



THE DANVILLE BOAT CLUB

WATERFRONT FACILITY RULES

1. All assignments of slips or moorings will be made by the Boat Dock Committee to Boat Club members only. Any variance must be granted by the Board of Directors (example: Club Manager). A record of all assignments will be made, and the Board of Directors will be kept informed on the current status of said assignments. The Danville Boat Club reserves the right to reject any application for or renewal of a slip or revoke a lease during the season as needed for the good of the Club
2. All slips are the property of the Club and as such will be contracted and maintained by the Club. The Club shall not be liable for any damage to persons or property, or theft while a member or guest is using a boating facility.
3. For the privilege of occupying a slip or mooring facility, an annual rental fee shall be charged in an amount established by the Board of Directors. All fees are nonrefundable and are due and payable March 1st each year. After 30 days, any unpaid slips will be made available to members on the dock waiting list. Boat slips or moorings may not be subleased.
4. The Club shall post in the clubhouse a chart showing the slips and moorings and their respective renters together with applicants for a slip or mooring, and assignments for each shall be according to priority as evidenced by the application list.
5. The Club reserves the right to reassign each slip on an annual basis; however, the renewal right of the previous year's renter shall be given priority.
6. Courtesy docks for members and guests are for short-term docking only. The Boat Dock Committee will take action on abuse of this privilege.
7. No vehicle, trailer or other equipment shall be parked on the waterfront. Access must be available for other members. Prior approval for handicapped parking at the slip level must be obtained from the Board of Directors.
8. All equipment must be kept off the docks, the immediate dock area and the boat house. Equipment is meant to include canoes, jon boats, boat covers, oars, paddles, etc.
9. Any Club member borrowing or taking personal property located on Danville Boat Club premises, docks, or slips without the consent of the owner, renders the offender liable to the suspension of privileges at the discretion of the Board of Directors.
10. Any Club member defacing, mutilating, or in any way destroying Club or member property of any kind will be held strictly accountable. And in the event of failure to reimburse the Club or member(s) within 30 days for damages in an amount set by the Board of Directors, said member shall be subject to the suspension of privileges and loss of slip.



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11. Danville Boat Club members must accompany guests on Danville Boat Club premises, docks, and slips at all times. Danville Boat Club members are responsible and shall be held accountable for all actions of their guests. Guests include the family of Danville Boat Club members.
12. Individual electric lights on docks are not permitted without prior approval from the Dock Master.
13. Boat lifts and covers are the property of the individual renting the slip and must be removed from the property within 30 days of surrendering a slip.
14. Power will be provided to most docks and must be shared with other slips if needed.
15. Modification to the docks is not allowed without prior approval from the dock master.
16. Any action by the Boat Dock Committee may be appealed in writing to the Board of Directors, which may uphold or reject the action by majority vote.
17. Water safety: The use of Lake Vermilion for boating, water skiing, fishing, and swimming is governed by the regulations of the Vermilion County Conservation District. Boats are also subject to the "State of Illinois Boat Registration and Safety Act." It is important that our members be familiar with these rules. It is Danville Boat Club policy to cooperate fully in their enforcement.
18. Slip leases will be limited to those members owning a seaworthy titled craft, which must be moored in the slip on or before July 1 of each year. If slip leasee has not used the slip by July 1 the slip could be leased to the next person on the slip wait list. A refund of 50% of the annual lease will be refunded and the new leasee will be required to pay 50% of the annual fee for the remainder of the year. If a lift is in the slip it will need to be removed by July 15th, or the cost of removal will be billed to the original slip leasee. If the removal cost isn't paid the lift will be considered abandoned and sold to cover the cost incurred, including extra lease time while the slip is not available for lease and storage time for the lift. A copy of current insurance and the title or registration showing the owner(s) of the craft, and lift (if applicable), shall be provided to the Boat Dock Committee.
19. All boat trailers must display a Boat Club provided tag on the front of the trailer that will indicate storage payment has been made. Failure to display this tag could result in the trailer/trailer boat being towed and the owner of the towed item will be responsible for towing and storage.

Note: There have been significant changes to the rules, particularly items #4 – 18 – 19 Effective 12/18/24