

## **Boating Operation Laws and Regulations FOR BOATS using FALLEN LEAF LAKE**

Please respect others and operate your boat in a safe, considerate manner to preserve the enjoyment of all Fallen Leaf visitors and residents.

**1. SPEED LIMIT/ NO WAKE ZONE:** Speed is limited to 5mph, no wake, within 100 feet of a swimmer or 200 feet of the entire lakeshore whether marked by buoys or not marked by buoys. Wake damages moored boats and erodes the shoreline

**2. RULES OF THE ROAD (RIGHT OF WAY):** Each boat regardless of boat size and speed is required to "THINK SAFE" and stay clear (100) feet of another boat. Yield right of way to canoes, kayaks, sail, row and fishing boats.

**3. FALLEN LEAF LAKE MOTORIZED WATER SPORTS (SAFETY):** See attached map: All boats towing: water-skiers, knee boarders, wake boarders, tubers etc. must adhere to the counter clockwise "water skiing pattern". No motorized water sports between sunset and sunrise. Skiers and others who wish to ski before 8:00am should use the north end of the lake. Each "tow boat" must in addition to the operator carry a "safety observer" of at least 12 years of age and a red flag to display when a person(s) is in the water.

### **4. NOISE LEVEL LIMITS:**

- A. Engine Noise Level - Any motorboat operated on the inland waterways of the State of California must be muffled and otherwise prevented from exceeding noise levels of 82 db measured at a distance of 50 feet.
- B. No "Dry Stack" boats are allowed on Fallen Leaf Lake at any time.
- C. Sound Entertainment System - Loudspeakers onboard boats must not exceed 82db Noise level at any time. Respect other's enjoyment of the silence of the lake

**5. SAFETY EQUIPMENT:** California Boating Laws requires that you have USCG approved personal flotation devices (PFD's) (lifejackets) on your recreational boat wearable for each person on board. Boats 16 feet or longer must have at least one (1) "throw able PFD. Fire Extinguisher Requirements: For boat length less than 26 feet one (1) "dry chemical" 2 pound fire extinguisher is required.

**6. ENGINE TYPES:** Only four(4) cycle or direct injected two(2) cycle engines may be operated on Fallen Leaf Lake.

**7. BOAT OPERATOR AGE RESTRICTION;** No person under 16 years of age may operate a motorboat of more than 15 horsepower - unless supervised by an "On Board" person of at least 18 years of age.

**8. PERSONAL WATERCRAFT (JET SKI) -** The operator must be at least 16 years old and adhere to all safety rules. Keep to the middle of the lake to reduce shore noise. No operation of a jet ski between sunset and sunrise.

**9. BOATERS** with a blood alcohol level of greater than .08 are subject to arrest.

**10. NIGHT OPERATIONS;** all boats must show required running lights when operating between sunset and sunrise.

**11. CURRENT YEAR BOAT REGISTRATION** is required.

\*All Laws and regulations are excerpted from "State of California Boating Laws 2003 - Department of Boating and Waterways and Fallen Leaf Lake CSD regulations Updated 6/30/04

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