

Safe Boating: Required Safety Equipment

No personal watercraft are permitted on the reservoirs at anytime.

For vessels no longer than 6 metres, including rowboats, canoes & kayaks:

- 1. One Canadian-approved personal flotation device or lifejacket of appropriate size for each person on board.
- 2. One buoyant heaving line of not less than 15 m in length.
- 3. One manual propelling device or an anchor with not less than 15 m of cable, rope or chain in any combination.
- 4. One Class 5BC fire extinguisher, if the pleasure craft is equipped with a fuel burning cooking, heating or refrigerating appliance.
- 5. One bailer or one manual water pump fitted with or accompanied by sufficient hose to enable a person using the pump to pump water from the bilge of the vessel over the side of the vessel.
- 6. A watertight flashlight or three Canadian-approved flares of Type A, B or C (powered vessels only).
- 7. A sound signaling device or sound signaling appliance.
- 8. Navigation lights that meet the applicable standards set out in the Collision Regulations if the pleasure craft is operated after sunset and before sunrise or in periods of restricted visibility.