



Hidden Valley Lake
Boat Registration Checklist

All POA dues, assessments, fees, penalties and fines **must** be current to complete the registration process. To receive current registration stickers, mail the required items below along with a **large letter-size self-addressed stamped envelope** to: Hidden Valley Lake POA, 19303 Schmarr Drive, Lawrenceburg, IN 47025

ANNUAL BOAT REGISTRATION FORM: If you registered watercraft last year, the information is listed on the front of the form. To register the same watercraft, simply verify the information listed and send the form (completed and signed), registration fee, proof of insurance and Boat Driver Exam (completed and signed) to the POA office.

NEW BOAT REGISTRATION FORM: If you are registering **new** watercraft, you must also provide proper documentation of ownership and length of the watercraft. This should include the title to the watercraft, as well as the owner’s manual for the specific model being registered showing overall length.

BOAT MEASUREMENT REQUIREMENTS: If you are registering **new** watercraft to HVL, you will be required to have your boat measured by HVL POA Deputies prior to bringing your Boat Registration paperwork to the POA Office to obtain your Boat Registration sticker. Contact the deputies to set up a mutually agreeable time to have your boat measured. (812) 537-9400.

ANNUAL INSURANCE REQUIREMENTS: We **must** have a **current** copy of your liability insurance coverage or a letter from your agent stating: a) minimum of personal watercraft liability coverage of \$100,000, or b) minimum property and bodily liability of \$100,000 with watercraft specifically named, or c) minimum combined limit insurance of \$100,000 with watercraft specifically named. Your insurance agent may **fax a copy to (812) 537-1521** or email to: hiddenvalleylakeindiana@comcast.net.

ANNUAL BOAT DRIVER EXAM: You **must** read the enclosed **Lake Rules** before completing the enclosed **Boat Driver Exam**. Sign and return it along with your watercraft registration form. You must answer all questions correctly to receive your watercraft stickers.

ANNUAL WATERCRAFT REGISTRATION FEES: You may register **only your own** watercraft and only one powered watercraft in excess of 10 horsepower. Falsification of registration may result in a fine and/or loss of watercraft privileges.

Power watercraft (over 10 hp)	\$40.00
Watercraft with motors (10 hp and under).....	\$20.00
Watercraft without motors	\$15.00

ANNUAL REGISTRATION STICKER PLACEMENT: Once all of the registration requirements have been met and approved, you will receive two current year registration stickers per watercraft. Place the two stickers of the same number on either side of the front hull of the watercraft. **Be sure that the same registration number stickers are on the same watercraft. You may not launch your watercraft on the lake until stickers are applied.**

ALL FIRST TIME HVL BOAT OWNERS: First time HVL boat owners are required to attend a new owner class held every Tuesday at 6:30 pm or Saturday at 9:00 am April thru September. You will meet with a boat patrol agent in order to familiarize you with the lake. Once all of the registration requirements have been met and approved and you complete this course, you will receive two current year registration stickers per watercraft. Place the two stickers of the same number on either side of the front hull of the watercraft. **Be sure that the same registration number stickers are on the same watercraft. You may not launch your watercraft on the lake until stickers are applied.**

BOAT TRAILERS: All boat trailers must also be registered. This is a permanent sticker and should be placed on the boat trailer near the trailer hitch. If you do not have a trailer registration sticker, one can be obtained at the POA Office at no additional cost.

Remember to check the traffic lights for lake status before launching your watercraft.