Tata Steel Sailing Club Margam



Operating the Jetwasher

The objective is to remove shrimp from dinghies, surfboards, trolleys and trailers - see also the notice on invasive shrimp.

At the start of the day, wheel the machine to the NE corner of the clubhouse to use; drainage to the lake can then occur.

Protective clothing is advisable.

Turn on the water supply and allow air bubbles to escape from the yellow hose. Connect the hose to the machine (push fit)

It is important not to kink the output hose.

Uncoil the output hose and pull and hold the lance trigger until all air bubbles have ben expelled (1 Min). Removing air bubbles ensures the motor does not burn out.

Connect the powerlead to the mains supply, then with the lance pointing downwards, turn on the machine.

Do not point the lance at anyone at any time

When jet washing, the tip of the lance should be approx 4 inches (10 cm) from the target. A sweeping motion is best starting at the highest point and proceeding to the lowest; this allows contaminants to drain away efficiently.

Dwell on one spot for too long and surface damage might occur

If you're the last user for the day, after use, use the switch on the machine to stop, then neatly coil the lance hose and powerlead onto the machine and return to the boatshed.