

#### **Tips & Precautions**

- Never load speargun out of water!!!
- Never fire speargun out of water!!!
- Never leave a loaded speargun unattended.
- When loading speargun, make sure no divers or object are within shooting range.
- Fire your speargun with arm locked and fully extended and your other other arm bracing the speargun butt to prevent recoil.
- Before leaving the water, always unload your speargun and place the tip protector on spearhead.
- Prolonged exposure to sunlight my cause shorter life of the stock finish and power bands.
- Avoid dropping in sand may cause clogging of push rod & mechanism assembly.

# Safe Use & Operating Instructions (Ironwood, Spearo, Euro and Midhandle Series)

I. The spearguns use a **screw safety**.

When the screw is **all the way down**, your safety is **ON**. The spear shaft will not engage the mechanism at this time. When the screw is all the way up, the safety is **OFF**.

Note: If the screw is not all the way down, it may not be on safe.

### II. Installing power bands:

- wet bands and pass rubber into muzzle equally
- spectra wishbone end of band is for loading to the shark fin tabs

#### III. Installing spear shaft

- into the mechanism must be done with care
- the line release tab must be pushed back towards the butt of the speargun
- a) Place shaft under power bands and onto groove found on top of the gunstock
- b) Slide end of shaft into the mechanism, giving a firm push to overcome spring tension. Push and pull on the shaft to insure full trigger engagement.
- c) **Do Not** slam the shaft into position. This may damage firing mechanism.

#### IV. Installing shooting line

- a) String the line from forward tab to left of line plate on front muzzle.
- b) Place line under plate, move across top of spear shaft to the line groove of the muzzle.

- c) Bring the line back to the line release, move up to line anchor, then down holding line between your fore-finger and thumb.
- d) Pull thumb across line release for final installation. \* Bungie makes installation easier.

## V. Loading the power bands

- a) Take first power band closest to you in one hand, placing other hand at butt of the speargun. Pull and swing into upper stomach area.
- b) Take both hands and pull power band (closest to front) to the first tab. The second power band should be loaded on the second tab & third.
- c) Two bands can be loaded per large tab; One band per mini tab.
- d) Spearshaft with rest tab: Place butt end on hip to load the power band to the rest tab. After loading to rest tab, raise speargun by the power band to high stomach area and finish loading to other tab(s). The rest tab is for ease of loading and short shots.
- e) Make sure all power bands are put on speargun the same way

#### Care & Maintenance

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- 1. After use, flush with fresh water. Apply generous amounts of fresh water to the trigger mechanism and handle. After rinsing, turn speargun in the opposite direction to drain. Let dry. Keep out of direct sun to prevent premature band erosion.
- 2. Light oil may be applied to the spear shaft to prevent corrosion while in storage.
- 3. Replace worn or damaged shooting line to prevent loss of spear shaft.
- 4. Maintain sharpness of spear head by hand filing.
- 5. When replacing spear head on a spear shaft use a vice or vice grips to hold shaft (wrap the shaft & adaptor with duct tape several times to prevent scraping the shaft). We recommend low strength thread locking compound to prevent corrosion or loss of spear head.
- 6. Power bands should be stored in an airtight bag, free from heat and sunlight to prolong life.
  - a) To maintain new finish on your speargun stock, apply teak oil with a dry cloth. Polish with clean cloth.
  - b) For total refinish or touch-up, light sanding is suggested. Apply teak oil and let dry for 48 hours. Then apply a second coat as in Section A.
- 8. For proper storage and transporting of speargun use the Andre Speargun Bag.



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#### **WARRANTY**

All Andre Spearguns are guaranteed against defects under normal use conditions. A two year warranty is placed on Andre Speargun mechanisms & laminated speargun stocks for warpage and delamination. This warranty does not cover normal wear or damages for misuse. A one-year warranty on mechanism when used for commercial use. (Trigger mechanisms may need to be replaced with excessive use)

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