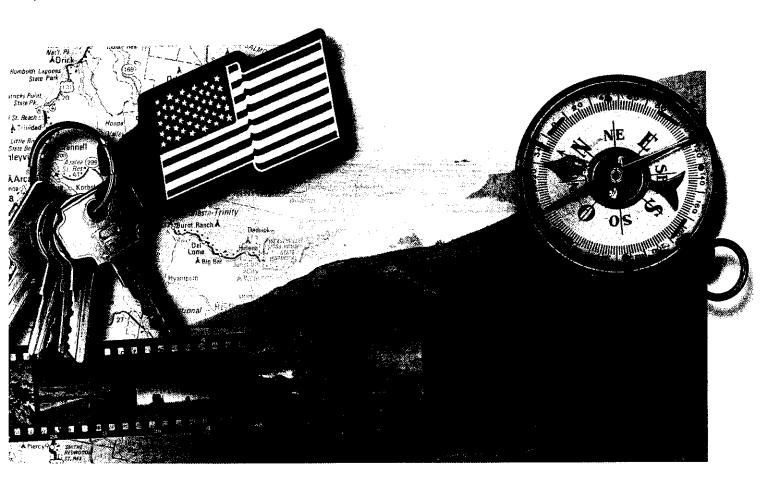
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## NEWMAR CORPORATION OWNER'S GUIDE

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Welcome to the exciting world of RV traveling and the growing family of recreational vehicle owners.

Congratulations on your purchase of a Newmar product. We sincerely thank you for choosing a Newmar product as your recreational vehicle. We trust this guide will help you to better understand and enjoy your new RV. We hope that you will enjoy many miles of traveling. Your new vehicle was built with care using today's technology and old world craftsmanship. We, at Newmar, strive to build vehicles that are safe, dependable, and comfortable to provide years of carefree, pleasant traveling.

This Owner's Guide, along with the Video Guide, should be kept in your vehicle for quick reference. Take time to get acquainted with your unit and how it operates. Carefully read both the instructions in this guide and the booklets supplied by the component manufacturers for important operation, safety, and maintenance information. Your dealer should be consulted should you have any questions. If your dealer is unable to answer the questions to your satisfaction, he will refer you to our staff for help. Our customers are extremely important to us, and we will make every effort necessary to ensure your satisfaction.

Again, thank you and welcome to our Newmar family.

Newmar Corporation

This guide, along with the Video Owner's Guide, has been provided by Newmar Corporation solely for the purpose of providing instructions about the operation and maintenance of this vehicle and its components. Nothing in this manual creates any warranty, either express or implied. The only warranty offered by Newmar Corporation is set forth in the written limited warranty that applies to this vehicle.

Instructions are included in this manual for operating some of the components that are standard on this vehicle. Instructions are also given for components that are options and may not appear on all vehicles. For more detailed information on the components installed, refer to the individual manufacturer's operating instructions contained in the Owner's Information Package.

The limited warranties issued by component manufacturers require periodic service and maintenance, and the owner's failure to provide this service and/or maintenance will result in the loss of warranty coverage. The owner should review the Newmar Corporation limited warranty and other manufacturers' limited warranties of all components applicable to this vehicle. To activate the warranties on the components within your Newmar recreational vehicle, be sure to file the appropriate registration card with the component manufacturer as described within the individual instruction booklet.

Newmar Corporation has compiled the most current information available at the time this guide was published. If the components in your unit vary significantly from what is described within this manual, then consult the instructions provided by the component manufacturer found in the Owner's Package.

Throughout this guide, reference is made to the following terms: Warning, Caution, and Important. These terms indicate important information that must be understood and followed. The definitions of these terms are:

#### WARNING

Emphasizes an area in which personal injury or even death could result from failure to follow instructions properly. Mechanical damage may also occur.

#### **CAUTION**

Failure to observe a caution can cause damage to the equipment or unit. Personal injury is unlikely.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Provides additional information to make a step easier or clearer.

# CHAPTER 1 GENERAL INFORMATION

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## **DELIVERY**

Throughout the manufacturing process your vehicle has been inspected by our qualified technicians. However, our final inspection at the factory is not to be the last one. The predelivery inspection and systems check your dealer performs are the final inspections done to the unit prior to your receiving your new coach. Your dealer is also available to assist you in understanding the limited warranties and completing any necessary forms to activate the warranties for the various appliances and accessories installed in your unit.

## Dealer Responsibilities

- 1. A pre-delivery inspection and systems check. Thoroughly inspecting the vehicle and the operation of the factory installed components.
- 2. A customer walk-through. This is done to familiarize the customer with the vehicle, its systems and components, and their operation.
- 3. Delivery of the Owner's Information Package. This package contains the warranty cards and registrations for the vehicle and factory installed components that carry a separate warranty. The detailed operating and maintenance instructions on these components are also included in this package.
- 4. Assisting the customer in completing the component registration forms, at the customer's request. To avoid loss of warranty coverage, the dealer should review the limited warranty provisions with the customer stressing the importance of filing warranty cards and registrations to the component's manufacturers within the prescribed time limit.
- 5. Providing the customer with information regarding warranty and non-warranty work on the vehicle and its separately warranted components whether the customer is in or out of the area.

## Customer Responsibilities

The customer is responsible for regular and proper maintenance of the vehicle. Properly maintaining your vehicle will prevent conditions arising from neglect that are not covered by your Newmar limited warranty. The maintenance guidelines in this manual and any other applicable manual should be followed. It is your responsibility and obligation to return the vehicle to an authorized dealer for repairs and service.

To assist you in avoiding problems with your vehicle, we recommend you do the following:

- a. Read the warranty. Go over it thoroughly with your dealer.
- b. Inspect the vehicle. Do not accept delivery until you have gone through the unit with the dealer. Newmar has provided a checklist to be used during retail delivery. Check each item on the list and make sure he does the same. Do not sign this checklist until you have done this.
- c. Ask questions about anything that you do not understand concerning your recreational vehicle.
- d. When taking delivery, set an appointment for adjustments. This appointment should be approximately two (2) weeks after you accept delivery.

General Information

## RECREATIONAL VEHICLE LIMITED WARRANTY

Included in this guide is the recreational vehicle warranty for this unit.

Some of the items installed on your unit are warranted by the original manufacturer. Newmar does not warranty these items. These items include batteries, light bulbs, microwaves, televisions, washers, dryers, air conditioners, satellite dish systems, security systems, CB radios, VCRs, tires, and any automotive chassis components. Below you will find a list of manufacturers who can help you with these components.

## Major Equipment Manufacturers

A & E Awnings
Diesel Equipment (Wiper System)910-373-8331
Dometic, Duo Therm
Evans Dash Air Conditioning800-354-7088
Fantastic Vents
Flexsteel
Goodyear Tires
Heart Interface
HWH Leveling Jacks800-321-3494
Kwikee Products (Step)
Larson Electronics (Monitor Panel)
Magnavox Appliances
Michelin Tires
Moen Faucets
Newmar Corporation
Norcold Refrigeration
Power Tech Generators
Sealand Toilets
Sharp
Spartan Chassis
Splendide Washer/Dryer504-229-4922
Sony, Radio, TV, VCR
Thermoil Batteries
Trekmate Security Systems
Vehicle Systems Inc

#### DAMAGE LIMITATION

Newmar Corporation will not be responsible for any incidental or consequential damages, including (but not limited to) loss of vehicle use, loss of time, inconvenience, expenses for travel, lodging, transportation charges, loss or damage to personal property or loss of income.

Please note, however, that some states do not allow the exclusion or the limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

## Oral and Implied Warranty Limitation

Implied warranties such as any warranty of merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose covers only the original purchaser. Coverage terminates 365 days from the date of purchase or on the date the original purchaser sells or transfers his interest in the recreational vehicle to a subsequent owner.

It is the intent of Newmar Corporation to comply with the Magnuson-Moss Warranty Act and the Federal Trade Commission's prescribed rulings. Newmar Corporation is not liable for, and will not recognize, any warranty other than the implied warranties under state law and the written warranty provided with this unit. In other words, no other warranty, written or oral, is given by Newmar Corporation.

Please note, however, some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

## Transfer Limitation

This warranty is not assignable or transferable.

## Legal Rights

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

## Reserved Right to Change

Newmar Corporation reserves the right to make changes or improvements in vehicles it produces in the future, without imposing on itself any duty to install the same improvements in vehicles it has previously manufactured.

## Owner's Information Package

Included in this package are valuable documents about your vehicle and its components and systems. The Newmar Owner's Guide does not cover every possible detail of equipment, standard and/or option, installed on or in your vehicle. Consulting the booklets and instruction manuals in this package will help you safely operate, maintain, and troubleshoot these items.

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Read all of the information and understand the safety and operating instructions included in the Owner's Information Package. To assure full warranty coverage, it is essential that all maintenance instructions are followed.

## CUSTOMER RELATIONS

We, at Newmar Corporation, are concerned about our customer's satisfaction. Therefore, if you discover a defect or a problem, please follow these instructions:

Upon discovery of a defect, you should notify your local Newmar repair center and set up an appointment to have the defect corrected. If you are unsure of the location of your closest Newmar repair center, you may contact the Customer Service Department toll free at 1-800-731-8300. A customer service representative is available 24 hours a day, 365 days a year for operational and warranty assistance. Please have your Customer Care Card available for reference when calling for service. You may also write to:

Newmar Corporation Warranty Department P.O. Box 30 Nappanee, IN 46550

## REPORTING SAFETY DEFECTS

If you believe your vehicle has a defect that could cause a crash or could cause injury or death, you should immediately inform the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) in addition to notifying Newmar Corporation. If the NHTSA receives similar complaints, then it may open an investigation. If it finds that a safety defect exists in a group of vehicles, it may order a recall or remedy campaign. NHTSA cannot become involved in individual problems between you, your dealer, or Newmar. To contact NHTSA you may either call the Auto Safety Hot Line toll free at 1-800-424-9393 (366-0123 in Washington, D.C.) or write to:

#### **NHTSA**

U.S. Department of Transportation Washington, DC 20590

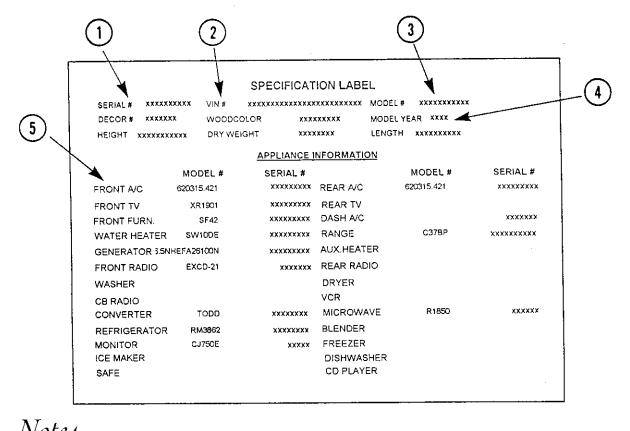
Other information about motor vehicle safety may be obtained from the NHTSA Hot Line.

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## SPECIFICATION LABEL

There are two main numbers used to identify the vehicle. The Vehicle Identification Number (VIN) is the legal identification of the completed vehicle. The VIN is the number used by the state for vehicle registration. The Newmar Serial Number (1) is a five digit number that is needed whenever making an appointment for service or ordering parts through your Newmar Dealer or Service Center. This number can be found on the placard in the kitchen overhead and on the Customer Care Card received from Newmar. Below is a sample of the placard located in the kitchen.

- 1. The Newmar Serial Number
- 2. Last five digits Vehicle Identification Number (VIN)
- 3. Model Number of the Unit
- 4. Model Year of the Unit
- 5. Manufacturer, Model Number, and Serial Number of factory installed appliances



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## RECOMMENDED SERVICE CENTERS

#### **ALABAMA**

CAMPING CENTER RV SALES
P.O. Box 534
Prattville, AL 36067
(205)285-5269 Fax (205)285-5635

MILLICAN RV AMERICA INC . 36115 U.S. Highway 280 Sylacauga, AL 35150 (205)249-3773 Fax (205)249-3958

#### ALASKA

ALASKAN ADVENTURES RV CENTER 918 E. 73rd Street, P.O. Box 230427 Anchorage, AK 99523 (907)344-2072 Fax (907)344-1608

#### ARIZONA

AMERICAN PRIDE, INC. 2145 E. Main Mesa, AZ 85213 (602)644-1500 Fax (602)834-6474

#### **ARKANSAS**

OUTDOOR LIVING CENTER
Highway 7 South, P.O. Box 1081
Russellville, AR 72801
(501)968-7706 Fax (501)968-4360

#### CALIFORNIA

ALPINE RECREATION SALES & SERVICE 19380 Monterey Road Morgan Hill, CA 95037 (408)779-4511 Fax (408)776-0104

AMERICAN CAMPER 3035 El Camino Real Santa Clara, CA 95051 (408)345-1740 Fax (408)980-9597

BARBER RV INC. 3650 E. Main Street, P.O. Box 3318 Ventura, CA 93006 (805)642-0276 Fax (805)642-9711

BRAWLEYS 5933 N. McHenry Avenue Modesto, CA 95356 (209)521-0170 Fax (209)521-9436

DAVE ALTMAN'S RV CENTERS, INC. 1201 Baldwin Park Boulevard Baldwin Park, CA 91706 (818)960-1884 Fax (818)962-6906

DAVE ALTMAN'S RV CENTERS, INC. 906 RV Center Drive, Lot #5 Colton, CA 92324 (909)422-0311 Fax (909)422-0450

DAVE ALTMAN'S RV CENTERS, INC. 22020 Recreation Road Carson, CA 90745 (310)518-6182 Fax (310)518-6195 EL MONTE RV CENTER 12061 E. Valley Boulevard El Monte, CA 91732 (818)443-6158 Fax (818)448-5836

EL MONTE RV CENTER 565 E. Redlands Boulevard San Bernadino, CA 92402 (909)885-2000 Fax (909)888-0420

NORTH COUNTY RV 975 Linda Vista Dr. San Marcos, CA 92069 (619)744-3400 Fax (619)744-0208

#### **COLORADO**

ALPINE TRAVEL TRAILERS, INC. 2487 Highway 6 & 50 Grand Junction, CO 81505 (303)242-5898 Fax (303)242-5989

JDL TRAILER SALES 2734 Lake Avenue Pueblo, CO 81004 (719)564-8056 Fax (719)564-0306

MOUNTAIN STATES RV, INC. 14300 E. Colfax Avenue Aurora, CO 80011 (303)360-0252 Fax (303)363-9103

#### CONNECTICUT

DAVE'S RV CENTER
2 Industrial Plaza Road
Danbury, CT 06810
(203)730-1744 Fax (203)730-1741

#### FLORIDA

DICK GORE'S R.V. WORLD 14590 Duval Place West Jacksonville, FL 32218 (904)741-5100 Fax(904)741-6682

INDEPENDENCE RV SALES & SVC. INC. 12705 W. Colonial Drive, Hwy. 50 Winter Garden, FL 34787 (407)877-7878 Fax (407)877-0911

LAND YACHTS INC. 1414 Commerce Lane, P.O. Box 1840 Jupiter, FL 33458 (407)745-0242 (407)745-1725

