



Terms & Conditions

1) Cancellations and Deposits

- A deposit is required when booking any rental equipment.
- Cancellations made at least seven (7) days before the booking date will receive a full refund of the deposit. Cancellations made within seven (7) days of the booking date may result in forfeiture of the deposit at the discretion of SeamonkeeZ.
- Refunds will be provided if weather conditions are deemed unsuitable for hire and no suitable rescheduling option is available. Weather-related cancellations are at the sole discretion of SeamonkeeZ.

2) Conditions of Payment

- The security bond is required in New Zealand dollars (NZD) via bank deposit, cash, bank cheque, or credit card before the hire commences.
- The bond will be returned after the safe return of the equipment and following any necessary refuelling.
- SeamonkeeZ reserves the right to deduct costs for:
 - Loss or damage to equipment.
 - Late returns causing scheduling disruptions.
 - Outstanding payments for accessories or additional services.

3) Users and Hirers

- Eligibility:
 - Minimum age to operate a jet ski or boat: 20 years.
 - Minimum age to rent a car: 21 years with a valid full driver's licence.
- Operating Requirements:
 - Hirers must have adequate knowledge to safely operate rented equipment.
 - Lifejackets must be worn by all passengers when using jet skis or boats.
 - Drivers must not be under the influence of alcohol or drugs.
 - Boats and jet skis must not exceed 5 knots within 200 metres of the shoreline or other stationary vessels, or 50 metres of another jet ski.
 - Car operators must comply with all New Zealand traffic laws.
- Passenger and Load Limits:
 - Jet ski passenger limits depend on the model:
 - Seadoo Spark: 1 person (205kg max).
 - GTI: 2 persons (273kg max).
 - Seadoo LRV: 2 adults and 1 child (300kg max).
 - Boat passenger limits will be specified upon booking.

4) Local Hazards & Conditions

- Hirers must:
 - Be familiar with local navigation aids, hazards, and regulations.
 - Maintain proper lookout and avoid restricted areas.
 - Keep at least 200 metres from commercial ferries.

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5) Vehicle and Equipment Care

- Hirers must:
 - Ensure proper maintenance of the equipment during the hire period.
 - Return equipment in clean condition; additional charges may apply if cleaning is required.
 - For cars: refuel before return and avoid damage to the interior or exterior.
- Jet skis and boats must not be used in water shallower than 0.6 metres to prevent damage.

6) Accidents and Insurance

- In case of accidents:
 - Notify Seamonkeez immediately.
 - Obtain the names and contact details of other parties and witnesses.
 - Do not admit liability.
- Insurance:
 - Insurance coverage is provided where applicable; however, hirers may be responsible for excess payments.
 - Hirers are liable for damage caused by negligence, failure to comply with terms, or use outside permitted areas.

7) Indemnity

- Seamonkeez is not liable for any loss or damage suffered by the hirer due to their use of the equipment.
- Hirers indemnify Seamonkeez against claims from third parties arising from the use of the rented equipment.

8) General Conditions

- Any breach of these terms may result in immediate termination of the hire agreement without refund.
- Seamonkeez reserves the right to remove equipment from a hirer's possession or adjust booking terms at its discretion.
- Extensions to hire periods must be pre-approved and documented in a new agreement.

9) Health and Safety

- Hirers must:
 - Be physically able to operate the rented equipment safely.
 - Declare any medical conditions that may impair their ability to operate the equipment.
 - Ensure an observer (minimum age 10 years) is present when towing water sports equipment.

10) Privacy and Personal Information

- Personal information collected by Seamonkeez is used solely for booking, insurance, and safety purposes and will not be shared without consent, except as required by law.