

## **LCYC Safety Requirements for Launching and Retrieving Boats**

LCYC is blessed to be on one of the prettiest lakes in the Texas Hill Country. Given the nature of the Hill Country, our launch ramp has a 19% grade as a consequence. To ensure the safety of people and property while launching and retrieving boats on the LCYC ramp, the Board of Governors of the Lake Canyon Yacht Club requires that all boat owners comply with the following Safety Requirements when on LCYC property:

1. Have current third party liability insurance on the boat being launched and retrieved on the LCYC ramp.
2. No person shall ride in or on a vessel or trailer while in motion beyond the waters edge (anywhere on LCYC property or while descending or ascending the LCYC ramp).
3. Safety chains or cables shall be properly attached to the trailer while the vehicle/trailer is in motion; the only exceptions are non-highway dollies carrying dinghies with a combined weight of 300 lb or less, and the immediate water's edge launch area for keel boats.
4. Two wheel chocks must be used when trailers are parked. As there are never enough of these, bring at least 2 chocks (rocks do not qualify as proper chocks).
5. Immediate restriction from the use of LCYC launch facilities, up to and including disqualification from the regatta can be made by any LCYC Officer or by the Traffic Control Chair or Dockmaster for any violation of these Safety Requirements, or for any other actions, in the sole discretion of LCYC, that create a risk of personal injury or property damage.