LEISURE TYME RV, INC 1490 Highway 98 W. Mary Esther, FL 32569 (904)581-0880 Fax (904)581-2300

LEISURE TYME RV INC. 6428 Pensacola Boulevard Pensacola, FL 32505 (904)476-6848 Fax (904)474-6392

NORTH TRAIL RV CENTER 5270 Orange River Boulevard Ft Myers, FL 33905 (813)693-8200 Fax (813)693-8179 SOUTH FLORIDA MOTOR HOMES INC. 1955 S. State Road 7 Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33317 (305)792-3930 Fax (305)584-0137

TRAVEL EASY RV INC. 4299 Highway 441 S. Okeechobee, FL 34974 (941)467-0400 Fax (941)467-9396

TRI AM RV CENTER INC. 5441 N.E. Jacksonville Road Ocala, FL 34479 (352)732-6269 Fax (352)368-7992

#### GEORGIA

C.S.R.A. CAMPERLAND INC. 3844 Washington Road Martinez, GA 30907 (706)863-6294 Fax (706)860-5728

COACH & CAMPERS RV SERVICE 7656 Old Covington Hwy. Lithonia, GA 30058 (770)482-4666 Fax (770)482-2026

#### **IDAHO**

AMERICAN WAY RV 4033 Chinden Boulevard Boise, ID 83714 (208)345-6644 Fax (208)345-6651

RAY'S RV'S 3340 N. Atlas Road Coeur D'Alene, ID 83814 (208)666-1478 Fax (208)664-8689

#### ILLINOIS

ALL SEASONS CAMPING INC. 260 W. Grand Avenue Elmhurst, IL 60126 (630)832-0800 Fax (630)832-0838

COLLIER RV CENTER

3510 Merchandise Drive
Rockford, IL 61109
(815)874-7188 Fax (815)874-9426

LARRY'S TRAILER SALES INC. Highway 148 N., P.O. Box 98 Zeigler, IL 62999 (618)596-6414 Fax (618)596-6344

R & S SALES & SERVICE, INC. 218 S. Lake of the Woods Road Mahomet, IL 61853 (217)586-2055 Fax (217)586-2382

WHOLESALE OUTLET
1215 W. Lake Street
Bartlett, IL 60103
(630)483-2500 Fax (630)483-2590

#### INDIANA

DON'S CAMPER SALES INC. Box 373, U.S. 41 S. Boswell, IN 47921 (317)869-5009 Fax (317)869-5009 HART CITY RV SERVICE INC. 2301 S. Nappanee Street Elkhart, IN 46517 (219)295-5793 Fax (219)294-2026

INDY RV CENTER INC. State Rd. 37, S. Smith Valley Rd., P.O. Box 447 Greenwood, IN 46142 (317)881-0300 Fax (317)881-0431

LEE'S RV CENTER INC. 7247 State Road 46 E. Batesville, IN 47006 (812)934-3210 Fax (812)934-3345

PREMIER RV INC. 1400 Leisure Way Clarksville, IN 47129 (812)284-1400 Fax (812)283-3465

THE RV CENTER INC. 3360 E. Lincolnway Columbia City, IN 46725 (219)244-3898 Fax (219)244-3414

TOM STINNETT HOLIDAY RV CTR. INC. 520 Marriott Drive Clarksville, IN 47129 (812)282-7718 Fax (812)288-9424

WETNIGHT RV SALES & SERVICE INC. 4401 U.S. 41 N., P.O. Box 5197 Terre Haute, IN 47805 (812)466-3961 Fax (812)466-6851

#### IOWA

AUTORAMA RV CENTER 2227 SE 14th Des Moines, IA 50320 (515)282-0443 Fax (515)282-1425

HEROLD TRAILER SALES 1806 W. 2nd Avenue, Highway 92 W. Indianola, IA 50125 (515)961-7405 Fax (515)961-3674

WALKER TRAILER SALES, INC. Highway 18 W., Box 633 Nora Springs, IA 50458 (515)749-2321 Fax (515)749-2321

#### KANSAS

HARPER CAMPERLAND INC. 1200 E. 10th, P.O. Box 1993 Great Bend, KS 67530 (316)792-5170 Fax (316)792-8466

HARPER CAMPERLAND INC. 117 W. 14th Harper, KS 67058 (316)896-2862 Fax (316)896-2858

JAYHAWK CAMPER SALES 24105 W. 43rd Shawnee, KS 66226 (913)422-5677 Fax (913)422-7147

WILCOX HOMES & RV CENTER 835 N.E. Highway 24 Topeka, KS 66608 (913)357-5111 Fax (913)232-1574

#### KENTUCKY

HALL ENTERPRISES 975 Beasley Street, P.O. Box 55038 Lexinton, KY 40555 (606)233-1777 Fax (606)231-9369

TOM STINNET 9213 Dixie Highway Louisville, KY 40272 (502)933-3345

YOUNGBLOOD RV CENTER INC. 2132 St. Rt. 45N Mayfield, KY 42066 (502)247-8591 Fax (502)247-0604

#### LOUISIANA

JACKIE EDGAR RV CENTER INC. 3008 Cameron Street Lafayette, LA 70506 (318)232-1941 Fax (318)233-1147

MILLER RV 12912 Florida Boulevard Baton Rouge, LA 70815 (504)275-2940 Fax (504)275-6807

PREMIERE RV OUTLET INC. 1700 S. Siebarth Drive, P.O. Box 19204 Lake Charles, LA 70616-9204 (318)436-8785 Fax (318)436-8706

#### MAINE

MOUNTAIN ROAD RV R.F.D. #1, Box 2620 Sabattus, ME 04280 (207)375-4091 Fax (207)375-4014

#### MARYLAND

BECKLEYS CAMPING CENTER 11109 Angleberger Road Thurmont, MD 21788 (301)898-3300 Fax (301)898-7093

#### **MICHIGAN**

GAYLORD RV SALES & SERVICE 271 W. Johnson Road Gaylord, MI 49735 (517)732-6141 Fax (517)731-2735

GENERAL TRAILER SALES-WATERFORD 5300 Highland Road Waterford, MI 48327 (810)674-0346 Fax (810)674-3809

GENERAL TRAILER SALES-WIXOM 48500 12 Mile Road Wixom, MI 48393 (810)349-0900 Fax (810)348-4150

HILLTOP RV & MARINE 2905 N. Lincoln Road Escanaba, MI 49829 (906)786-7986 Fax (906)786-3421

MidWAY MOTORHOMES INC. 5590 S. Division Avenue Grand Rapids, MI 49548 (616)534-9641 Fax (616)534-6869 MODERN TRAILER SALES, INC. 3449 S. Division Avenue Wyoming, MI 49548-2110 (616)241-2925 Fax (616)241-5451

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HILLTOP TRAILER SALES
4560 Center Avenue N.E.
Minneapolis, MN 55418
(612)571-9103 Fax (612)571-2536

LANDEY'S RV INC. 6220 Highway 101 S. Shakapee, MN 55379 (612)445-7081 Fax (612)445-4701

SHOREWOOD RV CENTER 7405 Highway 10 N.W. Anoka, MN 55303 (612)421-2505 Fax (612)421-6076

#### MISSISSIPPI

RV REPAIR & SALES, INC. 4749 Highway 80 W. Jackson, MS 39209 (601)922-9425 Fax (601)922-5153

#### MISSOURI

BILL THOMAS CAMPER SALES INC. 5217 N. Lindbergh St Louis, MO 63044 (314)731-2217 Fax (314)731-0269

CAPETOWN RV SALES
1-55 & Airport Road, P.O. Box 1985
Cape Giradeau, MO 63702
(314)334-7152 Fax (314)334-9059

COACHLIGHT RV SALES INC. Route 4, Box 515 Carthage, MO 64836 (417)358-7444 Fax (417)358-0856

KC TRAILER SALES, INC. 11530 S. 71 Highway Kansas City, MO 64137 (816)761-3322 Fax (816)761-7722

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BRETZ RV & MARINE 2045 Mullan Road Missoula, MT 59802 (406)721-4010 Fax (406)549-8078

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DENNING RV 3110 N. Broad Fremont, NE 68025 (402)721-5030 Fax (402)721-5570

RICH & SON'S CAMPER SALES 5112 S. Antelope Drive Grand Island, NE 68803 (308)384-2040 Fax (308)384-2043

#### NEVADA

WHEELERS LAS VEGAS RV 13175 Las Vegas Boulevard S. Las Vegas, NV 89124 (702)896-9000 Fax (702)896-9001

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C. H. DANA RV SALES & SERVICE 628 Woodsville Road Monroe, NH 03771-3328 (603)638-2200 Fax (603)638-2066

CAMP AMERICA INC. 222 Plaistow Rd., Rte. 125 Plaistow, NH 03865 (603)382-9296 Fax (603)382-1060

CAMPERS INN OF KINGSTON 146 Route 125 Kingston, NH 03848 (603)642-5555 Fax (603)642-9931

MOUNTAIN VALLEY RECREATION 410 Main Street Gorham, NH 03581 (603)466-3868 Fax (603)466-2416

#### **NEW JERSEY**

SCOTT MOTOR COACH SALES INC. 1133 Route 88 Lakewood, NJ 08701 (908)370-1022 Fax (908)370-1010

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ALOHA RV INC. 11200 Central S.E., P.O. Box 53250 Albuquerque, NM 87123 (505)298-8444 Fax (505)275-7687

AMERICAN RV & MARINE 11810 Central S.E. Albuquerque, NM 87123 (505)293-1983 Fax (505)293-6991

AMERICAN RV & MARINE 200 N. Telshore Boulevard Las Cruces, NM 88011 (505)522-5512 Fax (505)522-3781

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BALLARDS CAMPING CENTER, INC. Rte. 20 at Pleasant Av. S - 5489 Southwestern Blvd. Hamburg, NY 14075 (716)649-9654 Fax (716)648-0340

SEVEN O'S 7917 Devaul Road Kirkville, NY 13082 (315)687-9342 Fax (315)687-7992

WILKENS RV INC. 1099 Almond Road Hornell, NY 14843 (607)324-1313 Fax (607)324-1082

WRATTEN TRAILER SALES
9209 Route 11 S., P.O. Box 5
Adams, NY 13605
(315)232-4535 Fax (315)232-3445

#### NORTH CAROLINA

HOWARD RV CENTER 6811 Market Street Wilmington, NC 28405 (910)791-5371 Fax (910)392-0672

INDEPENDENCE RV 6600 Reames Road Charlotte, NC 28216 (704)596-5600 Fax (704)597-7400

OLD TOWN CAMPER SALES, INC. 5109 N. Causeway Drive Winston Salem, NC 27106 (910)924-9864 Fax (910)922-1458

RANDYS RV'S INC. 5322 Fayetteville Road Raleigh, NC 27603 (919)779-5445 Fax (919)772-8142

#### NORTH DAKOTA

CAPITAL RV CENTER, INC. 1900 N. Bismarck Expressway Bismarck, ND 58501 (701)255-7878 Fax (701)255-1678

#### OHIO

BEGGS MOTOR HOMES, INC. 11197 Cleveland Ave. N.W., P.O. Box 545 Uniontown, OH 44685 (330)499-9755 Fax (330)499-6002

FARBER MOTORS INC. 5858 Scarborough Blvd. Columbus, OH 43232 (614)864-7878 Fax (614)864-7899

NATIONAL CAMPERLAND INC. 7417 W. Central Avenue Toledo, OH 43617 (419)841-2444 Fax (419)841-2030

TOWN & COUNTRY RV CENTER, INC. 909 W. McPherson Highway Clyde, OH 43410 (419)547-0708 Fax (419)547-9101

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DAVE'S CLAREMORE RV INC. 1400 S. Lynn Riggs Claremore, OK 74017 (918)341-0114 Fax (918)341-8936

EARL'S LAKE COUNTRY RV'S INC. 2601 S. 32nd Street Muskogee, OK 74401 (918)682-4504 Fax (918)683-2691

FLOYD'S CAMPERS INC. Route 1, P.O. Box 112 AA Norman, OK 73072 (405)288-2355 Fax (405)288-2350

LEE'S RV CITY INC. 13111 N. Broadway Ext. Oklahoma City, OK 73114 (405)936-9300 Fax (405)936-9313

LEWIS TRAVEL TRAILER SALES 11518 E. 66th Street, P.O. Box 104 Owasso, OK 74055 (918)272-1353 Fax (918)272-5451

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AL'S TRAILER SALES OF SALEM 4843 Portland Road N.E. Salem, OR 97305 (503)393-3365 Fax (503)393-1525

CURTIS TRAILERS, INC. 21525 S.W. T.V. Highway Aloha, OR 97006 (503)649-8528 Fax (503)649-3974

CURTIS TRAILERS, INC. 10177 S.E. Powell Portland, OR 97266 (503)760-1363 Fax (503)760-1482

DON CRUICKSHANK ENTERPRISES 98203 S B Chetco Road Brookings, OR 97415 (541)469-3356 Fax (541)471-2782

EUGENE RECREATION SALES INC. 1700 Highway 99 N. Eugene, OR 97402 (503)688-4849 Fax (503)688-1885

OLINGER TRAVEL HOMES, INC. 6503 Alexander Hillsboro, OR 97123 (503)649-2141 Fax (503)642-2961

RV ROUNDUP 2790 Crater Lake Hwy. Medford, OR 97504 (541)770-5887 Fax (541)830-5330

TRIPLE A RV CENTER, INC. 938 Chevy Way Medford, OR 97504 (541)772-1938 Fax (541)779-1460

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ANSLEY & LEWIS, INC. 1280 Route 764, P.O. Box 239 Duncansville, PA 16635 (814)695-9817 Fax (814)695-9814

COUNCIL CUP TRAILER SALES
Route 239
Wapwallopen, PA 18660
(717)379-3751 Fax (717)379-2913

ROLLING WHEELS RV
2314 Lycoming Creek Road
Williamsport, PA 17701
(717)322-1894 Fax (717)322-1902

#### RHODE ISLAND

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## CHAPTER 2

## DRIVING AND SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

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## SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

#### WARNING

Prior to driving your vehicle, be sure you have read this entire owner's guide and the chassis manufacturer operator's manual. It is important that you understand your vehicle's equipment completely and how to use the equipment safely.

Read and understand all of the instructions and precautions in this owner's guide and the chassis manufacturer owner's manual before operating your new motor home. Listed below are some safety precautions that must be adhered to while your motor home is in motion. These precautions, as well as others that involve possible damage to equipment, are also listed in the appropriate areas in this manual.

## General Warning

#### WARNING

Portable fuel-burning equipment, including wood and charcoal grills and stoves, shall not be used inside the recreational vehicle. The use of this equipment inside the recreational vehicle may cause fires or asphyxiation.

- Seats equipped with seat belts are the only ones to be used while the vehicle is in motion.
- While the vehicle is in motion, all seats should be locked in the forward facing position.
- Passengers should never be allowed to stand or kneel on seats in a moving vehicle.
- All passengers must have seat belts fastened in a low and snug position so that the force exerted by the belt in a collision will be spread across the hip area. Pregnant women should wear the lap-shoulder belt, with the lap belt portion worn low and snug.
- The fire extinguisher should be inspected monthly for proper charge and operating condition. The smoke alarm should also be tested on a regular basis. The label on the detector should be removed when preparing the unit for the first trip. In addition to the recommended inspection, these should also be checked prior to a vacation or extended trip.
- Sleeping facilities are not to be used while the vehicle is in motion.
- Become familiar with the operation of the escape window, but use this window strictly as an emergency exit.

