



Facility "Stazione Idrobiologica Umberto D'Ancona" facility – Boat Services: RIB "Teo" License plate CI 3882

The conduction of the "TEO" vessel by the University of Padova's staff is permitted if meeting all the following requirements:

- 1. To hold regular boat license issued in Italy for the conduction of pleasure crafts;
- 2. To hold regular medical certificate of fitness for the task, issued by the competent doctor of the University of Padova;
- 3. To be registered in the vessel safety plan.

Personnel meeting all these requirements must book the use of the boat through the technicians of the Stazione Idrobiologica, who will add the booking in the vessel's booking calendar.

If more than one person participating at the expedition meets all the requirements to navigate, only one captain, who will be responsible for the expedition, must be identified.

The captain will take full responsibility for driving the vehicle and will be responsible for any event occurring both on board and to third parties or to the surrounding environment. Before leaving, the commander is responsible for checking the good condition of the vehicle, the availability and efficiency of the necessary gear, and of all the required safety equipment. Depending on the navigation route, the weather and sea conditions and the distance from safe harbors, the captain will decide the expedition's procedures, and may cancel it at the last minute, or change the previous programs according to the present conditions.

At the end of each expedition, the captain is responsible for filling in the "use register" at the technician's office in the Stazione Idrobiologica, stating the date of the expedition, name of the captain, funds to be used to pay for the expenses, operator responsible for the samplings, number of hours of use, fuel consumption in liters, and the aim of the expedition.

The users will have to return the vehicle with a full tank of fuel. The fuel:

- if paid for using fuel cards, must be purchased exclusively at AGIP petrol stations, enclosing the purchase receipt to the used up fuel card;
- if purchased without using fuel cards, any petrol station is suitable.

Either way, the expense must be recorded on the fuel sheet and signed by the petrol station's manager.

Used up cards, with purchase receipt attached, have to be handed over to the technicians. The hauling and launching operations on site must be preferably conducted at the presence of the technicians of the Stazione Idrobiologica.

Technicians remains available for any clarification by prior agreement with the interested parties.