Radio Operation

Channel 1 is priority channel for Safety.

Channels 2 to 16 can be used for coaching.

2, 3, 4, 5 are preferred for coaching, 6 to 16 spares

If used for coaching SCAN must be in operation, this continually monitors channel 1

Scan is activated by pressing the top side button on the left, SCAN will be announced by the radio and the green light will flash to show operation.

If coaching there are two options 1 use the radio as is, 2 to use the earpiece and mike using the VOX facility, voice operation, this is enabled by the lower button on the left side, this system will be tested to see if it works over the noise of the outboard engine, if it does it will free up hands to operate the launch safely.

If used coaching a second radio should be set to the same channel as the coach and interfaced with a cox box if coxed boat or remote speakers that can be placed under the seats in a coxless boat.

There is a red button on top which can be used to monitor the frequency you wish to use to see if any one else is using it eg Dorney lake, local mini cab firm etc. If so change channel to find a free one.

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