

Stern Quarter Cleat Covers for a Shrimper 19 Mk2.

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When gybing it is common for the mainsheet to catch on the aft quarter mooring cleats, particularly when racing. I made this simple solution.

Parts:

65mm square section UPVC rainwater downpipe.
Bungee and bungee clips.

Method:

Cut a 260mm length of downpipe. Cut 20mm off the bottom to leave a deep U shaped channel 45mm high.

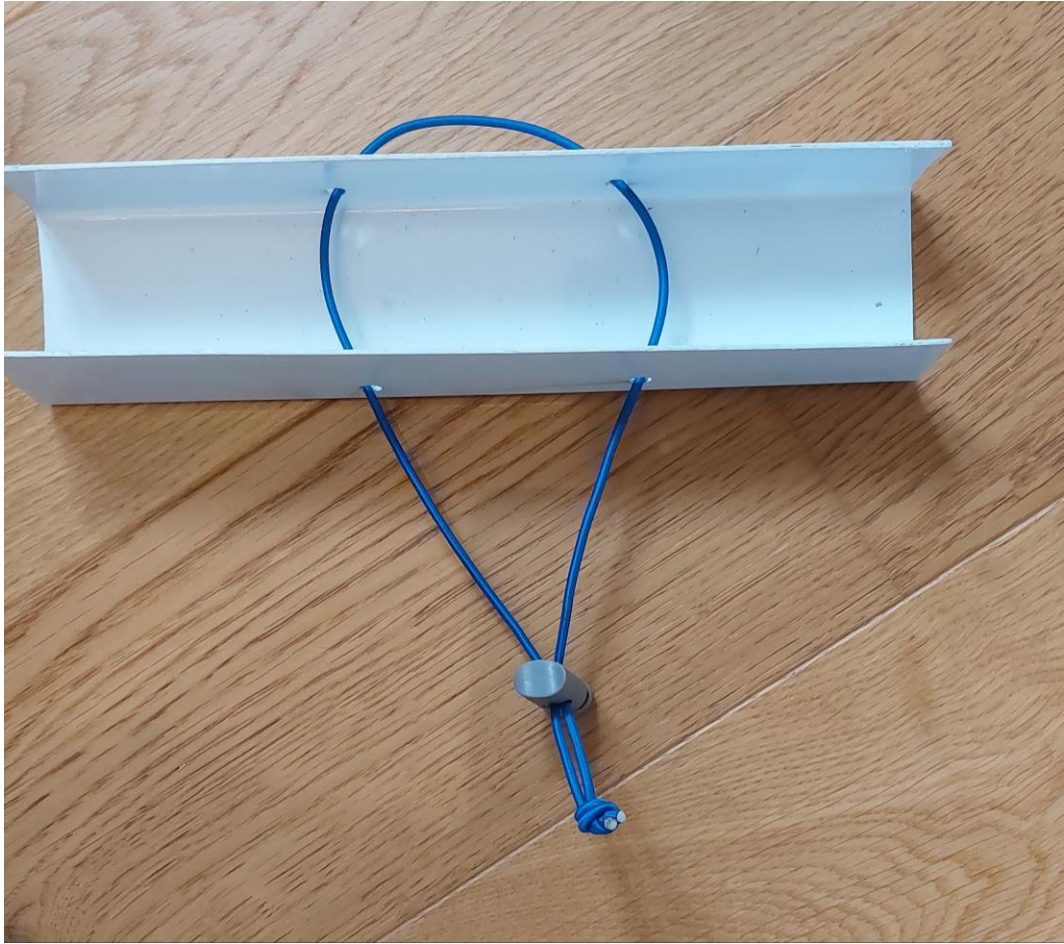
Drill two holes in each side face 15mm down from the top and 100mm in from each end. Hole diameter needs to provide a good clearance for the bungee.

Thread the bungee through all four holes and use a slider clip (as found on waterproof jackets etc.) to secure and adjust the bungee.

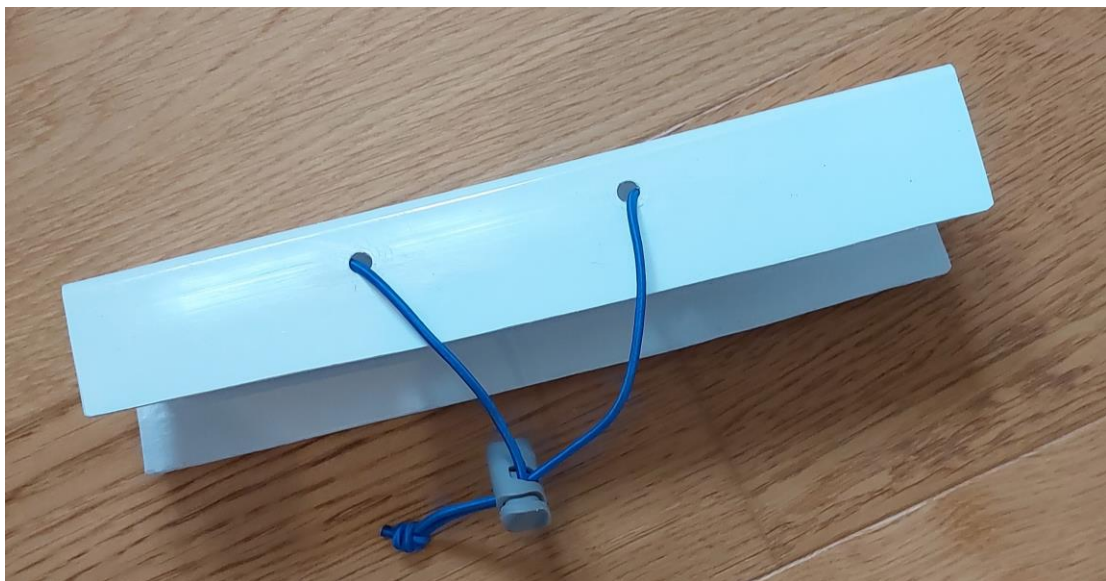
To fit, the plastic channel is placed over the cleat with the bungee under the horns and the slider clip tightened.



Top View



Underside



Side View



Cover Fitted - Outboard Side



Cover Fitted – Inside Cockpit