

Safety Information

Your on-water safety is important, make sure you're up to date with the latest safety information.

In case of emergency please contact:

Canadian Coast Guard's 24-hour Rescue Centre: 1-800-567-5111 or 1-250-413-8933, #727 (cellular) Note: All activities are undertaken at your own risk.

Have fun and stay safe!

Transport Canada requires that all paddlers have a personal flotation device (PFD) or lifejacket of an appropriate size and carry a sound-signaling device like a whistle. If you are heading out after sunset, before sunrise or in adverse weather like a foggy day, you are required to carry a watertight flashlight. For more safety requirements please see Transport Canada's Safe Boarding Guide: www.tc.gc.ca

Every day is different!

Be sure to check water temperatures, tides, currents and wind conditions before your adventure begins. Information is available through Environment Canada: www.weather.gc.ca

Also consider seasonal water quality, Vancouver Coastal Health provides weekly updates: www.vch.ca



You are not alone!

Wear a brightly coloured PFD or life jacket so that others can see you while on the water. Please be mindful of marine traffic around you and review the Port of Vancouver's Safe Boating Guide for marine traffic rules: www.portvancouver.com