

Thunder and Lightning:

No boat, club or private, may be taken out if thunder or lightning have been observed during the previous half hour. If you are on the water and hear thunder and/or see lightning you should immediately get off the water and seek shelter. Returning to the boathouse may be optimal if you are nearby. If not, seek shelter somewhere along the lake. If you are starting to launch from the boathouse and hear thunder and/or see lightning, return with the boat to the boathouse. QRC upholds a mandatory 30-minute wait after the last sighting of lightning or sound of thunder before trying to launch again. No one is faster than lightning. Lightning can travel up to 10 miles in less than a second. Err on the side of safety first.

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