

Hi all,

As we approach the summer season and, specifically, Memorial Day weekend, your ferry crew has a few reminders/announcements to ensure the season goes smoothly.

- Expect full runs during our busy days, i.e. Fridays going to the island and Sundays leaving Hat, so please make sure to condense baggage as much as possible if you know it'll be busy.
- For the Memorial Day weekend, we will **not** be accepting any additional or oversized cargo. Due to the holiday, we are expecting heavy loads during all scheduled runs and thus will be unable to field any requests. Any oversized or additional cargo **will be left at the dock.**
  - o The Memorial Day weekend will be incredibly busy. Thus, all owners with guests are expected to ensure that cargo rules are strictly followed by their guests as well.
- Regarding cargo requests, we would like to remind folks to send those to the [hiferry@hatisland.org](mailto:hiferry@hatisland.org) email address. A crewmember will respond as soon as possible, but only during the ferry's operating hours.
- Unfortunately, due to the shift in the ferry's schedule for the high season, our weekly Saturday cargo runs will be suspended.
- Speaking of shifting schedules, make sure to **check** the Hat Island website to double-check our new ferry hours for the summer.
- Outside of our usual changes, we will be adding an additional **Friday Run**, departing from Everett at 5:00 pm and Hat at 6:00 pm. This will last throughout the summer.
- For garbage, please only bring the allotted number of bags per household. Our holding areas are limited and we will be unable to store additional garbage. Also, please make sure to grab your bags on the Everett side once we dock.
- We'd like to remind folks that, for our uncrated friends, muzzles are **required.** We do have some, but we ask that people bring their own as our supply is limited. Crated pets are expected to be seated inside the main cabin. This is to ensure the back deck is open for uncrated pets and their owners.
- The closet spaces on either side of the cabin are meant for **passengers with uncrated pets only.**
- On the Hat side, carts should not be wheeled up to the ramp and should instead be relegated to the landing in front of where we dock.
- As always, please educate guests on our rules so that we can ensure a smooth ride for all passengers.

Thank you and see you this summer!

Your ferry crew.