In the case of a small fire that has just started there are Powder Fire Extinguishers that can be used on all types of fire, eg electrical, oil and paper these can be used to extinguish an early fire. The fire extinguishers are located on the first floor near the kitchen door and on the ground floor in the main entrance hall. There is also a Fire Blanket in the kitchen that should be used on pan fires.

Do not attempt to extinguish an established fire or where there is a large amount of smoke. In these cases shout a warning to anybody else in the building and make your way to the nearest exit that is away from the fire. On the first floor this will be the main stairway at the kitchen end or the fire exit at the opposite end of the club room. The fire exit is opened using the push bar. On the ground floor there is only one exit, the main door. Help anybody else to escape if this is necessary. Call the fire brigade, give the address as Maidstone Canoe Club, adjacent to LA Fitness at Mill Meadow St Peter Street.