

JET SKI INCIDENT

Last week there was an incident with jet skiers in the marina. There were 2 jet skiers and they were getting out onto the marina A and B Docks, and also got out to walk on the log boom, and were generally not being respectful of CBHA property. They were rude to the staff when they tried to point out rules, even with 4 different employees trying. Finally, a member that witnessed this fiasco spoke up in no uncertain terms. The Jet Skiers left in a huff saying we should put No Trespassing signs everywhere, then. Maybe they couldn't understand the signs marking it PRIVATE. We shall add No Trespassing signs.

- First of all, **harassing the seals is against the law.**
- No one without a leased slip belongs on the A or B docks unaccompanied.
- Only people doing maintenance on the log boom should ever be walking on it.
- Our log boom is our first line of defense against winter storms and large wakes from passing water traffic. Walking on it contributes to wear on the fasteners. Damage to CBHA property and structures costs every single member, one way or another.
- Every member needs to watch out for trouble, and be ready to speak up.

These people were photographed with their WN numbers clearly showing on the jet skis. Their faces were clearly showing. But they left, even if it was under hostile conditions. If they return, we will file charges for willfully entering CBHA without authorization.

These people claimed to be friends of a member, but when the office checked, the member said no. If strangers try to use your name, don't be surprised if the office calls to verify.

At the same time, the launch gate was left open. **Boaters**, please, **lock the gate as soon as you are inside**. If you know the next boater in line, it's okay to leave it unlocked so they can drive in, but it's important you make sure it's locked again if that other rig doesn't lock it immediately. *Don't ASSUME the next guy will do the right thing if you don't.*