## Guidelines for use on water.

IMPORTANT NOTE: - ALWAYS ENSURE THAT ALL OCCUPANTS ARE WEARING AN APPROVED LIFEJACKET - FAILURE TO OBSERVE THIS RECOMMENDATION WILL PUT THE OCCUPANTS AT RISK.

1/This boat is approved for use in category C conditions, with waves less than 2 metres and wind maximum force 6. It is suitable for local coastal waters, inland waters – it is not suitable elsewhere.

- 2/ If the boat is equipped with an outboard motor refer to maximum recommended HP shown on hull plate under no circumstances exceed the maximum recommended power.
- 3/ Occupants must not sit on tubes; only sit either on the seat or in the actual deck area.
- 4/ For additional safety it is recommended that the outboard motor propeller is fitted with a safety guard.
- 5/ Occupants should be equally spread out around the interior of the boat, do not all sit on the same side this will affect the boats stability.
- 6/ Occupants are recommended to hold the safety lines or handles (were fitted) whilst the boat is moving.
- 7/ Regularly check that the pressure of the tubes. Do not sail the boat if the tube pressure is low or if pressure loss is encountered whilst on the water return immediately to the nearest point of safety, and check the pressure.
- 8/ In the event of an occupant falling into the water, carefully move alongside the person, taking care that they do not come in contact with the outboard motor if it is still operating, to avoid this danger it is recommended that the boat is rowed to the person in the water.

The lifelines that are situated on each tube should be held by the person, whilst recovery is taking place. Care should be taken to maintain the stability of the boat while the person is being recovered. If stability cannot be maintained then call for assistance from another boat.

- 9/ In the event of the outboard motor failing to operate for any reason, then the occupants should row to the nearest point of safety, which in some circumstances may be another boat, always alert other boats as to your situation.- do not take risks.
- 10/ Do not drag the boat over shale or rough surfaces, when on water avoid all rocks or any sharp objects.
- 11/ Ensure that any equipment in the boat is fully secured or stowed safely before starting your journey, do not have items loose within the boat.
- 12/ Respect for the environment: Always make yourself aware of any local environment laws: Do not discharge fuel into the water: Do not throw waste into the water, respect the environment you are using.