



**All-Weather Lifeboat, at 12.44pm on 23 May 2019**

**Swanage's all-weather Shannon class lifeboat was requested to launch this afternoon when a motorboat reported sighted what appeared to be a person in the water 16Nm SSE of Swanage.**

**The lifeboat was tasked to investigate and proceeded at full speed to the location in calm conditions. Once on scene the person was recovered from the water and taken back to the lifeboat station. Sadly, they were pronounced deceased by ambulance paramedics a short time later. Our thoughts are with the casualty's family.**



**This year, Swanage's lifeboats have responded to 5 incidents together.**

**The Shannon class all-weather lifeboat has launched to 7 further incidents.**

**The D class inshore lifeboat has also responded to 7 incidents.**

**This gives a total of 19 incidents, so far, this year**

