

MORNING BRIEFING

- **Introduction of Crew:**
- **Manifest and Statement of Understanding:** Ask if everyone has signed in on the boat manifest and filled out a Statement of Understanding.
- **Welcome Aboard Sheets:** Advise passengers to review after briefing.
- **Meals:** Outline meal/snack schedules. Ask for anyone with special food requirements. Explain coffee cups.
- **Health Issues:** If anyone has a condition we need to know about please see us after the briefing.
- **Life Jackets:** Explain location of lifejackets. Lifejacket Information is posted in each bunk.
- **Staircases:** Face all staircases going up/down.
- **Fish and Game:** Show the location of regulation posters and advise that we respect the laws as written.
- **Decompression:** Advise group that each individual is responsible for tracking their own dive profile. We can provide paper if needed to run and track dive profile.
- **Safety Diver:** There will always be a crewmember in a wetsuit as a "Safety Diver". Explain hand signals; e.g. Ok or Help.
- **Current Line:** Explain how it works, hand over hand, what it looks like (long yellow line with a big orange float at one end). Go over the hand signals.
- **Under Water Recall:** What it sounds like, when it is used, and hand signals.
- **Boarding Boat in Choppy Seas:** Come up to ramp with mask on and regulator in mouth, stay on hands and knees come up onto platform and a crewmember will assist you.
- **Signal Devices:** We highly recommend a visual and audible signal device
- **Dive Tracker:** Boat has one and we will turn it on.
- **Skiff:** Can be used for tired diver and/or long swim situations. Please do not abuse. Explain hand signals.
- **Kayak Rack:** Please do not hang items on rack because of safety reasons (visibility)
- **Zero tolerance:** No illegal drugs and no drinking while diving
- **Diving:** General explanation about how the diving day works (e.g. gates open/closed, pre-dive briefing, tank fills).
Talk about present spot and what to expect
PA announcements at each spot
- **Ask For Questions**