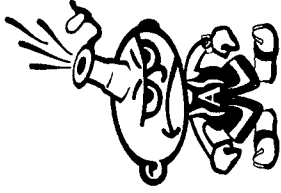


KAYAK OWNER'S MANUAL MANUAL DEL USUARIO DEL KAYAK MANUEL DE L'UTILISATEUR DE KAYAK



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AIRHEAD TRAVEL KAYAK SPECIFICATIONS

Model #	Maximum Capacity	Length	Beam	Draft	Dry Weight
AHTK-1	1 person / 300 lbs. (136 kg)	9 ft. 9 in. (2.97 m)	32" (81cm)	2" (5cm)	27.7 lbs. (12.6 kg)
AHTK-2	2 person / 500 lbs. (227 kg)	12 ft. (3.66 m)	32" (81cm)	2" (5cm)	36.3 lbs. (16.5 kg)
AHTK-3	2 person / 400 lbs. (181 kg)	10 ft. 3 in. (3.12 m)	32" (81cm)	2" (5cm)	21.5 lbs. (9.8 kg)
AHTK-4	4 person / 500 lbs. (227 kg)	12 ft. 9 in. (3.89 m)	32" (81cm)	2" (5cm)	29.8 lbs. (13.5 kg)

ESPECIFICACIONES DEL KAYAK DE VIAJE AIRHEAD

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SPÉCIFICATIONS DU KAYAK DE VOYAGE AIRHEAD

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INTRODUCTION

Now that you are the proud owner of an AIRHEAD Inflatable Kayak, there are a few things you should know about your responsibilities, safe usage, storage, and maintenance. This will help you to properly enjoy your kayak for years to come.



- **IT IS THE OWNER'S RESPONSIBILITY TO CAREFULLY READ THE MANUAL AND INSTRUCT ALL USERS HOW TO SAFELY OPERATE THIS KAYAK.**
- **NEVER GO OUT ALONE. USE COMMON SENSE & GOOD JUDGEMENT.**
- **NOT A LIFE SAVING DEVICE. ALWAYS USE COAST GUARD APPROVED LIFE VESTS.**
- **DO NOT OVER-INFLATE ABOVE 2 psi. DEFLATE TO ALLOW FOR EXPANSION IF LEFT IN DIRECT SUNLIGHT.**
- **ALWAYS CHECK WATER AND WEATHER CONDITIONS WITH AUTHORITIES.**
- **OBSERVE ALL LOCAL AND FEDERAL LAWS.**
- **WEAR A HELMET & BE CAREFUL AROUND REEFS & RAPIDS.**
- **DO NOT PULL BEHIND A BOAT OR OTHER MOTORIZED VEHICLE. BEWARE OF WINDS, TIDES AND CURRENTS. DO NOT UNDERESTIMATE THE FORCES OF NATURE.**
- **BEWARE OF ROCKS OR OTHER SHARP OBJECTS THAT COULD DAMAGE KAYAK.**
- **DO NOT OVERESTIMATE YOUR STRENGTH, SKILL OR ENDURANCE.**
- **DO NOT USE ALCOHOL OR DRUGS PRIOR TO & WHEN USING THE KAYAK.**
- **DO NOT SQUEEZE FEET UNDER THE FOOT BRACE.**
- **DO NOT LEAVE THE KAYAK WITH ITS BLACK UNDERSIDE EXPOSED TO DIRECT SUNLIGHT. INCREASED AIR PRESSURE WILL CAUSE DAMAGE.**
- **DO NOT PADDLE IN HIGH WATER OR FLOOD CONDITIONS.**
- **CHECK EQUIPMENT PRIOR TO EACH USE. DO NOT USE IF YOU NOTICE SIGNS OF WEAR OR FAILURE.**
- **THIS IS AN ACTION SPORT, THE POSSIBILITY OF INJURY OR DEATH EXISTS.**

REGISTRATION NUMBERS

Many localities require registration and to display a registration number on the boat. Once you have been issued a number, it is best to affix it to the boat by printing it directly on the material by the use of a permanent ink marker. A small square registration sticker may also be issued. If so, this may be affixed to your boat by placing the sticker on a small board and securing to the kayak. Self adhesive letters and numbers will not adhere directly to the kayak.

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ASSEMBLY & INFLATION

AHTK-1 & 2 Nylon Covered Boats

1. Unfold your new kayak in an area that is free of sharp objects and debris.
2. There are 3 air chambers, each with a Boston Valve. Lift the nylon flaps to access. Make sure that the bases of the valves are screwed in tight.
3. Inflate the floor first, then the side chambers using a high volume / low pressure pump meant for inflatables. Do not inflate above 2 psi. Use of an air compressor may damage your product and void the warranties.
4. There are PVC bladders inside the nylon covers on both sides. Occasionally, the bladders may shift, causing the kayak's shape to deform. To correct, deflate the bladders to about 30% full, and unzip the zippers at both ends. Shift the bladder inside so that the seam is in line with the zippers. Zip back up and re-inflate.
5. Inflate the seats with the stem valves found on the bottom, inside the zipper. Then adjust seat straps and foot brace to a comfortable position.

