



# Owner's Manual

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## WARNING AND SAFETY

Read this manual closely before operating your Buoy Watercraft.

- Watersports can be dangerous and physically demanding. Using this product also carries the inherent risk of serious injury or death. Users assume ALL RISK of injury or death.
- Inspect your gear for signs of wear or damage.
- Always wear a Coast Guard Certified Personal Flotation Device (PFD).
- Never use while under the influence of drugs, alcohol, or medications.
- Never leave children unattended.
- Never entangle feet or hands in the straps or handles.
- Never dive under this product.
- Never exceed the manufacturer's recommended number of users.
- Do not exceed the recommended weight limit.
- Do not exceed your physical limitations.
- Be aware of weather and temperature conditions.
- Never paddle alone.

## INFLATING YOUR KAYAK OR SUP

- Carefully unroll your watercraft on a flat surface. Avoid any sharp or pointed objects as your watercraft is least resistant to punctures when it is deflated.
- Press and rotate the valve pin clockwise to ensure the valve is set to seal the air in. The valve pin should be raised to inflate your SUP or Kayak.
- Connect your pump hose to the valve and make sure it is securely attached.
- Pump until you reach the recommended PSI of your watercraft.
- Do not use an air compressor to inflate your watercraft.
- A video guide can be found at [www.buoywatersports.com/pages/support](http://www.buoywatersports.com/pages/support).

## SETTING UP YOUR KAYAK

- Once inflated, you can begin to add or adjust the attachments for your kayak.
- The seat should be positioned behind the center point of your kayak for a single user.
- Your kayak may include splash guards. These are designed to prevent water from splashing into your cockpit. Slide the corners into the pocket and attach the Velcro strap to hold in place.
- The adjustable footrest can be attached to the tracks on the inside tubes.
- Insert the fin into the fin box. A How-To video can be found on our website at [www.buoywatersports.com/pages/support](http://www.buoywatersports.com/pages/support).

## SETTING UP YOUR SUP

- The only set-up necessary for your SUP is to inflate and attach the fin. Insert the fin into the channel in the fin box and slide the fin forward.
- Insert the fin into the fin box. A How-To video can be found on our website at [www.buoywatersports.com/pages/support](http://www.buoywatersports.com/pages/support).
- Once the fin is in the correct position, slide the clip into place for recreational SUPs or press the lever down to lock the fin into place for touring kayaks.

## ROLLING AND STORING YOUR INFLATABLE

- Begin in a flat area that is clear of sharp or pointed objects. Make sure the watercraft is clean and completely dry.
- Make sure that your valve is in the open position.
- Begin rolling from the end opposite the valve to force the air out.
- Place the rolled kayak or SUP in the supplied bag for safe transport.
- Store your kayak or SUP in a dry, temperature-controlled environment.
- Avoid storage in direct sunlight or extreme temperatures, as the heat and UV exposure will cause the material to break down.
- Avoid storage near sharp objects.

## CARE INSTRUCTIONS

- Avoid high heat, high friction, or abrasive surfaces.
- Avoid applying DEET bug spray or aerosols like some sunscreens near your kayak or SUP.
- Avoid heavy-duty chemicals, even some cleaning chemicals may damage your watercraft.
- To clean, use diluted dish soap and water.
- Use 303 Aerospace Protectant on a damp cloth every three months to keep your Buoy Watercraft clean, shiny, and protected.

## WARRANTY INFORMATION

- Your Buoy Watercraft comes with a 3-year warranty.
- Private use: This warranty covers defects in the materials and workmanship of the tubes, fabrics, D-ring patches, and valves to be functional and water-worthy for a period of 3 years from the date of purchase.
- Commercial Use: This warranty covers defects in the materials and workmanship of the tubes, fabrics, D-ring patches, and valves to be functional and water-worthy for a period of 1 year from the date of purchase for products being used for commercial purposes.
- Full details on the warranty can be found at <https://buoywatersports.com/pages/warranty>

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