
- Require all mooring holders to keep their vessels in a seaworthy condition.
- Require a statement from all yacht clubs, mooring contractors and trusts to the effect that they have adequate insurance and undertake appropriate maintenance.
- Ensure vessels use the allocated anchorages.
- Take a firm stance on unauthorised and unmarked moorings in the harbour.
- Not allow any house boats to moor on the river.
- When mooring become available look to see if a more efficient lay out could be achieved to maximise berth/mooring.
- Levy a differential charge for unoccupied moorings. (Boat Holiday)
- Visiting yachts to only be allowed a maximum of 3 months unless the HM agrees to an extension.
- Look to improve the environment with the requirement for vessels over 10m to hold waste water on board for suitable discharge.
- Look to improve the current system with regards to boat ownership (grandfather rights)
- Monitor the waiting list to ensure a fair process.



• Review annually the mooring and Harbour dues.

Monitor and review the Moorings Policy and numbers on an annual basis with a view to enhancing recreational boating opportunities having due regard to safety, the environment, availability and demand. Nothing in this Policy shall subvert existing Harbour Byelaws, General Directions, regulations or terms and conditions.

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