AHTK-3 & 4 PVC Boats

1. Unfold your new Kayak in an area that is free of sharp objects and debris.
2. There are 3 main air chambers. The side chambers are equipped with a Boston Valve. The center floor chamber is equipped with a Speed Valve. Inflate in this order: Floor, Side Chambers, Spray Skirts, Seats.
3. Inflate using a high volume / low pressure pump meant for inflatables. Do not inflate above 2 psi. Use of an air compressor may damage your boat and void the warranties.

DEFLATION

To deflate a Boston valve, turn counter-clockwise to unscrew from the cup. The bladder will deflate quickly. To deflate inflatables equipped with a stem valve, either deflate with a deflating pump, or insert a small straw, or other small object (no sharp objects) to hold the safety flap open. Remove and roll up towards the valve to fully deflate.

STORING

1. To prevent mildew and foul odors, allow your kayak to completely dry out before storing. Water will enter between the outer nylon cover and the bladders. Open all zippers to allow it to air out and dry.
2. For long term storage in the sun, protect your boat with a breathable cover.
3. Rodents chew on fabric including inflatable boat material. Store it away from rodents.
4. If you choose to store your boat inflated, make sure you do not subject it to deformations.

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CARRYING

A convenient Shoulder Carrier is included with Models AHTK-1 and AHTK-2. After you dry out the kayaks, spread the carrier out on the ground. Fold up the kayak and place it on top of the carrier. Connect the 2 pair of side release buckles. Adjust shoulder strap to a comfortable length.

REPAIRS

1. Clean the damaged area and the patch material with alcohol.
2. Humidity should be less than 60%.
3. Temperature should be between 65° F - 77° F (18° C - 25° C).
4. Do not repair in the rain or in direct sunlight.
5. Check that the tube is fully deflated and is flat.
6. Draw the shape of the patch exactly where it will be applied, cut out a round patch at least 2" (5 cm) larger than the damaged area.
7. Apply 3 thin layers of glue on both the patch and the damaged area. Allow it to dry for 5 minutes between layers until the glue feels tacky. When the third layer of glue is dry, apply the patch without pressing and adjust the positioning if required. Press out air bubbles by smoothing the patch with a round object such as a spoon, starting at the center of the patch, rolling towards the outside.



PERFORM REPAIRS IN A WELL VENTILATED AREA. AVOID INHALING GLUE VAPORS OR SWALLOWING. AVOID CONTACT WITH SKIN AND EYES. KEEP REPAIR MATERIALS AWAY FROM CHILDREN.

WARRANTY REGISTRATION

Please fill out and mail the warranty registration card found on the back page of this owner's manual. Mail it to the Kwik Tek office listed on the cover of this manual. The limited warranty is valid only if the registration card is completed within ten (10) days of the date of purchase. You will void any warranty by not sending the registration card to Kwik Tek. The warranty registration card requires the kayak model and the HIN (Hull Identification Number):

Boat Model: AHTK-1, 2, 3 or 4

HIN: 12 character ID number found on the right hand (starboard) side of the rear of the boat, beginning with the letters XKW. The entire number must be entered on the warranty registration card.

WARRANTY & GENERAL CONDITIONS

- The Kayak must NOT be modified and/or fitted with any accessories not allowable by the manufacturer (Kwik Tek Inc.).
- The Kayak may NOT be used outside its normal recommended activity.

- Maintenance and storage recommendations must be followed.
- This warranty does NOT cover parts and accessories not supplied or recommended by the manufacturer or defects resulting from the installation of such equipment on this product.

LIMITED WARRANTY

Kwik Tek Inc. Warrants, to the original purchaser only, when their products are used for normal recreational purposes that all Kwik Tek kayaks are free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of 9 months from original purchase date. Any implied warranties are also limited in duration to the 9 month period from the original purchase date.

There are no warranties that extend beyond the description on the face hereof. Kwik Tek should not be held liable for incidental or consequential damages.

Kwik Tek Inc. shall inspect all warranty claims and in the event of a defect, repair or replace the defective part or entire item, at its option. A return authorization number (RA#) must be obtained prior to return by calling or writing to the telephone or address listed below. Merchandise must be returned, postage prepaid along with proof of purchase to the address below with the RA# in bold on the outside of the package.

This warranty does NOT cover: FAILURE CAUSED BY OVERINFLATION, TEARS, CUTS, PUNCTURES OR SNAGS OBTAINED DURING NORMAL USE; ITEMS INVOLVED IN ACCIDENTS, ITEMS FOR RENTAL OR HIRE AND OTHER USES NOT CONSIDERED NORMAL RECREATIONAL USES OR IMPROPER STORAGE. FADING from exposure to sunlight is also not covered by this warranty.

THERE ARE NO WARRANTIES THAT EXTEND BEYOND THE DESCRIPTION ON THIS CARD. KWIK TEK INC. SHALL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE IN ANY WAY FOR ANY INCIDENTAL AND/OR CONSEQUENTIAL DAMAGES.

THIS WARRANTY IS IN LIEU OF ALL OTHER WARRANTIES.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights that vary from state to state.

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