

Daily Log



GUIDANCE NOTES

The Daily Log gives details of the general beach information, individuals on duty, operational equipment, environmental conditions and an hourly log of events. It also provides details of inspections carried out by relevant individuals.

This form should be completed on a daily basis and signed off at the end of the day by the senior person responsible for operations at the location

Logged On This is a "check" tick box, to ensure that the unit has been logged on/declared with HMCG or central point of contact.

Radio Check Tick box on completion of radio check.

Weather @ 1000hrs Please indicate the weather conditions at the start of the day, using the table below to assist the recording of wave height:

Wave Size (ft)	Height compared to a Surfer	Wave Size (ft)	Height compared to a Surfer
Flat	Flat	4-5ft	Chest to Head Height
1-2ft	Flat to Waist Height	5-6ft	Head Height or Over
3-4ft	Chest Height	6ft+	Over Head Height

Equipment Checks To be completed at the start of each daily patrol.

Inspection Section To be completed by the senior person responsible for location operations ONLY.

Log Notes All normal duties and general lifeguard activities including patrols, significant public address announcements, change in weather conditions and unusual occurrences should be recorded in the log notes against the approximate time bracket. Details of exact time and place should be included for events, which the Senior Lifeguard deems appropriate.

The Log Notes should also include IRB/RWC launches, patrol times etc

Launch Authority The Senior Lifeguard is responsible for authorising the launch of IRB/RWC.

Preventative Actions This should be an hourly record of all preventative actions taken by the the team, to include:

Tannoy / PA Announcements	Hazard Management
Face-to-face Advice	Flags / Signs
Patrols	Educational Talks

Weather Conditions Indicate any changes to the weather conditions on an hourly basis.

Visitor Population The visitor population should be estimated every hour for people on the beach and in the water either swimming/paddling or surfing/using water craft/competing.

Senior Officer Signature The Senior Officer in charge must check and sign off the Daily Log every day .

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