



Nebraska Boating Company Terms of Use & Essential Information

Effective 08/01/2025

2025 Season Hours of Operation

Season: **April 1 – October 31**

Tuesday – Sunday: 9 AM – 7 PM

Monday: Closed

Holidays May Affect These Hours

Welcome to Nebraska Boating Company

Thanks for choosing Nebraska Boating Company. During the 2025 season, we offer Jet Ski Rentals & Rides at various locations around Omaha. Before you ride, please review these guidelines. They exist to protect you, others, and the waterways we love.

Reservations & Waivers

- Book online up to 48 hours in advance or call/text **(402) 306-8309** for same-day reservations (subject to availability).
 - Walk-up rentals may be available; check our calendar at www.NebraskaBoatingCompany.com/events.
 - First-time riders must:
 - Sign a waiver (online or in person).
 - Watch our safety video.
 - Complete in-person training.
 - All operators and riders must sign a liability waiver once per season and bring a matching photo ID.
 - If boating in Nebraska, you must have a Boater's Training Certificate or be born BEFORE 1985. This applies to Branched Oaks and Fremont Lakes.
 - If boating in Iowa, you do not need a Boater's Training Certificate. This applies to Carter Lake and Lake Manawa.
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Launching & Returning Jet Skis

- **We handle all launching and recovery of the jet skis.** Customers are **not allowed to tow, trailer, or transport** jet skis under any circumstances.
- Our team will launch your jet ski at the designated site, review safety guidelines, and assist you when you return.
- Please follow staff instructions carefully for safe launching and docking.

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Training Requirements

- All operators must complete both online and in-person safety training each year.
 - Our staff will provide a quick refresher before every launch.
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Age Requirements

- Operators must be **21+**.
 - Passengers must be **8+** to ride behind the operator.
 - Minors (8–17) must be with a parent or legal guardian (25+) for the entire rental.
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Safety Rules on the Water

- **No racing, stunts, or reckless driving.**
- Stay out of swim areas and No Wake Zones.
- Keep at least 50 feet from docks, boats, and people in the water.
- No alcohol or drugs at any time.
- Engine OFF when boarding from the water.
- All riders must wear a life jacket.
- Swimwear: shorts-style bottoms only (for your safety).

Pregnancy Advisory: Riding a jet ski is high impact. If you are pregnant or think you might be, we strongly advise you not to ride.

Policies

- **Arrive 15 minutes early** to allow time for check-in and safety prep.
- Late arrivals will shorten your ride. No partial refunds.
- **Cancellations:** Cancel or reschedule free up to 24 hours ahead. Less than 24 hours = \$50 fee.
- **Weather:** If we cancel due to weather or unsafe water conditions, you get a full refund or reschedule.
- **Deposit At Time Of Reservation:** \$50 hold per jet ski required. You are responsible for any damage or injury caused by your operation.

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Emergency Guidelines

- For Non-Life-Threatening Emergencies, Call us immediately: (402) 306-8309.
 - For life-threatening emergencies, **call 911**.
 - If someone falls off:
 - Circle back slowly from downwind.
 - Turn engine OFF before they reboard.
 - For fire, engine trouble, or severe weather:
 - Shut off engine if safe.
 - Signal for help with the orange flag.
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Additional Info

- **Fuel:** Start full; extra fuel \$4/gallon at our dock. Do NOT run out of gas on the river. Rescue for empty tank = loss of security deposit.
 - **Storage:** Our jet skis have dry storage, but we are not responsible for lost or damaged items.
 - **Bluetooth:** Available. No headphones.
 - **Weight Limit:** 500 lbs max per jet ski.
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Courtesy & Community

Our team is here to keep you safe and make your day unforgettable. Please respect their instructions and show appreciation for their hard work. Tips are customary for excellent service.

Thank You

We appreciate your trust in us. We love being on the water and believe in being good stewards of what God has given us. Enjoy your adventure, stay safe, and make some great memories!