## Before Starting Out

The following is a brief list of procedures that will aid in your driving safety and extend your equipment's life.

- Windows, mirrors, and light lenses are to be clean and unobstructed.
- Tires should be checked for proper cold inflation pressure.
- Wheel lug nuts should be checked for proper tightness.
- Fluid levels, including engine oil, transmission fluid, coolant, power steering fluid, brake fluid, and windshield washer solvent, should be checked and filled if necessary.
- Disconnect the unit and store the sewer and water supply hoses as well as shoreline power cords.
- Secure all cargo in the storage compartments in the event of a sudden stop.
- Verify that the step has retracted prior to engine ignition.

## Driving

There are various adjustments that need to be made prior to starting and moving the vehicle.

- Among them are the driver's seat, the tilt steering, and the exterior rear view mirrors.
- The dashboard may contain several gauges and controls you have not previously used. Become familiar with all of these devices and their operation before starting out.
- The cruise control is not to be operated on icy roads, extremely wet roads, winding roads, heavy traffic, or in any other traffic situation where a constant speed cannot be maintained.
- While driving on slippery surfaces, use care when accelerating or decelerating. Also, verify that the Jake brake is in the off position. Skidding and loss of vehicle control may be the result of abrupt changes in speed.
- Driving through water deep enough to wet the brakes may affect the stopping distance or cause the vehicle to pull to one side. If you have driven through deep water, check the brake operation in a safe area to be sure they have not been affected. **Never** operate a vehicle if a difference in braking efficiency is noticeable.
- Extreme terrain and adverse weather may affect the handling and/or performance of your vehicle. Please refer to your chassis manual for related information.

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## LP Gas & Fuel

#### **WARNING**

LP gas containers, gasoline or other flammable liquids shall not be placed or stored inside the vehicle because fire or explosion may result. LP gas containers are equipped with safety valves that relieve excessive pressure by discharging gas into the atmosphere.

#### WARNING

Exhaust gases contain carbon monoxide (an odorless, colorless, and poisonous gas). These gases are produced by burned gasoline, diesel, or LP gas. Items such as the range, furnace, water heater, refrigerator, chassis engine, or generator engine can produce these gases. These fumes should not be inhaled. Inhaling carbon monoxide may produce headaches, dizziness, nausea, or even death.

- While refilling the fuel or LP tank, the engine must be off, all pilot lights must be extinguished, and appliances turned off. Smoking is also prohibited at this time.
- An open flame is never to be used to test for LP gas leaks.
- All protective covers and caps must be replaced after filling the LP system.
- Once the valve is closed, securely latch the LP door.
- LP gas and natural gas are not interchangeable. Never connect natural gas to the LP gas system.
- The use of equipment such as wood and charcoal grills and stoves inside this recreational vehicle may cause fires or asphyxiation.

## LP GAS SYSTEM

## General Information

A warning label has been located near the LP gas container. This label reads:

#### WARNING

DO NOT FILL CONTAINER(S) TO MORE THAN 80 PERCENT OF CAPACITY.

Overfilling the LP gas container can result in uncontrolled gas flow, which can cause fire or explosion. A properly filled container will contain approximately 80 percent of its volume as liquid LP gas.

The LP gas system components in your unit have been approved for use in camping vehicles by a nationally recognized testing laboratory. LP gas is a clean-burning dependable fuel when properly handled. The LP gas tank mounted on your unit contains liquid propane gas under high pressure. The liquid gas vaporizes as the fuel is used and passes through the tank valve to a regulator that automatically reduces the pressure. The low-pressure gas is then distributed to the appliances through the pipe manifold system. Appliance lighting problems are commonly caused by an improperly adjusted gas regulator. Never attempt to reset the regulator yourself. Have an authorized service technician make any necessary adjustments. We recommend that you have the LP gas system checked by an authorized service technician at least once a year and after every extended trip. Although the manufacturer and dealer carefully test for leakage, travel vibrations could loosen fittings. Leaks can be easily found by applying leak detector solution at the connections. If leak detector solution is not available, a soapy water solution made with dish soap can be used. Tightening the fitting usually stops any leaks. If this does not work, shut off the main gas valve at the tank and immediately consult an authorized service technician for repairs. If a leak is suspected, the identifying odor smells similar to rotten eggs (sulfur). Never test for a leak by lighting a match or having an open flame where you suspect leaking gas.

#### WARNING

Shut off the main gas valve at the tank when the camping vehicle is not in use. Also, shut off the valve when refueling to avoid potential danger from pilot lights igniting fuel fumes. Some appliances, such as the refrigerator, water heater, and furnace, have DSI (direct spark ignition) boards, so it is important that you turn the appliances off when the LP gas is off. The ignition in the appliances will continue to spark even if there is no LP gas available.

## LP Regulator

The regulator acts as the heart for the LP gas system. The LP gas in the tank is under high pressure. The regulator reduces the pressure of this gas so that it is safe to use with the various appliances in your unit. If corrosion is noticed, contact a qualified LP gas service technician. Do not adjust the regulator. It is factory preset. Adjustments are to be made by a qualified LP service technician using specialized equipment.

LP gas regulators must always be installed with the diaphragm vent facing downward. Regulators that are not in compartments have been equipped with a protective cover. Make sure that the regulator vent faces downward and that the cover is kept in place to minimize the vent blockage that could result in excessive gas pressure causing fire or explosion.

## Distribution Lines

The primary manifold is a black steel pipe running the length of your unit. Most secondary lines leading to gas appliances are made of copper tubing with flare fittings. If any of the gas lines rupture, **do not** attempt to splice them. Always run a new line. We recommend gas distribution work be performed by an authorized service technician. The main valve at the

LP tank **must be** closed when removing or servicing any gas appliance. This will prevent dangerous gas leakage that could result in an explosion and possibly serious injury. If a leak is suspected, have the systems inspected and repaired by a qualified service technician.

## Precautions and Recommendations

- Inspect the LP fill valve for foreign materials before refueling.
- Shut the engine and pilot lights off prior to refueling LP gas tanks.
- Never check for gas leaks with an open flame (match, etc.).
- Gas lines should be visually inspected periodically.
- Have the gas system inspected yearly and before and after extended trips.
- The gas system should be inspected and repaired by **only** qualified technicians.

#### WARNING

The LP system in your recreational vehicle is designed for liquefied petroleum gas only. Never attempt to connect natural gas or butane gas in this system.

## FIRE SAFETY

The possibility of fire exists in all areas of life, and the recreational life-style is no exception. Recreational vehicles are complex machines. They are made up of many materials, some of which are flammable. Like most hazards, the possibility of fire can be minimized, if not totally eliminated. This is done by recognizing the danger and practicing common sense safety and maintenance habits. For safety reasons, your unit is furnished with both a fire extinguisher and a smoke alarm.

## Fire Extinguisher

The fire extinguisher is rated for Class B (grease, gasoline, diesel fuel, flammable liquids) and Class C (electrical) fires. These are the most common types of fires in vehicles. Read the operator's manual and the instructions on the fire extinguisher. Be sure to know how and when to use the extinguisher and where it is located.

Fire extinguishers are mechanical, pressurized devices. Care must be exercised when they are handled. They must be maintained as the operator's manual instructs for proper and safe operation. The extinguisher should be inspected at least once a month. More frequent inspections may be required if the extinguisher is exposed to the weather or to possible tampering. Do not test the extinguisher by partially discharging. Doing this will cause a loss of pressure.

If a fire occurs in the vehicle, evacuate the vehicle as quickly and as safely as possible. Consider the cause and the severity of the fire and the risk involved before trying to extinguish it. If the fire is major or fuel fed, move away from and stand clear of the vehicle and wait for emergency assistance to arrive.

## Smoke Detector

The battery powered smoke detector is mounted on the ceiling in the living area of the unit. Read the operating instructions for details on the testing and care for this important safety device. Test the smoke detector after the unit has been in storage, before each trip, and at least once a week during use. The detector should never be disabled because of nuisance or false alarm from cooking smoke or a dusty furnace. Ventilate the unit with fresh air and the alarm will shut off. Never disconnect or remove the battery from the smoke alarm. The battery should be replaced once a year or when the low battery signal sounds.

## Emergency Exit Window

In the bedroom of the unit, there is an emergency exit (egress) window. This window is designed to be used as an additional exit in emergency situations. It can be easily identified by the red color of the handles and the red "EXIT" label. To open the egress window, lift the handles and push outward on the window. The window can be closed by pulling the window closed and lowering the handles to the down or locked position.

## WEIGHT INFORMATION

Below is a sample of a weight information label which may appear in your unit.

#### MOTORHOME WEIGHT INFORMATION

VIN # XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

 Newmar Serial Number
 xxxxxxxxx

 Model
 xxxxxxxxxxxx

 GVWR
 xxxxxxxx

 UVW
 xxxxxxx

 NCC
 xxxxxxx

 GCWR
 xxxxxxx

GVWR (Gross Vehicle Weight Rating) means the maximum permissible weight of this motorhome. The GVWR is equal to or greater than the sum of the Unloaded Vehicle Weight plus the Net Carrying Capacity.

UVW (Unloaded Vehicle Weight) means the weight of this motorhome as built at the factory with full fuel, engine oil, and coolants. The UVW does not include cargo, fresh water, LP gas, occupants, or dealer installed accessories.

NCC (Net Carrying Capacity) means the maximum weight of all occupants including the driver, personal belongings, food, fresh water, LP gas, tools, tongue weight of towed vehicle, dealer installed accessories, etc., that can be carried by this motorhome. (NCC is equal to or less than GVWR minus UVW)

GCWR (Gross Combination Weight Rating) means the value specified by the motorhome manufacturer as the maximum allowable loaded weight of this motorhome with its towed trailer or towed vehicle.

This motorhome is capable of carrying up to xxx gallons of fresh water (including water heater) for a total of xxxx pounds.

Reference: Weight of fresh water is 8.33 lbs/gal.

CONSULT OWNER'S MANUAL FOR SPECIFIC WEIGHING INSTRUCTIONS AND TOWING GUIDELINES.

## Weighing the Unit

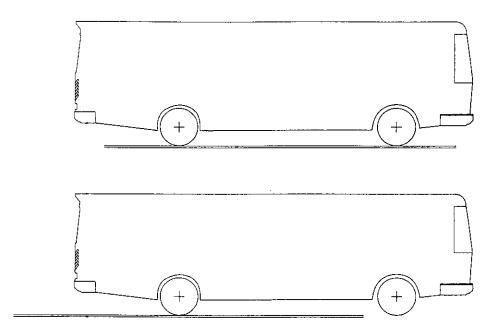
The following definitions are given to help in communications of issues of weight and your unit.

- GAWR: Gross Axle Weight Rating means the maximum permissible weight for an axle. This takes into consideration the weakest link in the tire, wheel, brakes, hubs, axle, springs, and attaching parts. For example, if the axle is rated at 15,000 pounds and the tires are rated at 3,415 pounds each as a dual, the maximum GAWR would be 13,660 pounds with four tires.
- GCWR: Gross Combined Weight Rating means the value specified by the manufacturer of the vehicle as the maximum allowable loaded weight of the vehicle with its towed trailer or towed vehicle.
- GVWR: Gross Vehicle Weight Rating means the maximum permissible weight of this motorhome. The GVWR is equal to or greater than the sum of the Unloaded Vehicle Weight plus the Net Carrying Capacity.
- UVW: Unloaded Vehicle Weight means the weight of the motorhome as built at the factory, with full fuel, engine oil, and coolants. The UVW does not include cargo, fresh water, LP gas, or dealer installed accessories.
- NCC: Net Carrying Capacity means the maximum weight of all occupants, including the driver, personal belongings, food, fresh water, waste water, LP gas, tools, tongue weight of towed vehicle, dealer installed accessories, etc., that can be carried by the motorhome. NCC is equal to or less than the GVWR minus the UVW.
- GVW: Gross Vehicle Weight is the weight of the unit with all items and supplies that are loaded into the unit at any point in time.

To assure the accuracy of your weights be sure the unit is always level during weighing.

The unit has been built to comply with the component suppliers recommended limits and give you a realistic NCC. When loading the unit, distribute the items so that not all of the weight is added to one area of the unit. If you have questions as to what the weight of the unit is after it has been loaded, take the unit to a drive-on scale or use individual wheel scales and verify that the weights are within the limits of those specified for the unit. When weighing the unit follow these instructions. Failure to follow these instructions may give an erroneous weight reading.

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- 1. Pull the unit onto the scales shown in Fig. 1. This is the total weight of the unit. To do this, pull the unit onto the scales so that all of the wheels are on the scale. Record the weight. This is the GVW and should not exceed the GVWR supplied by Newmar for the unit.
- 2. Move the unit so that the front wheels are off the scales as shown in Fig. 2. Record the weight. This is the total weight of the unit except for the front axle. This weight should not exceed the total rating of the axles remaining on the scales. The front axle weight is determined by subtracting this weight from the GVW that was obtained in Step One (1). This amount should not exceed the listed front axle weight rating.

## Campsite Parking

If the campground does not have drive-through sites, it is recommended to stop near the site and inspect it for slopes or uneven areas. Back into the site carefully. Watch for low-hanging limbs, posts, large rocks, or other obstacles. Back the unit in so the site is on the driver's left, if possible. This will enable the driver to watch the rear of the unit. Back up slowly using the side mirrors as a guide or with the assistance of another person outside guiding the parking procedure.

Place the vehicle in neutral, set the air park brake, and turn off the ignition. If parked on a steep incline, pre-level the coach by driving the appropriate wheels onto blocks. Finish the leveling process by using the leveling jack system to level and stabilize the unit. Connect the 120 volt shore power to the unit. Open the LP gas valves at the LP tanks. Connect the fresh water supply and sanitize the water systems, if necessary. Connect the waste drain hose to the sewer hook-up. Start the refrigerator, water heater, and furnace, if needed. Light the oven pilot light, if applicable. Remember that the refrigerator will not operate efficiently if the unit is unlevel.

#### CAUTION

Do not lift the wheels of the unit off the ground at any time during this process. The unit can roll forward or backward when the weight of the unit is on the jacks.

## Car Towing Hitch

The motor home is equipped with a 4,000 pound hitch and wire connector. Your unit is designed for use as a recreational vehicle and is intended for towing light loads. The instructions for towing are listed in the chassis manufacturer owner's manual provided in your Owner's Information Package. The total weight of the motor home and any vehicle towed by it must not exceed the GCWR. When weighing the motor home, be sure to take passenger locations into consideration. The towed vehicles must have adequate brakes. The wire connector installed is the standard seven-pin connector. Chapter 7 of this guide will have more information regarding this connector.

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## CHAPTER 3

## AIR CONDITIONING & HEATING

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## AIR CONDITIONER

The basement air conditioner/heat pump installed on your coach will operate only when the unit is supplied with 120 volt AC power from the power cord or the generator. The air conditioner circuit breaker must be in the ON position to work.

