Post Hole Digger Safety Guide

A safety guide for post hole diggers, giving steps for hooking up, positioning, drilling, and clearing so operators keep clear of the spinning auger.

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1. Read the operator's manual first
2. Check the digger for damage
3. Hook up to the tractor per the manual
4. Check PTO shaft and shields
5. Call before you dig for buried lines
6. Set the tractor and auger position
7. Dig slowly and keep people clear
8. Never clear the auger by hand
9. Shut down and lower before leaving

YOUR NOTES

TIP Always shut the tractor off before clearing the auger, and call your state locating service before digging.

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