

***Thank You For Whale Watching With Us Today.
Here Are Some Terms The Captain May Use During Your Trip.***

Glossary taken from "The Amazing Adventures of Captain Don!"



Floking

When a whale raises his or her tail far in the air for all to see before making a dive into deeper water.



Spy Hopping

When a whale lunges his head out of the water to take a closer look at his or her surroundings.



Breaching

When a whale jumps or leaps out of the water showing his or her entire body.





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Mega-pod

A large group of dolphins, up to 2,000 in an area at one time.



Bow Riding

When dolphins, sea lions and other marine life ride the front of a boat's wave



Marine Biologist

A scientist who studies ocean animals like Whales and Dolphins and plant life like kelp that also live in the ocean.



Deckhand

A boat worker who performs duties such as docking and other jobs as requested by the Captain.