To assist the air conditioner in cooling the coach, park in the shade and keep the drapes or blinds closed. Set the thermostat to the desired temperature.

Air conditioners can use a large portion of the available electric power. RV parks may experience low voltage on days with high heat or humidity. This is commonly referred to as a "brown out". A brown out may trip the air conditioner circuit breaker. The circuit breaker protects your air conditioner from damage and is necessary during low voltage conditions. The tripped breaker normally not a result of a defect in your electrical system.

The cool air from the air conditioner is routed throughout the coach ceiling through air ducts. Below is a drawing of the thermostat that controls the air conditioner. It also controls the heat pump and furnace. Simply select the desired temperature. The blower will cycle automatically or you may choose low, medium, or high fan settings. The heat pump installed in the air conditioner is used to warm the living areas of the unit. The heat pump is not intended to heat the unit but rather take the chill off.

#### **IMPORTANT**

When setting the thermostat, reemember that ALL ZONES MUST BE IN THE SAME MODE FOR PROPER OPERATION. This means when cooling the unit, each zone must be in the cool mode. When using the heat pump, each zone must be in the heat mode.

**Step One:** Move power switch to ON.

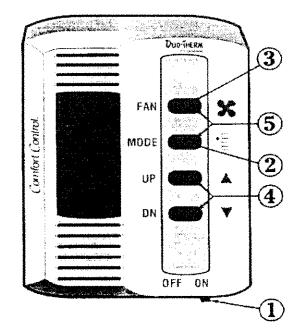
**Step Two:** Press MODE button to select function. (COOL\*, FURNACE, FAN ONLY, etc.)

\* There is an approximate 2-minute time delay after selecting cooling function for refrigerant compressor to start.

**Step Three:** Press FAN button to select fan speed or automatic operation.

**Step Four:** Press UP or DN button to set your desired temperature for the zone.

**Step Five:** If your vehicle contains more than one zone, depress FAN and MODE simultaneously to select zone 2, and repeat procedures from step 2 above. Repeat entire procedure for each additional zone.



**Shutdown:** If you turn the Comfort Control off or if there is a power interruption for any reason, the system will resume operation on the last settings when power returns.

## **FURNACE**

#### WARNING

Never attempt to modify this furnace. Fire, explosion, asphyxiation, or carbon monoxide poisoning may occur. If the furnace malfunctions, consult a trained service technician.

The furnace installed in your coach is an Aqua-Hot Motor Coach & Marine Heating System. This type of furnace provides hydronic 'radiator' type of heating. The furnace operates on 120 volt electricity when connected to shore power or diesel fuel from the vehicle fuel tank when shore power is not available.

To operate the furnace, first set the thermometer zone to the FURNACE mode. Then select the desired temperature by using the UP or DOWN arrows. Prior to furnace operation with diesel fuel, the diesel burner must be ignited. This is done by pressing the AQUA HOT DIESEL BURNER switch located in the passenger overhead control panel.

There are four heat exchangers located throughout the living area of this unit. They are located in the bedroom, bathroom, kitchen, and under the dash. Remember, the heat exchanger under the dash is not a part of the chassis air-conditioning/heating system. Each heat exchanger operates as an individual furnace. A separate temperature setting can be selected for each one. The hydronic heat exchangers in the living areas are controlled by the air conditioner wall thermostat. There are four zones of heating, three of which are in the living area. The zones are listed below:

Zone 1

Living Room Area (under the dash and in the kitchen)

Zone 1-Stage 1

Bathroom

Zone 2

Bedroom Area

Zone 3

Waterworks Compartment

As mentioned above, there is a heat exchanger located in the waterworks compartment. This heat exchanger is controlled by a separate thermostat located in the compartment area.

#### **IMPORTANT**

When setting the thermostat, remember that ALL ZONES MUST BE IN THE SAME MODE FOR PROPER OPERATION. This means when heating the unit with the furnace, each zone must be in the FURNACE mode.

#### WARNING

Portable fuel burning appliances are not safe for heating inside the recreational vehicle. Asphyxiation or carbon monoxide poisoning can occur.

## LP TANK

This coach is equipped with a 42 gallon ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers) approved LP tank. This tank is controlled with an automatic pressure regulator. The LP tank contains liquid petroleum gas under high pressure. As the fuel is used, the liquid gas vaporizes and passes through the tank valve to a regulator that automatically reduces the pressure. The low-pressure gas is then distributed to the appliances throughout the pipe manifold system. Improperly adjusted regulators are the major cause of appliance lighting problems. Never attempt to reset the regulator. This is to be done by a qualified service technician. While in high altitudes or extreme cold weather a gas shortage may be experienced. Running one appliance at a time can help adjust to this problem.

It is recommended to have the LP system inspected by an authorized service technician at least once a year, and after every extended trip. This system is tested by both the manufacturer and the dealer. Leaks can be caused by travel vibrations, therefore routine inspections are recommended.

The primary gas supply manifold is a black steel pipe running the length of the unit. Most secondary lines leading to the gas appliances are made of copper tubing with flare fittings. If any of these lines rupture do not attempt to splice them. Always run a new line. Gas distribution work must be performed by an authorized service technician. When removing or servicing any gas appliance, close the main gas valve at the LP tank. This will prevent dangerous gas leakage that could result in an explosion and possible serious injury. If a gas leak is suspected, have the system inspected and repaired by a qualified service technician as soon as possible.

#### WARNING

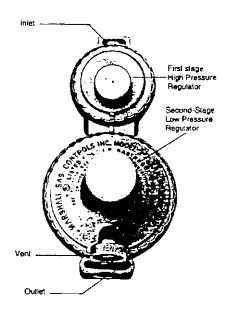
The main gas valve must be shut when the vehicle is not in use. Shut the valve off when refueling to avoid potential danger from pilot lights igniting fuel fumes. Gas valves on appliances with direct spark ignition (DSI) should also be in the off position. Do not store LP, gasoline, diesel, or other flammable liquids inside the vehicle. Fire or an explosion could be the result of ignoring this warning.

## LP Tank Filling

Do not fill the tank to more than 80 percent of capacity. The unit must be level when filling the LP tank. If unlevel, overfilling may occur. Fire or explosion may be the result of uncontrolled gas flow from an overfilled tank.

## LP Regulator

The regulator is the heart of the LP system. The regulator reduces the pressure of the gas so it is safe to use with various appliances. Regulators are equipped with a vent. In the event excess pressure builds up in the body of the regulator, a relief mechanism vents it to the atmosphere. It will vent until the pressure returns to the normal range. The vent must be kept clean and clear of obstructions or corrosion. A clogged vent could cause the failure of components. Contact a qualified LP technician if corrosion or obstruction is noticed.



The presence of moisture in LP fuel causes the regulators to freeze. The moisture will pass through the cylinder valve and into the regulator where freezing occurs. To help prevent the regulator from freezing, always keep the tank control valve closed when not in use, even when the tank is empty, to prevent moisture from collecting on the inside.

If moisture becomes a problem, consult an authorized LP service center for assistance.

The regulator must always be installed with the diaphragm vent facing downward. Please refer to Chapter 2 of this manual for further LP gas safety information.

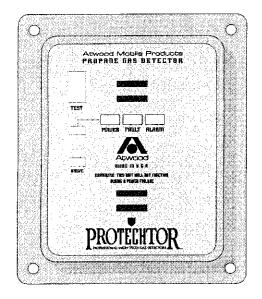
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### LP Gas Detector

#### **WARNING**

Never check gas lines for leaks with an open flame. Do not check for leaks using ammoniated or chlorinated household type detergents. These detergents can cause cracks to form on the metal tubing and brass fittings. Take the unit to a qualified LP gas service technician to find and repair the leak. Keep the tank valve closed and all of the appliances turned off when the unit is stored. If any of the LP gas valves do not close leak-tight by hand, consult a service technician.

Liquid Propane (LP) Gas is heavier than air and will settle to the lowest point of the room, which is generally the floor of your coach. Because of this, the LP detector installed in your coach is located near the floor. The detector is also sensitive to other fumes, such as hair spray, of which most contain butane as the propellant. Butane, like propane, is heavier than air and will settle to the floor level where it may be detected.



The detector is equipped with a "sensor activation strip." This strip must be removed for the detector to operate properly. This should have been done during the dealer's Pre-Delivery Inspection. Please check the detector to verify that the activation strip has been removed.

Please consult your LP detector User's Guide for more detailed information.

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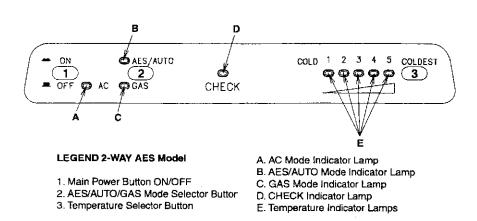
## Refrigerator

Before starting the refrigerator, verify that the main LP gas valve is in the on position. The refrigerator is equipped with a semi-automatic energy selector (AES) control system. It can be set to select either 120 volt or LP gas operation, automatically, if desired.

#### WARNING

Most LP gas appliances used in recreational vehicles are vented to the outside of the vehicle. When parked close to a gasoline pump it is possible that the gasoline fumes could enter this type of appliance and ignite the burner flame causing a fire or explosion. Use caution when refueling.

A 12 volt power supply must be available for the electronic control panel to function. The shore line must be plugged in, or the optional generator running, to operate in the 120 volt mode. The main LP gas valve must be open for operation in the LP mode. To start the refrigerator, press the main power ON/OFF button to the ON position.



To use the 2-way Auto Mode, push the AUTO/GAS mode selector into the ON position. If 120 volt is available, the AC mode indicator light will be illuminated designating AC operation. If 120 volt is not available, the gas mode indicator light will be illuminated. The control system will automatically switch to gas operation. To operate on gas only, push the AUTO/GAS mode selector until the gas indicator light has lit. After 45 seconds the burner should be ignited and operating normally. The initial start up may take longer than 45 seconds in order to allow the air to be purged from the gas line. If the gas does not ignite within 45 seconds, the check indicator light will illuminate and the gas mode light will go off. If the check indicator light illuminates and the gas mode indicator light is off, then the controls have failed to ignite the burner in the gas mode. When the check indicator light is on, press the main power ON/OFF button to the off position to reset. Do not continue to reset the gas operation if the check indicator light continues to illuminate after several tries.

The thermostat on the refrigerator controls the gas and electric operation. This eliminates the necessity of resetting the temperature each time a different energy source is used. Press the temperature selector button until the light at the desired setting is illuminated. After the initial start up, the thermostat should be moved from the coldest setting to the desired setting, which is usually mid range.

An additional feature on the Dometic refrigerator is the installation of the automatic ice maker in the freezer compartment. For detailed operating instructions, please consult the manufacturer Owner's Manual in the Owner's Package.

## Microwave

The microwave installed in your coach is a 30" convection microwave. All microwaves operate on 120 volt electricity. The microwave's control panel is the touch pad type. Simply enter the temperature, mode, and cooking time desired. The microwave is plugged into the electrical outlet through a surge protector. This will help protect the microwave in case of an electrical surge. For instructions on how to operate any of the special features on the microwave oven, please refer to the microwave Owner's Manual in your Owner's Package.

## Range Hood

The range hood is incorporated into the microwave. The microwave's control panel operates the range hood functions. This range hood has both a fan and a light for your convenience. The fan has two speeds which are low and high. Simply select the desired setting from the microwave's control panel. For further detailed information on the hood operation, refer to the microwave Owner's Manual .

## Range

The range installed in this unit is a three-burner range top. The burners on the range top are not equipped with a pilot light. They are controlled by an automatic spark ignition. Depressing the knob automatically starts the electronic spark ignitors. To light the burner, press down and turn the respective knob counter-clockwise to the ignite position. Continue to press down on the knob for about ten seconds to engage the safety mechanism. Release the knob. The burner should remain lit. If not, repeat the procedure, depressing the knob for a slightly longer time. Once lit, release the knob and set to the desired setting. To turn the burner off, turn the knob clockwise towards the off position.

For further instructions, refer to the oven manufacturer Owner's Manual in your Owner's Package.

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The following warning label has been located in the cooking area to remind the user to provide an adequate supply of fresh air for combustion:

#### WARNING

It is not safe to use cooking appliances for comfort heating. Cooking appliances need fresh air for safe operation. Before operation:

- 1. Open overhead vent or turn on an exhaust fan.
- 2. Open a window.

Unlike homes, the amount of oxygen supply is limited due to the size of the recreational vehicle. Proper ventilation when using the cooking appliance(s) will avoid dangers of asphyxiation. It is especially important that cooking appliances not be used for comfort heating as the danger of asphyxiation is greater when the appliance is used for long periods of time.

The following label has been placed in the vehicle near the range area:

## If You Smell Gas:

- 1. Extinguish any open flames, pilot lights, and all smoking materials.
- 2. Do not touch electrical switches.
- 3. Shut off the gas supply at the tank valve(s) or gas supply connection.
- 4. Open doors and other ventilating openings.
- 5. Leave the area until the odor clears.
- 6. Have the gas system checked and leakage source corrected before using again.

### TELEVISION OPERATION

#### Antenna Dish e3 Satellite Receiver

Your unit is equipped with an automatic satellite system. This system is an automatic satellite scanning system for recreational vehicles. This system eliminates the need to execute long and difficult setup procedures. Viewing television broadcasts in minutes can be accomplished by simply pressing a button. Within minutes after initiating the automatic set-up, an extraordinary picture will be received accompanied with CD-quality sound. For detailed operating instructions on this satellite system, please consult the manufacturer User's Guide in the Owner's Information Package.

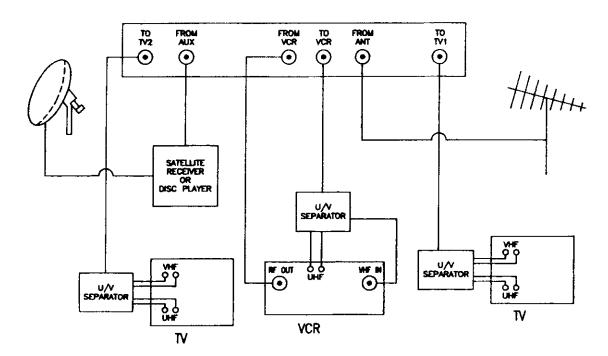
### Television

The coach is cable ready and as standard equipment has a Sony stereo television in the dash overhead and a Maganvox television in the bedroom. The televisions are powered by 120 volt electricity. The television located in the dash overhead is plugged into a 120 volt lockout receptacle. This receptacle will prevent operation of the television while the ignition switch is in the 'ON' position. Your coach must be plugged into shore power, or the generator running, in order for the television to work. The operation of either television is

similar to most televisions used in the home. The main unit has the basic power, volume up and down, channel up and down, and a Set-Up control. The remote control has these in addition to many other function keys. The sound from the dash television can be routed throughout the unit by using the dash stereo. Once the television is set up for stereo output, and the dash stereo on 'AUX PLAY', the speakers located throughout the unit will carry the program being viewed. Please consult your television Owner's Manual for further information.

