



Valued Customer,

As you are reading this it is probably spring and time to take your boat out. Our winterize program returns your boat to near ready to run status before it leaves our facility. However there are certain things that must be done to insure your fun times will not be ruined.

1. The battery will need charged prior to you taking it out. All batteries will discharge over time from parasitic draw inside the battery. It is best to charge your battery every one to two months through the winter.
2. Connect the battery cable, we will typically disconnect the positive terminal. There may be more than one battery cable that has been removed. Be certain all have been reattached.
3. Reinstall your hull plug or plugs. Many boats have more than one drain. If you have an extra plug and don't know where it came from, simply slide under the boat and look for an open hole. Ballast pumps have a similar look where they mount. You will be able to put your finger through the fitting and feel the inside of the bilge on the correct one.
4. Start your boat briefly before you go to the lake. A few seconds of running at home is good insurance. It is also much easier to work on your boat at your garage where the phone works all the time. Remember our fogging oil that protects your engine from corrosion will cause a deep blue smoke upon start up. It may take 10 to 15 minutes of run time to completely clean out.
5. When you get to the lake, run the boat in the water on the trailer before you launch. Open the engine hatch. Look for water leaks. Look in the bilge access areas for water filling up also. Problems can occur at any time whether it's your first time out or your tenth. Some leaks will not show themselves at idle. It's best to check again after the first hard throttle run of the day.
6. Last of all, have fun. If you have any questions or concerns do not hesitate to call IWS @ Nampa – (208) 467-7477
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