

# Vanguard Sailing Club

## Statement of Intent

03.03.2025

Vanguard Sailing Club is committed to high standards of Health, Safety and Environmental Management for all its activities and operations, for everyone who is a member, it's visitors and the community.

The club will follow the legislation of the Port of Workington, it's Marine Safety Management System and any byelaws.

The club will achieve the requirements of the Health and Safety at Work Act 1974, and all related legislation including the Port Marine Safety Code.

The club will follow Health and Safety guidance as provided by the Royal Yacht Association.

It will provide a safe healthy Club environment, safe systems of work and continual development of all its members, as one of its key operational functions.

The club will consult with its members on all health and safety matters and establish a broader communication network with any visitors and persons using the public footpath running through the club grounds during any slipway operations.

The Club will work with the Port of Workington Authority to protect the environment and respond to any oil spills.

The club ensure that its assets are maintained and operated in a professional, safe, and appropriate manner.

An internal audit will take place every two years, where an Action Plan will be written to assist with the continual improvement of its health and safety performance, demonstrating its commitment in promoting good health and safety practices.

Michael Kelly  
Commodore

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Health and Safety Officer