#### Video Control Center

Installed in your vehicle as part of the standard equipment is the Audio Video Control Center (AVCC). The AVCC will direct the signal to one or two televisions and one VCR. Simply push a button to select what is viewed and where. To control what is being viewed on the front television use the selections for "TV 1." To control what is being viewed on the bedroom (and outside television, if desired) use the selections for "TV 2." Each television is capable of viewing different programming at the same time. For example, by selecting "ANT" for "TV 1" you are able to watch your favorite network broadcast on the front television, while a movie from the VCR is being watched in the bedroom or outside, after selecting the "VCR" button for "TV 2." This control center is capable of receiving three sources of input. They are "FROM ANTENNA", "FROM VCR", and "FROM AUX." The "FROM AUX" selection is used for cable input. It will also accommodate video game systems or a satellite dish.





#### Video Cassette Recorder

The stereo video cassette recorder (VCR) is installed in your coach as standard equipment. It is located in the living room entertainment center. The operation controls are on the face of the VCR and on the remote control. For more detailed information regarding the VCR functions consult the VCR Operator's Manual in the Owner's Package. The video switch previously described will assist you in directing the VCR signal to the television of your choice.

# Cable and Telephone Jack

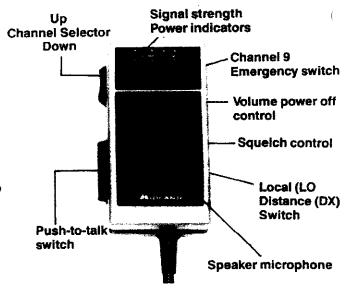
The exterior cable jack and receptacle are standard features on this coach and are installed in the compartment beside the entrance door. Another standard feature on this coach is the telephone hook up. This will allow the user to connect the coach to a telephone cable if the park is so equipped. This feature includes the connector for the incoming telephone line and two telephone outlets inside the coach.

#### Stereo

Your coach is equipped with two stereos as standard equipment. Installed in the bedroom is an AM/FM stereo with cassette player. Installed in the dash is an AM/FM cassette stereo with a booster amplifier 10 disc CD player. Both stereos operate on 12 volt electricity from the coach batteries. There are speakers located throughout the coach for listening pleasure. As previously stated, the dash television can be routed throughout coach by using the dash stereo. For further information on the operation of the stereo, consult the stereo manufacturer Owner's Manual in the Owner's Package.

## СВ Кадіо

This coach is equipped with a citizens band (CB) radio. This radio can be used to communicate with other travelers on the road. The model installed is a remote type. The hand held microphone/speaker contains the power, volume, and channel controls. Simply turn on using the power/volume control. Then select the channel you wish to monitor. Press the "Push-to-Talk-Switch" to transmit and release to receive. For more information regarding the operation of this CB radio, please consult the radio manufacturer's Owner's Manual.

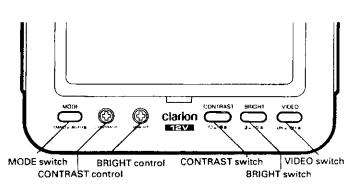


### Air Horn

An air horn has been installed on this coach. This air horn is in addition to the horn installed on the chassis. A switch located on the dash allows you to choose either the chassis horn or the air horn. To operate either horn, press the center of the steering wheel.

## Rear View Monitor System

Installed as a standard feature, the rear view monitor system assists the driver in the backing and parking of the vehicle. This system consists of a camera mounted on the rear cap and a monitor located on the dash. With the MODE switch in the "MANU" position, the monitor will be on when the ignition is turned on. With the MODE switch in the "AUTO" position, the monitor will display the picture from the camera when the vehicle transmission is placed in reverse (R). For detailed instructions on this and all procedures regarding the monitor system, refer to the monitor Operating Instructions in the Owner's Package supplied with this coach.



#### Cellular Antenna

The installation of an antenna for use with a cellular telephone is a standard feature on this coach. The antenna is installed on the roof for optimum transmission and reception with most cellular telephones. The antenna wires terminate under the dash for ease of connection.

## Digital Compass

Installed on the dash of the unit is a combination digital compass/thermometer. The thermometer will read both the indoor and outdoor temperatures in either the Farenheit or Celcius scale. The digital compass is pre-set at the factory. If calibration should be necessary, please consult the individual owner's manual found in the Owner's Information Package.

#### Freezer

The installation of a freezer in an exterior storage compartment is standard on this coach. This freezer operates on 12 volt and 120 volt electrical power. The freezer is on slides to move easily in for storage while traveling or out for pre-travel packing or campsite unloading. For detailed instructions on the operation and maintenance of this freezer, please consult the freezer manufacturer Owner's Manual in the Owner's Package provided with this coach.

# Coffee Maker

An under the cabinet coffee maker is standard in this coach. This coffee maker is equipped with a clock and a timer to have coffee ready and waiting when you wake up. Refer to the manufacturer's information for more details.

# Safe & Security System

For your safety and the safety of your belongings, this coach is equipped with a safe and an electronic security system. For operation of these items, refer to the manufacturer Owner's Information in the Owner's Package.

## Washer/Dryer

Standard on this unit is the installation of the one piece compact washer/dryer unit. The washer/dryer installed by Newmar functions similar to most major appliances, operating on 120 volt electricity. For more detailed information on the operating instructions, read the appliance Owner's Manual in the Owner's Package.

#### Carbon Monoxide

Carbon monoxide is a colorless, tasteless, odorless gas. It is a by-product of the burning of fossil fuels (gasoline, LP gas, diesel fuel, etc.). The chassis and generator engines, furnaces, water heater, LP gas refrigerator, and range produce carbon monoxide constantly while they are operating. Carbon monoxide is DEADLY. Please read and understand the following precautions to protect yourself and others from the effects of carbon monoxide poisoning.

#### WARNING

Exhaust gases are deadly. Do not block the tailpipes or exhaust ports. Do not situate the vehicle in a place where the exhaust gases have any possibility of accumulating either outside, underneath, or inside your vehicle or any nearby vehicles. Outside air movements can carry exhaust gases inside the vehicle through windows or other openings remote from the exhaust outlet. Operate engines, carbon monoxide-producing systems, or components only when safe dispersion of exhaust gases can be assured. Monitor outside conditions to be sure that exhaust continues to be dispersed safely.

If you, or anyone else, experience any carbon monoxide symptoms (dizziness, nausea, vomiting, muscular twitching, throbbing in the temples, inability to think coherently, weakness and sleepiness, or intense headaches) exit the coach immediately. Seek medical attention if symptoms persist. Shut down the unit and do not operate it until it has been thoroughly inspected and repaired.

#### WARNING

UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCE, SHOULD YOU OPERATE ANY ENGINE WHILE SLEEPING. When you are sleeping, you will not be able to monitor outside conditions to assure that engine exhaust does not enter into the coach. Check the exhaust system frequently for damage. If damage is found, do not operate the system. Never modify the exhaust system in any way.

The detector is equipped with a 'sensor activation strip.' This strip must be removed for the detector to operate properly. This should have been done during the dealer's Pre-Delivery Inspection. Please check the detector to verify that the activation strip has been removed.

Please consult your CO detector User's Manual for more detailed information.

# PathMaster Navigation System (optional)

Optional equipment on this unit is the installation of the PathMaster Navigation System. This system will assist you with turn-by-turn route guidance and information whether you are traveling in unfamiliar areas or looking for the nearest gas station. For more detailed information on the PathMaster system, please consult the owner's manual provided by PathMaster which can be found in the Owner's Information Package.

## WATER HEATER

The water heater on this unit is incorporated into the hydronic furnace system. As with the furnace, the water heater operates on electricity when plugged into shore power. When shore power is not available, the water heater will operate on diesel power. The diesel burner must be ignited in order to operate. To ignite, simply press the diesel burner switch located on the passenger overhead control panel.

It is important to read all of the safety information provided in the water heater manufacturer Operation Manual in the Owner's Packet.

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# CHAPTER 5

# CABINETS & FURNITURE

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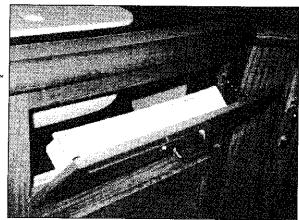
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## **CABINETS**

The cabinets in this unit are constructed on site at the Newmar production facility. Cherry cabinetry and cherry hardwood doors with cathedral style raised panels are standard throughout the unit. There are two decor options regarding the cabinetry. They are oak and bleached oak. All decors have brass door and drawer handles. These give the interior an added touch of class.

Storage is an important factor to all RV owners. Keeping this in mind, the cabinetry is structured to provide as much storage as possible. In the bedroom on all models, the bed platform lifts for convenient storage. This platform is held open by pressurized struts to allow hands-free access.

The Corian™ counter top in the kitchen has a Corian™ recessed sink. In the bath, the Corian™ counter top and recessed bowl are all in one. Consult the manufacturer's care instructions on the Owner's Information card in the Owner's Package provided with this unit.



On most floorplans, the "drawer" directly in front of the kitchen sink does not pull out, but rather flips down. This provides a storage tray for dish cloths, scouring pads, wash cloths, etc. The silverware drawer contains a molded silverware divider tray for added storage.

Drawer guides are standard on all of the drawers throughout the unit. These guides provide a smooth opening and closing of the drawers. To open a drawer, lift up slightly and pull open. The way this mechanism works will prevent the drawers from unintended opening while traveling. The drawers are constructed with maple panel bottoms for added strength. All of the cabinets are equipped with positive door catches and knife hinges. The catches secure the door in the closed position for extra security while traveling.

All of the cabinetry can be easily cleaned with any commercial furniture cleaner or polish. As with any wood product, do not saturate these cabinets with water or any other liquid. Be sure to wipe up spills as they occur to avoid staining.

One of the wardrobe cabinets in the bedroom is lined with cedar paneling. All of the wardrobes have automatic lights that come on when the door is opened.

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### **FURNITURE**

# Living Room/Kitchen Area

A standard feature in the kitchen area is the free-standing dinette. This feature includes a dinette table and four upholstered chairs. The chair seats and backs are upholstered with a coordinating fabric to match your decor.

The driver and passenger seats are equipped with three-point seat belts. These should be used whenever the vehicle is in motion. To adjust these chairs for driving ease, the six-way electric powered bases move the chairs forward and backward, as well as up, down, forward and reverse tilt. These chairs have recline features also. In addition, these leather chairs have a power lumbar support installed. The control switch is located on the left side of the chair in front of the power base controls. Pushing the switch forward will inflate the support while pushing back will deflate it.

In the living room of most models, the standard sofa is a Flexsteel leather sofa. If you have any questions regarding the warranty on this sofa, contact Flexsteel, the sofa manufacturer.

The standard living room chair, on most floor plans, is the Flexsteel large free standing recliner also in leather.

## Ведгоот Area

The mattress installed in this unit is a luxurious pillow top mattress. As previously stated, the bed platform lifts for added storage. On each side of the bed you will find wardrobe closets and drawers.

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## CHASSIS FEATURES

The chassis that this motor home was built on is warranted by the original chassis manufacturer. The operating instructions are included in the Chassis Owner's Manual provided with this unit. Please read the Chassis Owner's Manual before driving the unit. If you have any questions about the chassis, please refer to the chassis manufacturer.

## **ALIGNMENT**

The motor home you have purchased has been aligned prior to shipment. During the first 10,000 miles, due to your loading of the vehicle, the chassis suspension will 'settle in.' Realignment prior to the first 10,000 miles is usually not necessary. However, it is recommended to have the alignment checked after the first loading of the vehicle. If you feel a serious steering concern exists, please contact your chassis manufacturer or call Customer Service at 800-731-8300.

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#### ELECTRICAL SYSTEMS

## General Information

There are two electrical systems in your coach. They are the 12 volt DC system and the 120 volt AC system. Most standard appliances require 120 volt electricity while the majority of the lighting used in recreation vehicles is powered by 12 volt electricity. The power for the 12 volt system is supplied by the coach batteries, which are charged by the Heart Inverter/Converter. The power for the 120 volt systems is supplied by the power cord when the unit is connected to an outside power source or by the generator. The inverter can also supply 120 volt power. It will transform 12 volt electricity from the batteries into 120 volt power for basic appliances.

#### **CAUTION**

Failure to turn off the 120 volt appliances when starting or stopping the generator may damage the transfer switch and/or electrical appliances.

To connect the unit to 120 volt shore power, first make sure all of the breakers are in the off position. This is done to avoid a power surge. Unwind the power cord from the electrical compartment. The standard electrical service in this unit is 50 amps with a flexible 50 amp power cord. This power cord has a 12 volt cord reel for automatic rewinding of the cord. Check to make sure the pins in the outlet are oriented correctly, that they match the power cable, and that they are in good condition. If there is a circuit breaker switch at the plug, it should be turned OFF before making the connection. Insert the plug completely into the outlet and turn the circuit breaker on. Close and lock the electrical compartment door to keep the contents clean, dry, and secure. Close the cover on the power box, if equipped, to avoid an unintended disconnection and to keep contents clean. Switch the main breaker to the ON position. The 120 volt system will energize all 120 volt circuits and outlets when the main breaker is turned on. The slide out of this unit is supplied with 12 volt and 120 volt electrical power.

#### Breaker Boxes

The 120 volt and 12 volt breaker boxes are generally located in the overhead cabinet on the rear bedroom wall. Circuit breakers and fuses are installed to protect the electrical system from overloading. Do not attempt to change the circuitry or add appliances yourself. Please consult an authorized Newmar Service Center.

# Electrical Diagrams

In Chapter 15, you will find typical 12 volt and 120 volt electrical diagrams.

#### Batteries

The coach or house batteries on your motor home are installed by Newmar Corporation. These batteries are warranted by the battery manufacturer. The chassis batteries on your motor home are installed and warranted by the chassis manufacturer. The coach batteries are used to operate the 12 volt items that are not a direct part of the chassis. They are located on a pull out drawer in an outside compartment.

#### **CAUTION**

Do not use the motor home with the coach batteries disconnected.

The coach and chassis batteries are recharged by the vehicle's electrical system whenever the engine is running. A decline in the coach battery voltage may be noticed while the chassis batteries are being charged. The converter will automatically charge the coach batteries when the unit is connected to a 120 volt outside power source. The chassis batteries are isolated from the coach batteries. This prevents the chassis batteries from being drained by the interior 12 volt equipment, allowing ample voltage for engine ignition.

# Battery Boost Switch

The battery boost switch is located on the dash. This switch briefly connects the coach batteries to the chassis batteries. This allows the chassis batteries to borrow power from the coach batteries to assist in starting the engine. If the chassis batteries cannot turn the engine over in the normal mode, hold down the battery boost switch and attempt ignition. By using the battery boost switch while trying to start the chassis engine, a jump start situation is created between the coach and chassis batteries. If the battery boost switch is required to start the engine on a regular basis, ask your dealer to check the chassis batteries and charging system.

# Battery Inspection & Care

#### WARNING

Remove rings, metal watch bands, and other metal jewelry before working around batteries. Use caution when using metal tools. If a tool contacts a battery terminal or metal connected to it, a short circuit could occur which could cause personal injury, explosion or fire.

#### CAUTION

Disconnect the 120 volt electrical power cord and the negative terminal from the coach batteries before working on the electrical system.

