



Crew Safety Guidelines – Boat and Barge Operations

- We will have Safety Divers on set while working on and around the water. They are the only crew to enter the water in an emergency. They will be maintaining watch over general operations throughout the day. **Please obey their direction as they are on set for YOUR SAFETY.**
- Please direct all marine requests through the marine coordinator or assistant coordinator.
- Life jackets are available on the barges and boats. The Marine Coordinator will dictate mandatory use as conditions warrant.
- If you are wearing a tool belt, a life jacket is mandatory.
- There will be **no smoking** on the boats, and barges will have a designated smoking area.
- A safety boat is available at all times to recover persons or equipment.
- Life rings are stationed around the barges and are to be used by any crew member observing a person in the water requiring immediate assistance. Upon such circumstance, please notify all crew by yelling and drawing attention to the incident so that the Safety Divers can respond. Dedicate one person to maintain a watch on the person overboard until such times they are rescued.
- While on board any boat, the operator of that vessel is in command of all activity that occurs on board. It is the operator's final judgment as to the safe operation and conduct of the crew on the boat.
- While docking and undocking, the Marine Crew are the only persons to tie lines. Please remain clear of the boat while this is occurring. Do not embark or disembark until instructed to do so by the operator of the boat.
- Never under any circumstances place arms, legs, or head between 2 boats or a boat and a dock.
- While working on the barges use extreme care. Be aware of trip hazards. **Always look behind you before stepping back.** If you are working near an edge, please partner up or ask for a Safety Diver to standby.

This list is by no means exhaustive. Please use caution at all times. Safety requirements may change throughout the day as weather and sea conditions change.

Thank You
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