

# PASSENGER SAFETY BRIEFING v2026.1

**Good morning** - please listen carefully to this important Safety Briefing.

**Crew** - volunteers – X, Y, Z and Skipper

**Slippery surfaces** – take care to avoid slips, trips and falls and in particular on stairs and ramp

**Bends and bumps** - take care if moving around the boat and use handrails - beware of warnings from crew if a jolt is imminent

**Low headroom** - Low hatch at steps and low ceiling below decks

**Front deck** – we pass through low bridges and lots of overhanging branches – keep heads, hands and feet inside the railings and below roof level

**Rear deck** – passengers are not normally permitted on rear deck due to low/no handrails

**Emergency** - crew trained to deal with all types of emergency. Remain seated and await instructions

**Kitchen DIY** - careful with hot drink – wash up and put away all crockery and cutlery you use

**Toilet flushes** - foot operated lever on left. Do not place anything other than human waste or toilet paper in the toilet

**Very hot water** - take care

**Tap water** needs boiling

**Bottled water** is for drinking

**Lift** only to be operated by trained crew members – ask one of us and we will help.

**Smoking/Vaping** – As stated in the Standard Terms, the boat is smoke free including on the decks. If anyone needs a smoking break this can usually be arranged from the rear deck by the Skipper between opening and closing bridges.

**We are going** towards ... Skipton for your lunch ... back here 3.00 to 3.30pm.

**Ask any crew member** if you need anything and have a great trip.

ADD, if appropriate

**Locks** - Passengers to remain seated and cooker off whilst going through locks

**Children** - supervised - responsible adult