Remember that when batteries are not used for an extended period of time, they may lose their charge. Periodic charging of the batteries during storage of the unit will increase the life of the battery. Check the external condition of the battery periodically. Look for cracks in the cover and case. Check the vent plugs and replace them if they are cracked or broken. Keep the battery clean. Accumulations of acid film and dirt may permit current flow between the terminals, which could drain the battery.

To clean, wash the batteries with a diluted solution of baking soda and water to neutralize any acid present. Rinse thoroughly with clean water. Foaming around the terminals or on top of the battery is a sign that acid is being neutralized. Avoid getting the baking soda solution in the battery. Secure all vent caps. Dry the battery cables and terminals to prevent corrosion. Do not use grease on the bare metal inside the cable terminals. Grease can act as an insulator, and electricity will not flow through it. A plastic ignition spray will protect the terminals after they have been cleaned.

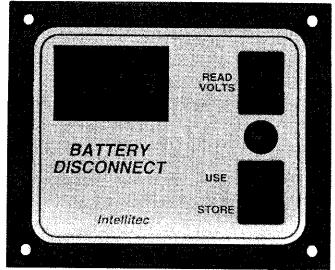
#### WARNING

Do not allow the battery fluid to contact your skin, eyes, fabric, or painted surfaces. The fluid could cause serious personal injury or property damage. Wear eye protection when working with any battery.

The batteries should be removed and stored in a warm place when not using your motor home for an extended period of time. Mark the cables, positive and negative, for easy identification. Batteries are not to be stored on concrete floors. The batteries require periodic charging during storage. If the motor home is to be stored for a long period of time, it is recommended that all of the batteries inside the unit be removed from clocks, radios, smoke alarms, etc. This will prevent unnecessary drain and corrosion of the batteries. The coach batteries are 6 volt RV/Marine deep cycle batteries. This type of battery consumes water and must be filled periodically. Consult the owner's manual supplied by the battery manufacturer. This can be found in the Owner Information Package received with this unit.

# Battery Disconnect Panel

The battery disconnect panel is located on the passenger overhead control panel near the entrance door. There are two switches on the panel. The top switch is used to measure the battery voltage. The lower switch is used to disconnect the battery when the unit is stored for any period of time. Pressing downward disconnects the coach batteries, not the chassis batteries. This is done to prevent the coach batteries from being drained during storage. It



disconnects all of the 12 volt circuitry from the batteries, with the exception of the LP detector. When taking the unit out of storage, press upward to re-connect the batteries. This will make the 12 volt system ready for use.

Diesel pusher motor homes are equipped with a second disconnect switch strictly for the chassis batteries. This "Master Kill Switch" is located in the rear engine compartment. It is used to prevent accidental ignition when the engine is being serviced.

## 12 Volt Receptacles

Your unit is equipped with several 12 volt receptacles conveniently located in the dash area. One is located on each of the ashtrays beside the driver's or passenger's chair. There are also two other receptacles located on the dash. These 12 volt receptacles can be used for items such as cellular phones or personal computers.

# 120 Volt Receptacles

For your convenience, there are 120 volt receptacles located throughout the interior of the unit. These receptacles require three-pin plugs that provide proper grounding to protect you from electrical shock. Do not use an adapter, cheater, or extension cord that breaks the continuity of the ground circuit to the ground pin. Never remove the ground pin from a plug in order to connect it to a two-pronged ungrounded outlet. Never operate the camping vehicle with an electrical short. An electrical short may cause the exterior of the unit to shock you when touched. If you feel even the slightest shock, disconnect the unit from the 120 volt power source and locate the fault. It is usually a break in the grounding circuit. The grounding circuit must be continuous from the frame to the distribution panel, to the power cord, and to the earth ground.

## Ground Fault Circuit Interrupt Receptacles

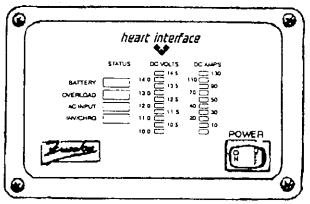
The 120 volt electrical outlets in the kitchen and bath area are ground fault circuit interrupt (GFCI) receptacles. The GFCI outlets provide an overload and short circuit protection. The electrical outlets located in the slide out are wired through the kitchen GFCI. The exterior electrical outlets are wired through the bathroom GFCI. If an item plugged into a slide out or outside receptacle is not working, check for a tripped GFCI in the kitchen or bathroom. In addition, these outlets protect the user from ground faults between a hot wire and ground. The GFCI will not reduce the shock hazard if the short is between a neutral and hot wire, or two hot load wires.

The GFCI should be tested at least once a month. The 120 volt electrical system must be on in order to test the GFCI. The reset button needs to be pushed in all of the way before starting the test. Push the test button. This will cause the reset button to pop out which means that the protected circuits have been disconnected. Push the reset button back in until a click is heard. This will reactivate the protected circuit. If the GFCI is working properly the reset button will remain in the "IN" position.

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#### Heart Inverter/Converter

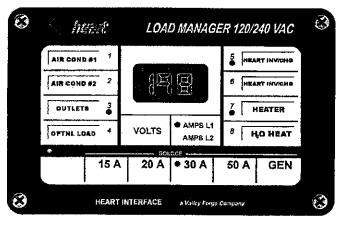
When 120 volt power is not available, either from the power cord or the generator, simply turn on the Heart Inverter/Converter. The control panel for the inverter is located above or near the entrance door. Once turned on, the inverter transforms 12 volt power to 120 volt power for the operation of lights, appliances, televisions, etc. The 120 volt power that is generated from the inverter is routed to the electrical sub-panel located next to the main



breaker box in the cabinet above the bed. The breakers in the sub-panel are labeled to explain where the 120 volt power is routed. It generally supplies power to the microwave, kitchen, bath, and bedroom lighting and receptacles. The inverter is equipped with an automatic transfer switch. This allows automatic switching from inverter to converter. When you are connected to an outside power source or running the generator, the converter (in the inverter) will automatically switch on to charge the 12 volt batteries. For more detailed information consult the manufacturer owner's manual located in the Owner Information Package.

## Energy Management System

The AC Load Manager's primary purpose is to prevent overloading the AC system. Whether it is being used to protect a generator from being overloaded, or to eliminate the possibility of blowing a main breaker on a shore power source, the function is the same. The effectiveness of automatically managing loads properly depends on the main breaker size of the RV. The AC Load Manager will operate properly, without manual load managing, if the service is about half of what is required. For



example, since this unit is equipped with a 50-amp service it can operate when connected to a shore power source with either a 30-, 20- or 15-amp service.

# Daytime Running Lights

This unit is equipped with the daytime headlight system. This feature will cause the headlights to activate automatically when the ignition is on. The headlights are on, but dimmer than normal. At dusk, the driver is required to turn the headlights on by using the headlight switch. This will allow the driver to control the bright or dim capabilities of the headlights.

## ICC Flasher

On the dash you will find a switch labeled "ICC Flasher." This switch is a momentary type of switch. This means it is only active while the switch is being pressed. It enables the driver to communicate with other traffic by flashing the clearance and side lights of the coach. If the lights are on, it will turn them off. If the lights are off, it will turn them on.

#### Generator

The generator is located in a compartment in front of the motor home. It is mounted on slides for easy access. Simply pull the release knob and press the activator button until movement begins. Prior to starting or stopping the generator, make sure all of the 120 volt appliances are turned off. After the generator has started, wait until the transfer switch has connected before turning on any of the appliances. The generator can be started from either the remote start switch located on the dash or directly at the generator itself. The hour meter installed on the generator calculates the number of running hours of the generator motor. This is used for maintenance schedules.

#### **CAUTION**

Failure to turn off the 120 volt appliances when starting or stopping the generator may damage the transfer switch and/or electrical appliances.

Consult the manufacturer owner's manual for detailed operating instructions.

# Automatic Transfer Switch

Your unit is equipped with an automatic transfer switch. When the generator is turned on, this switch automatically transfers from shore power to generator power. There will be a slight delay between the start of the generator and the electrical connection. This delay allows the generator to reach normal operating speed without needing to supply a required load. When the unit is plugged into the outside power source, a click will be heard in the transfer switch box. The sound is normal and indicates that the unit is changing over to the outside power source.

# Spotlight

The spotlight installed on the roof of the unit is controlled by the toggle switch on the dash. The light can be turned on or off and can be moved in various directions.

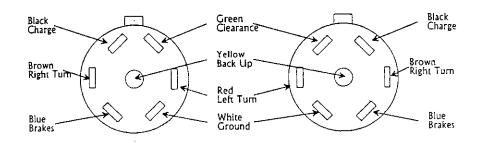
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# Wiring Connector

Standard on all Newmar motor homes is the car towing hitch. This allows the consumer the capability of towing their passenger car while traveling. Also installed with the hitch is the wiring pigtail to connect tail lights, brake lights, turn lights, etc. of the towed vehicle with that of the motor home. The pigtail used is the standard seven-pin connector. The color scheme for the pigtail is as follows:

Left Turn Signal Red	Clearance	ChargeBlack
Right Turn Signal Brown	Ground	Brakes
	Back Up Lights Yellov	V

Below is the diagram of both the trailer and motor home side of the pigtail. As stated above, this is a standard seven-pin pigtail.



Trailer Side

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## RESETTABLE BREAKERS

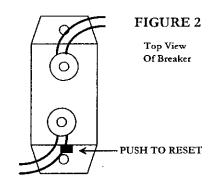
The resettable breakers are located within 18 inches of the source of power. This is the inverter and the battery. (Figure 1)

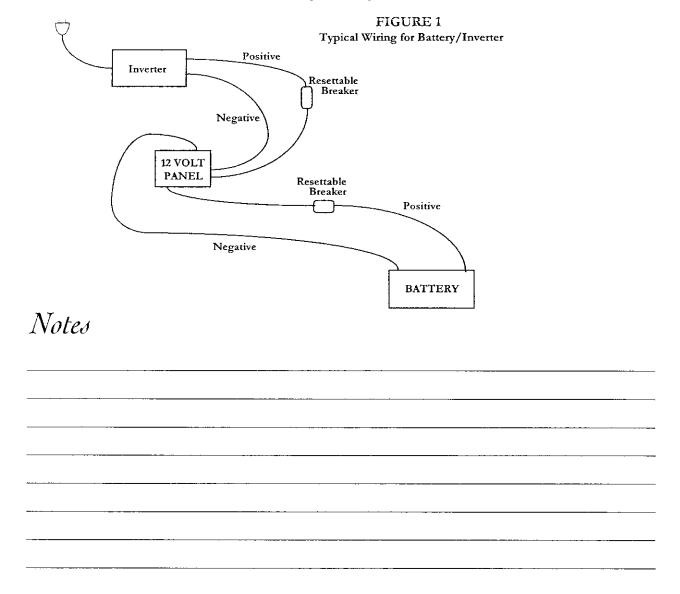
When either of the breakers are shut down they must be manually reset.

To find the breakers, follow the line from the battery or inverter approximately 18 inches.

This may lead to a junction box or to a cabinet inside the unit or similar location.

Manually reset the breaker as shown at right in Figure 2.





# CHAPTER 8

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#### WARNING

READ THE FOLLOWING SLIDE OUT ROOM INSTRUCTIONS BEFORE ACTIVATING THE SWITCH.

#### **CAUTION**

The leveling jacks must be extended and the unit level before operating the slide out.

## GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

#### **IMPORTANT**

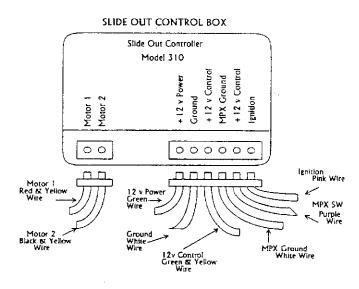
The slide out room should be inspected for alignment every six (6) months. If alignment is necessary, have the room adjusted.

- 1. The slide out room can be stopped at any time by activating the slide out switch, located on the passenger overhead control panel. The room will reverse directions each time the switch is activated.
- 2. If the slide out room stops before reaching the full "OUT" or "IN" position, the slide out controller may need adjustment.
- 3. To adjust the slide out controller, turn the adjustment screw clockwise to increase the power and counter-clockwise to decrease the power.

#### **CAUTION**

Move the adjustment screw in small increments. Try moving the slide out room again. Use caution. There is a potential for component or structural damage if the screw is adjusted too high.



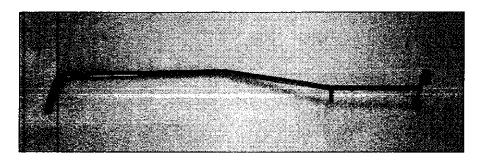


#### **IMPORTANT**

This screw does not adjust the slide out room speed. It sets the amount of power required to move the room against the mechanical stops.

## Extending the Slide Out Room

- 1. The windows on the end of the slide out room must be closed before moving the room in either direction.
- 2. Before extending or retracting the room, look for and remove any obstructions.
- 3. Move the driver's chair forward before moving the slide out room in either direction.
- 4. Disengage the lock arms by pulling down on the center of the arm using the lock arm release tool, as required.
- 5. Activate the slide out switch. Once fully extended, the room will automatically stop. The indicator light will be lit while the room is traveling.



## Retracting the Slide Out Room

- 1. Activate the slide out switch. When fully retracted, the room will automatically stop. The indicator light will be lit while the room is traveling.
- 2. Before moving the coach, engage the lock arms by pushing the arm up into the locked position using the lock arm tool, as required.

## Manual Extension and Retraction

- 1. Access must be gained to the TRANS-TORQUE bushing coupling at the end of the slide out gear motor.
- 2. Using the factory supplied ½" drive 1½" open end crows foot wrench and a user supplied ½" drive ratchet wrench, loosen the 1½" nut. This will require approximately 1½ turns. The nut is a standard right hand thread. After the initial release the nut will turn for a partial turn, then will release again as you turn the wrench. This second release is required to loosen the TRANS-TORQUE bushing from the shaft.

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## The Slide Out Room May Be Moved By Two Methods

- 1. With the proper amount of help, two people minimum, the slide out room can be pushed the full length of its travel in either direction.
- 2. The 1¼" crows foot wrench and the ½" drive ratchet wrench can be used on the short 1¼" square section of the cross shaft. Moving the slide out with this method may take more than one person.

#### **IMPORTANT**

The TRANS-TORQUE bushing must be re-tightened to re-couple the slide out gear motor, and the lock arm must be engaged before moving the coach. This will hold the slide out room in place.

#### **CAUTION**

The correct torque on the 11/4" TRANS-TORQUE is 110 foot pounds

## Operating Precautions

Before extending the slide out, make sure that the unit is level and that the stablizing jacks have been set.

#### WARNING

Before extending the slide out make certain that there is a minimum of five feet of clear space on the slide out side of the unit. Prior to extending the room, be sure to unlock the slide out locking arms.

Make sure there are no obstructions either inside or outside the unit that may interfere with the slide out extension. Tree branches, bushes, or telephone poles can cause extensive damage to the exterior of the unit.

