

Beaching, Boating and Beverages!



Aveleda Fonte Vinho Verde

Toss it in the cooler for the beach...it's barely 9.5% alcohol, so an afternoon spent with it won't wreck your plans. Bright lime and green apple carry a slight spritz that cuts through humidity, and it's inexpensive enough to open a second bottle without really blinking.



Saveé Sea Sauvignon Blanc

Grapefruit and passionfruit hit first, then a thread of fresh herbs keeps it from turning sweet...like jumping into cold water on a hot afternoon. Marlborough does this style better than most, and it needs nothing more than a chilled glass and a seat on the bow.



Angelo Negro Serra Lupini Roero Arneis

There's more going on here than a typical beach white...ripe peach and acacia blossom lead, backed by a saline edge from the sandy Roero soil. Months on the lees (the spent yeast that builds body) give it weight enough for grilled fish, not just a towel and a straw.



Buena Gave RTD Cocktails

Skip the shaker and the mixer bag. These ready-to-drink cans come built with tequila blanco, real fruit juice and a pinch of sea salt... nothing else. Grab the margarita or the ranch water, toss the case in the cooler, and you're covered for the afternoon on the water.



Southside Gin RTD Cocktails

A canned gin cocktail with real lemon and a hint of mint sounds like a novelty until you crack one open on a scorching afternoon. At 10% ABV, it carries more kick than most seltzers, so one with lunch is probably perfect before you're right back in the water.



TK Mulligan RTD Cocktails

Mulligan's started as a golf-course staple, but these cocktails like "The Wedge" (vodka, lemon and a citrus soda that keeps it from turning too sweet) work just as well at a tailgate. There are many flavors, so if lemon isn't your thing, the orange, berry or grapefruit may be.

