

PACKING SHED TRUST

(Registered Charity No.1040239)

Rules for the use of the Shed and the Island

1. Access is not always easy. Appropriate footwear should be worn at all times and care should be taken not to muddy the interior of the shed. Children must be carefully supervised at all times.
2. One of the launch drivers will hold a key to the main door of the shed. If necessary however, one can be borrowed from the Company Shed.
3. Smoking and naked flames are not permitted at any time anywhere in or near the shed because of its flammable structure. Cooking may be carried out using the microwave and water boiler only. Barbecues are permitted at a safe distance from the shed and must be supervised at **ALL** times.
4. There are three fire extinguishers and a fire blanket in the shed and users should familiarise themselves with their locations and instructions for use.
5. All users must respect the fragile nature of the ecology of the island. During the nesting season (April, May and June) birds and their nests should not be approached. "Nests" are often no more than a scrape or hollow in a pebble or shell bank, just above the summer high tide line and are not obvious.
6. The Union Flag should be hoisted on the flagpole to signify approved use of the shed. The flag should be lowered and replaced in the shed prior to departure. All doors and windows must be fastened securely before departure and the shed left in good and clean condition.
7. Users must provide their own rubbish bags and take all rubbish back to the mainland for disposal.
8. Any damage to the shed or island should be reported to the Trust.
9. A toilet is provided – if any attention to it is required, the Trust should be informed.
10. The water available for the toilet is rainwater and **NOT** suitable for drinking or even for the washing of hands. Users should provide their own fresh water for these purposes. There is a water tap at the hammerhead from which containers may be filled.
11. A First Aid Kit is provided in the shed.
12. Please do not walk on or permit children to play on the granite stone bunds - they are for sea defence against sea erosion.