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#### EXTERIOR FEATURES

#### Hitch

On the rear of this unit you will find a 4,000 pound car towing hitch. This is installed for towing passenger cars to be used when the vehicle is parked. The wire connector installed with this hitch is a standard seven-pin connector. For more information on the connector, please see Chapter 7 of this guide.

#### Exterior Sides

The exterior of this unit is made of gel-coated fiberglass. The joints where the pieces meet are sealed with fiberglass gel-coating so that they are seamless. Clean the fiberglass material with a mild cleanser and warm water. Use only soft cloths. Using stiff bristle brushes may cause scratches in the fiberglass surface.

# Roof

The standard roof on this unit is the gel-coated fiberglass roof. The roof and radius top wrap are made from gel-coated fiberglass, complementing the sides and front and rear end caps.

## Jacks

#### WARNING

Since this vehicle is equipped with a slide out, do NOT operate any room extension until the leveling and stabilizing procedure is complete. Do NOT retract the leveling system until the slide out room has been retracted. NEVER operate the leveling system when the slide out is extended.

This unit is equipped with hydraulic leveling jacks with automatic control. These jacks can be operated by the fully automatic method or the manual method. In either case, the jacks work in pairs: front, right side, left side, and rear. Before extending, using either method, the engine must be off, the ignition switch must be in the "ACC" position, and the transmission must be in neutral. The park brake needs to be set, either manually or automatically. There are two control panels that operate the hydraulic jack system. One panel is located on the left hand side of the dash. The other panel is located in the rear engine compartment.

#### **CAUTION**

Do not lift the wheels off the ground when leveling. The unit can roll forward or backward when supported only by the jacks.

#### **IMPORTANT**

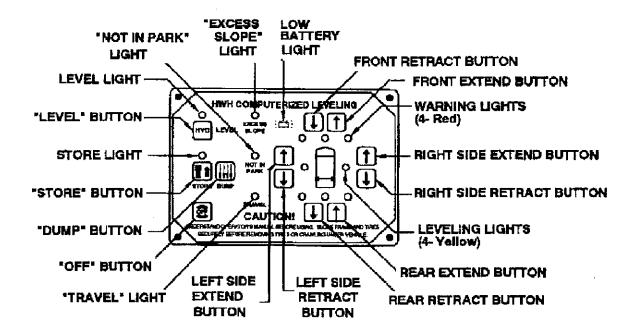
If the hand/auto park brake is not set, the "NOT IN PARK/BRAKE" light will come on when the "ON" button is pushed. The panel will turn on, but the system will not operate.

#### Automatic Method

To extend, press the "HYD" button on the HWH control panel. The indicator light will illuminate. By pressing the "HYD" button a second time, the indicator light will flash. The coach will level automatically. Once leveled, the system will shut off. To retract the jacks, start the engine and allow the air pressure to build. Press the "HYD" button once. The indicator light will illuminate. Press the store button and the store indicator light will flash as the jacks retract. Once the travel light is on, the coach may be moved. Again, the system will automatically shut off. It is recommended to visually verify that the jacks have risen and are not on the ground prior to moving the vehicle.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Do not interrupt power to the system until the system automatically shuts itself off. NOTE: The air dump button will work with the coach on and the leveling system off.



### Manual Method

To extend, press the "HYD" button on the HWH control panel. The indicator light will illuminate. Press the "DUMP" button and continue holding the button until the air is dumped from the system. On the right hand portion of the touch panel note the outline of the coach and the various up and down arrows touch buttons. Press the respective up arrow button to raise the respective side or end of the coach. A yellow light to the front side or rear of the coach outline indicates which side or end is low. The down arrow buttons will lower the coach.

# Electric Steps

This unit is equipped with electric entrance door steps. When the power switch for the steps is in the on position, simply open the door and the steps will open. Detailed operation for the electrical entrance door steps is as follows:

- 1. With the entrance door open, turn the step power switch on.
- 2. Close the door. The step should retract and lock into the up position.
- 3. Open the door. The step should extend and lock into the down position.
- 4. Turn the step power switch off. The step should remain in the extended position with the understep light off when the door is closed. Turning off the power with the step retracted will hold the step in a retracted position as well.
- 5. With the step extended, turn the step power switch off and close the entrance door. Turn the vehicle ignition on. The ignition override system will go into effect, and the step will automatically retract.

#### **CAUTION**

If the vehicle is driven with the step in the extended position, there is the possibility of causing major damage to both the step and the vehicle.

6. Turn the vehicle ignition off and open the door. The step will extend and lock in the down position.

#### **CAUTION**

If the door is opened and closed without allowing the step to fully extend and lock in the 'DOWN' position, the step will retract and lock in the 'UP' position. When the door is reopened, the step will not extend. The power switch must be turned on for the step to extend.

7. This feature is only operative the first time that door is opened after the vehicle ignition is turned off. When the ignition is on, the step will always activate with the door movement, regardless of the step power switch position.

#### Mirrors

This vehicle is equipped with remote control mirrors. Always adjust the mirrors for maximum rear visibility prior to driving. Make sure the seat is positioned for proper vehicle control. The mirrors are adjusted using a multiple directional switch located to the left of the captains chair. Select the mirror to be adjusted by pointing the arrow in the direction of that mirror. Move the control in the desired direction to obtain the best view. There are two adjustment control knobs for the mirrors. The first adjustment control moves the top half of either mirrors. The second adjustment control moves the bottom half, or convex portion, of either mirror. The mirrors are also equipped with heating elements to defog or de-ice the mirror glass during cold weather operation. The ON/OFF switch for this feature is located beneath the adjustment controls.

Exterior Features

#### **IMPORTANT**

Objects viewed in convex mirrors appear smaller and farther away than they actually are.

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All units have a decor matching quilted comforter with matching shams and an accent pillow included as part of the standard package. The recommended cleaning instructions for these items are Dry Clean Only. The materials used to make these have been treated and dry cleaning will preserve this treatment.

## Flooring

The floor covering for the living room and the bedroom of the unit is carpet. In the Owner's Package you will find literature supplied by the carpet manufacturer. This information will be helpful in maintaining and extending the life of the carpet. Please refer to this information for the carpet care and cleaning instructions. The floor covering for the kitchen and bathroom is a decorative 8" ceramic tile. To clean any of these floor treatments, use a mild soap with warm water and a soft cloth.

## Ceiling

The ceiling in this unit is covered with a padded vinyl ceiling headliner. The cleaning instructions recommended would be a soft cloth and mild detergent.

#### Window Treatment

The window treatment throughout this unit, except in the kitchen, is pleated day/night soft shades. These shades have two sections. The first section visible when closing the shade is the "DAY" section. This material is translucent. Sunlight passes easily through the material into the unit. The second visible section is the "NIGHT" section. This material is a heavier, more opaque material. Very little to no light passes through it. It is generally used in the evening or when more privacy is desired. The kitchen window is equipped with a mini-blind.

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#### Kitchen Sink

The kitchen sink installed is a double bowl Corian® sink. The unit has two sink covers to provide additional counter space when the sink is not in use. In the Owner's Package furnished with this unit you will find care instructions for the Corian® countertops and sink in this unit. Avoid using "S.O.S." type cleaning pads because they may scratch the Corian® surface. It is not recommended to use the Corian® countertop as a cutting surface. Knives can scratch the Corian® surface while, in turn, the Corian® may dull the knives. The faucet in the kitchen is a single handle Gourmet® faucet by Moen. This faucet can be removed from its fitting and used as a sprayer.

## Bath Sink, Shower & Accessories

The sink in the bathroom is made of Corian®. Again, the care instructions for the Corian® countertops and sink in this unit can be found in the Owner's Package. The brass bathroom accessories include a towel bar, a towel ring, a tissue holder, and a robe hook. These accessories are shipped loose in order for the dealer to install according to the dealer or customer specification. The faucet in the bathroom is a brass single handle faucet by Moen. The tub or shower and enclosure installed made of fiberglass. The accessories provided with the unit accent the brass tub faucet, shower head, hose, and bracket.

#### Monitor Panel

The monitor panel allows you to check the approximate levels in the fresh, gray, and black water holding tanks, as well as the battery condition. This unit is equipped with an interior and exterior monitor panel. The interior monitor panel is generally located above or near the entrance door. The exterior monitor panel is located in the water compartment. Simply press the button of the item to check its status. The empty indicator light will always light when the button is pressed. If the tank is full, all of the lights will be on. Lights are sequential, and indicate the level in approximately ¼ tank increments. For example: If the tank selected is approximately ½-full, then the indicator lights E, ¼, and ½ will be lit. Located to the right hand side of the monitor panels and in the bath is a water pump switch. This is a monoplex type of switch controls the power going to the water pump, turning it either on or off.

#### Monitor Panel Calibration

The monitor panel comes to you factory calibrated for accuracy and should not need to be adjusted. In the event that the system does not read accurately, then re-calibration may be necessary. The procedure for re-calibration is simple: First, fill the tank to be re-calibrated. Second, using the adjustment tool enclosed in the Owner's Package (or any small flat-bladed screw driver), simultaneously push the button for that tank and rotate the adjustment screw located above the button and behind the face plate counter-clockwise until some of the lights turn off in sequence. Then slowly rotate the adjustment screw clockwise until the full light is completely on. Repeat this procedure as necessary for the remaining tanks. The system is now calibrated properly.

## Water Pump

The water pump is self-priming and totally automatic, operating on demand whenever water is required. The water pump is used to pressurize the fresh water system when the unit is not connected to city water. To start the pump follow these instructions:

- 1. Fill or partially fill the fresh water supply tank.
- 2. Open the kitchen and bathroom faucets.
- 3. Turn the water pump switch on and allow the water to fill the water line and the hot water heater. The water pump switch is located above the entrance door. The monoplex pump switch may be optionally installed. If so, there are two additional water pump switches. One is located in the bathroom and the other is in the exterior water compartment.
- 4. Close each faucet after it delivers a steady stream of water (close the cold water first). Leave the hot water faucets on until they also deliver a steady stream of water. This will ensure that the water heater is filled with water.
- 5. The water pump should stop running once all faucets are closed.
- 6. The pump is now ready for automatic operation. The pump will run when a faucet is opened and stop when a faucet is closed.
- 7. Never allow the pump to run for long periods of time without water in the supply tank. Pump damage or blown fuses may result.

If water doesn't flow when a faucet is turned on while using the demand system, use the following trouble shooting chart:

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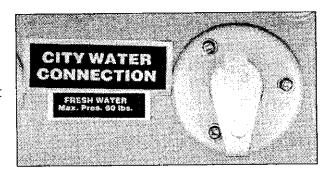
1. Fill tank
2. Clear the water line to the pump
3. Check the fresh water fill valve position
Pump doesn't run

1. Check the pump switch
2. Check the 12 volt fuses
3. Check the electrical connections
4. Check the battery

All of the water should be drained from the fresh water system when the unit is not in use for more than one week. For more detailed information regarding the water pump, refer to the water pump manufacturer's brochure in your Owner's Package.

## City Water Hook-Up

When connecting your unit to city water, be certain to use a water hose manufactured and labeled for potable water. This will ensure that the hose will not alter the taste of the water. To hook the city water supply to the unit, connect one end of the hose to the city water supply. This will usually be a faucet or valve similar to your garden hose valve at home.



Turn the city water supply on for a few seconds in order to clear the line. Once the hose has been flushed, turn the supply off. Connect the other end of the hose to the city water connections. Turn on the water supply and open all of the faucets to clear the air from the lines in the unit. Once air pockets have been purged from the water lines and water flows freely, close all of the faucets. The city water supply is under pressure, therefore the water pump is not necessary when connected to city water. Once the city water fill valve is opened, water is supplied to the fresh water system including the hot water heater, faucets, and stool. To disconnect from the city water supply, close the valve and remove the hose from the city water supply. Disconnect the hose from the city water connection and store the hose in the water compartment.

#### Fresh Water Tank Fill

The fresh water tank is filled from the city water hook-up. The valve located in the service compartment near the water hook-up determines whether the city water is going through the water system or into the fresh water tank. An additional way to fill the fresh water tank is with the antifreeze hose placed in a bucket of water. With the water supply valve open, turn on the water pump to fill the tank. Since there is not an automatic shut-off for the fresh water tank fill, check the level from the monitor panel while filling the unit. The excess water will be vented from an overflow vent pipe onto the ground when the tank capacity has been reached. This pipe is installed in the fresh water tank to prevent tank rupture from overfilling. All of the water should be drained from the fresh water system when the unit is not in use for more than one week. Whenever possible, drain the fresh water tank before traveling. Water in the tank will reduce the carrying capacity of the unit.

#### SANITIZING

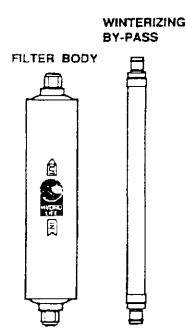
To assure complete disinfecting of your fresh water system, it is recommended that the following procedure be followed on a new system, on one that has not been used for a length of time, or one that may have become contaminated. This procedure is also recommended before long periods of storage, such as over the winter months:

- 1. Drain the fresh water tank by opening the drain valves. There is one valve per water tank. All of the faucets should be in the closed or off position.
- 2. Prepare a chlorine solution using one gallon of water and ¼ cup of chlorine bleach (5% sodium hypo-chlorite solution). Prepare enough of the chlorine solution to administer one gallon of solution for every 15 gallons of tank capacity. For sanitizing this unit, prepare 4½ gallons of the chlorine solution. This mixture puts a 50 PPM (parts per million) residual chlorine concentration in the water system that will act as a quick kill dosage for harmful bacteria, viruses and slime forming organisms. Concentrations higher than 50 PPM may damage the water lines and/or tank.
- 3. Once the fresh water tank is empty, close the drain valves on the water tank.
- 4. Pump the chlorine solution into the tank when the fresh water tank is empty. This is done by placing the winterizing hose into the chlorine solution. Close the valve from the fresh water tank to the pump and open the valve from the solution to the pump. Turn the tank fill valve from city water to tank fill. Turn on the water pump until all of the solution is pumped into the fresh water tank.

- 5. Turn off the water pump. Close the valve to the solution. Open the valve from the tank to the water pump. Fill the water tank with the city water tank fill (or by using the same method as was used to put the sanitizing solution into the tank). Remove the water filter (from the drink dispenser faucet, if installed) and install the by-pass pipe to allow the sanitizing solution access to the faucet. Open each faucet in turn including the kitchen faucet, bath faucet, inside and outside shower, turning on both the hot and cold, and flushing the stool until all of the air has been purged from the pipes and the water runs freely. The entire system will then be filled with the sanitizing solution.
- 6. Allow the 50 PPM disinfecting solution to stand in the system at least four hours.
- 7. Drain the system and flush with fresh water. The water system needs to be flushed with clean water repeatedly, if necessary, until there is no chlorine taste or smell left in the system. To remove any excessive chlorine taste or odor that might remain, prepare a solution of one quart vinegar to five gallons of water. Allow this solution to agitate in the tank for several days by vehicle motion. Drain the solution and refill the tank with clean water.

## Drink Dispenser with Water Filter

Before disinfecting the fresh water system, remove the water filter and install the by-pass pipe to allow water access to the drink dispenser faucet. The water filter is located under the kitchen sink. The filter will remove chlorine, dirt, and other matter. It will also eliminate most phenol (or similar) odors and tastes while delivering sparkling, taste free water for drinking and cooking. The filter is connected only to the cold water line that is attached to the drink faucet. The filter is not guaranteed to remove the tastes and odors of iron and sulfur. To remove these tastes you will need to chlorinate the water. Replacement filters are available that will filter iron and sulfur. Ask your dealer or RV supply center about acquiring an iron and sulfur filter. If you are traveling in an area where the water has a high iron and sulfur content, then add 1 tablespoon of chlorine bleach to every 10 gallons of water in your tank. This will precipitate the iron or sulfur so that the filter can remove it. If you are at a site where the unit is hooked up to city water, you will not be able to chlorinate the system because the water flows straight to your faucets and not through the fresh water tank. Filters should be changed every 6 - 12 months depending on the quality and quantity of water that is used in your unit.



#### Fresh Water Lines

Vibration and flexing during traveling can cause pipes and fittings to work loose. Check all of the plumbing connections for leaks on a yearly basis. If the water pump runs when all faucets are turned off, check for a leak. Be sure the drain valves are closed. Connections at the kitchen and bathroom faucets normally seal with hand tightening and a half turn with a

wrench. If a fitting leak persists, disconnect it completely and check for mineral deposits or foreign material on the sealing surfaces. Clean the surfaces thoroughly and reinstall the fitting. Take the coach to an authorized service center for repairs if the system continues to leak. Follow the winterizing instructions given in Chapter 14 to reduce the risk of leaks caused by cracks from freezing pipes. Freezing damage can be extensive and expensive.

#### WASTE WATER SYSTEM

## General Information

The waste drainage system was designed to provide adequate and safe storage and/or disposal of waste materials. All of the materials used in the making of this system are tested by a nationally recognized testing laboratory. The drainage system uses plastic piping and fittings connected to the sinks, toilet, and holding tanks. This provides for their drainage to an outside termination. The unit should be reasonably level for best operation of the system. There are two separate waste systems. The gray water system is for waste water from the sinks and shower. The black water system is generally for sewage waste from the stool. Each tank has its own control valve, and both tanks drain through the sewer drain hose.

#### Toilet

The stool operates with water from either the fresh water tank with the water pump on or the city water supply. Before using the stool, add water to the bottom of the tank. Refer to the 'BLACK WATER TANK' instructions in this chapter. The stool flushes waste directly into the black water holding tank. The stool uses high velocity water injection to produce a swirl effect in the bowl. The greatest problem that causes stool solids to build up in the holding tank is lack of liquids. When using your stool, it is wise to fill the stool 3/4 full of water. This will help to wash the solids away from directly below the stool and to ensure complete dumping of the holding tank. To add water to the stool bowl, lift up on the lever. To flush the stool, push down on the lever until the water swirls.

The stool requires little maintenance. Use an approved non-abrasive cleaner to clean the bowl. Spraying the bowl sealing blade with a silicone spray will retain the original smooth operating condition.

Check the complete instruction and trouble shooting guide in the stool manufacturer's Owner's Manual provided in the Owner's Package.

## P-Traps

Each of the sink drains, the shower drain, and the washing machine drain (if equipped) has a water trap (P-Trap) to prevent holding tank odors from entering the coach. These traps must have water in them in order to trap the odors. While traveling, the water may splash out of the sink and shower drains. While stored, the water may evaporate allowing an odor to enter the coach. If this occurs, run water from the faucet into the drain, allowing water to fill the trap.

## Black Water Holding Tank

The black water, or sewage, holding tank is located directly beneath the toilet. Before using the stool, you will need to treat the tank with water that is mixed with an odor controlling chemical. These chemicals are readily available at any RV supply store. Be careful not to spill the chemical on your hands, clothing, or the carpet because it may cause a permanent stain. Pull the toilet levers forward to allow the chemical to mix with the toilet water. Continue pulling the toilet levers until at least one inch of solution is directly under the toilet. Release the levers, and the waste tank is ready for use.

#### **CAUTION**

Use only approved RV odor controlling chemicals in the holding tanks. Products containing ammonia and petroleum will damage the ABS plastic holding tanks and seals.

## Gray Water Holding Tank

The gray water holding tank is located in the underbelly of the unit. It is primarily used for the drainage from the kitchen and bath sinks and the shower.

## Waste Water Disposal

Both of the holding tanks terminate in a valve arrangement that permits draining each tank separately or together. It is recommended to drain the black water tank before the gray water tank. This will allow the water from the gray tank to wash the black water residue from the drain lines and hose. The valves that open to release the water are called gate valves. The blade that closed the opening in the sewer drain pipes is connected to the T-handle to release the contents of the tank(s) when pulled. The sewer line must be securely capped during self-containment use to prevent leakage of waste material onto the ground or pavement. Do not pull the holding tank gate valve open when the protective cap is installed on the pipe. Always drain the tank into an acceptable sewer inlet or dump station.

#### WARNING

Holding tanks are an enclosed sewer system and must be drained into an approved dump station. Both black and gray water holding tanks must be drained and rinsed thoroughly on a regular basis in order to prevent the accumulation of harmful or toxic materials.

Whenever possible, drain the holding tanks prior to traveling. The carrying capacity of your unit will be reduced if water is left in the black or gray tanks.

The holding tanks should only be drained when they are at least ¼ full. Doing this will provide sufficient water to allow the complete flushing of waste materials in the drain lines and hose. If the tanks are not ¾ full, add enough water to allow for sufficient flushing.

To empty the waste water tanks, connect the adapter to the drain hose. Use the adapter supplied with your unit. If the adapter is lost or broken, one can be purchased from any RV supply store. Once you have placed the adapter on the drain hose, it can remain there for the life of the hose. One end of the hose threads up through the hole in the bottom of the service compartment, and the other end of the hose feeds into the sewer at the dump station. Unscrew the cap off the drain. Connect the hose with the adapter in place to the drain fitting. Open the gate valve all the way by pulling on the T-handle. The tank will start to drain as soon as the T-handle is pulled. After you have drained the black water tank, immediately drain the gray water tank. Doing this helps to flush the black water from the sewage hose.

When both of the tanks are empty, flush them with a fresh water rinse before you close the valves. The gray tanks are easily flushed by pouring a couple of gallons of water into a sink drain. The drain outlet is engineered for quick release of the drain hose adapter. Always close the gate valves and secure the end cap to prevent leakage while in transit. After draining the black water tank, it is recommended to add a holding tank deodorant (such as Thetford Aqua-Kem) to help control the odor and break down the solids. Follow the instructions given on the holding tank deodorant package.

When using dump stations for draining the holding tanks, keep other travelers in mind. Practice good housekeeping. Leave the dump stations in good order. Above all, do not pollute.

## Camping with Sewer Hook-Up

When camping at parks with sewer hook-up, it is important to keep the black water holding tank gate valve closed at all times, except when dumping. The gray tank can be kept open while hooked to a sewer connection but again, the black water tank must be kept closed. This is done so that an ample supply of liquid remains in the tank to provide a smooth flow through the gate and drain valve when dumping. Sufficient liquid in the tank causes a swirling action that should take any accumulated solid wastes with it. Accumulation of solid wastes in the black water tank can be avoided by keeping the gate valve closed when connected to the sewer hook-up. If the valve is left open, solid wastes may accumulate in the tank. This may eventually result in costly repairs. The gray tank valve needs to be in the open position when operating the optional washing machine.

#### No Fuss Flush

This unit is equipped with a flushing system for the holding tanks. When draining your sewer tank, attach a water hose to the sewer spray hookup. After the tank is drained, leave the gate valve open and open the water valve to allow water to spray inside the sewage tank. This will clean the inside of the tank of any debris that may be left inside the tank. After this is done, disconnect the water hose and close the gate valve. When unsure if any solids are still left inside the tank, fill the sewage tank with approximately ten gallons of water through the stool. As you travel, the agitation of the water should help liquify any solids left in the tank. You can dump the sewage tank again at your next destination.

#### CAUTION

Do not use the same hose for the No Fuss Flush that is used for filling the fresh water tank.

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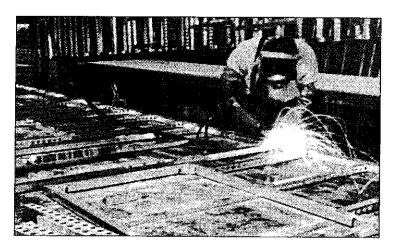
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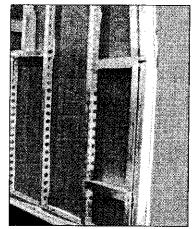
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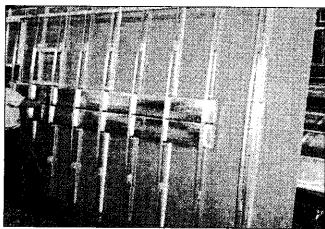
The floor decking is constructed of durable "%2" structure wood. The fiberglass insulation in the floor and sidewall is rated at R7, while the roof is rated R19.

On this model, each sidewall is constructed for strength and is well insulated for comfort. Welded, for added strength, the extruded aluminum sidewalls and roof are built with 16" on center framing to provide a strong and durable construction. The inside consists of  $\frac{1}{8}$ " beaded foam that is laminated to kraft paper and covered by the interior paneling. A blanket of rolled insulation is added to the sidewalls, roof, and slide out to provide a greater efficiency and consistency of climate control. This will assist the furnace in the winter by keeping the warm air in and the cold air out. In the summer months, it will assist the air conditioning by keeping the cool air in and the hot air out.

Below are examples of the framing and insulation similar to that in your unit.









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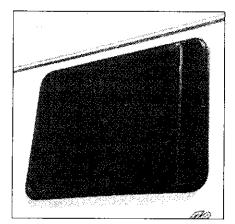
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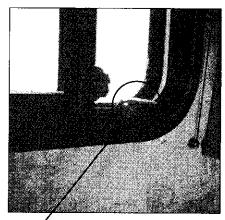
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## WINDOWS

The windows installed in the living area of this unit are the sliding style. To open, simply slide the movable section. The windows in the bedroom are the radius torque style. These windows are also referred to as jalousie windows. They open with the simple turn of a crank. All of the windows have radius corners with dark tinted safety glass. On this unit the only window option is the installation of thermopane windows.



In the bedroom of the unit, one window will be marked "EXIT." This window is an emergency escape, or egress window. To open in case of an emergency, lift the red handles at the bottom of the window and push out.



Red Handle

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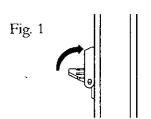
#### **AWNINGS**

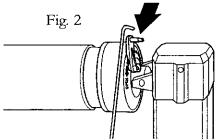
## Side Awning

The A & E 9000 side awning is a standard feature for this unit. With this standard awning, the awning side tension rafter is also installed. The following instructions will help in extending and retracting the awning.

#### **EXTENDING**

- 1. Loosen the black locking knob behind each main arm. Flip the travel lock latches up. IMPORTANT: Failure to loosen the black knobs will prevent the awning from fully retracting.
- 2. Lift the arm storage locks, located on each of the upper arms, to the unlocked position. (Fig. 1)
- 3. Place the hook end of the provided pull wand over the brake lever and pull downward to the open position. (Fig. 2)





- 4. Hook the loop of the center pull strap with the pull wand and draw the awning away from the vehicle to the desired extension.
- 5. Slit the braces to the top of each arm until the slider spring catch firmly latches into the slot in each arm end plug.

#### WARNING

Braces left in the down position will not prevent the awning from retracting inadvertently. Personal injury or property damage may occur that will not be covered by warranty.

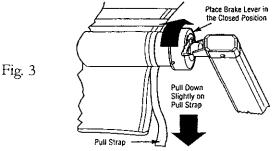
- 6. Raise the arm handles and lift the front of the awing to the desired height. While supporting the weight of the awning with one hand, lower the handles to engage the height adjustment holes.
- 7. Slide the center pull strap to one end of the awning and store.

#### **CAUTION**

To prevent damage to the awning canopy, the awning must be raised high enough to clear the open entrance door of the vehicle. Also, whenever heavy or prolonged rain or wind is anticipated or you will leave the awning unattended, it is best to close the awning. Damage as a result of weather is not covered by warranty.

## RETRACTING

- 1. While supporting the weight of the awning with one hand, carefully raise the handle until it is disengaged from the adjustment hole.
- 2. Lower the front of the awning down until the arms are resting on the lower arm stop bolts. (This is required on both the front and rear arms.)
- 3. Loosen the black locking knobs.
- 4. Release the slider catch on the top of the arm plug by pushing it slightly to the right while simultaneously sliding the brace down to the stored position.
- 5. Slide the pull strap to the front end of the roller assembly.
- 6. While pulling down slightly on the pull strap, move the brake lever upward into the closed position. (Fig. 3)



#### WARNING

The awning is now under full spring tension. If released from this point it will abruptly roll up to the stored position, possibly causing personal injury or damage to both the awning and the RV.

7. Snap the arm storage locks into the down position and tighten the black locking knobs.

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## Window Awning

Installed on the bedroom and slide out windows are the matching window awnings. To operate, follow these instructions.

#### EXTENDING

1. Grasp the loop on the pull strap and pull down to extend the awning. Then hook the loop onto the window strap hanger.

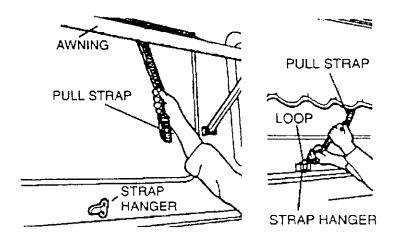
#### RETRACTING

1. Remove loop on the pull strap from the window strap hanger.

#### CAUTION

Do not release the strap as the window awning is under tension and may snap back against the vehicle.

- 2. Slowly allow the awning to roll back to the closed position by feeding the pull strap upwards and diagonally. This prevents the strap from building up and creating a bulge in the fabric.
- 3. The window awning is now ready for travel with no further locking required.



#### Vents

Installed in the bathroom is a 12 volt Fantastic Vent. This vent is equipped with a rain sensor on the roof hood. If the vent is open and it senses rain, it will automatically close. The vent is controlled by a separate wall thermostat. Once powered "ON" and the desired temperature is selected, the vent will automatically run until the temperature is reached. When the temperature is reached, the vent will automatically shut off.

The installation of the skylight in the bathroom is a standard feature on this unit. In addition, a soft shade is installed on the skylight for privacy. To open or close the shade, simply move the bottom rail in the direction desired.

#### Doors

The front entrance door has a dead bolt lock and lighted step for added security and visibility. The dead bolt lock is a keyless lock. See below for operating instructions on the keyless entry system. The door can be held open with the positive lock door stop. When the door is opened completely it locks into the open position. To release the positive lock for closing the door, pull either the interior or exterior door handle. Next to the entrance door you will find the lighted acrylic assist handle. This handle may be used to assist anyone entering the unit. Next to the exterior handle, you will find the button for the doorbell. This doorbell bell operates on four C cell batteries.

## Using the Keyless Entry System

This vehicle has been equipped with a keyless entry system. The entrance door can be locked or unlocked without using a key. The buttons for the system are to the left of the entrance door. When using the keyless system, the entry keypad buttons illuminate for ease of visibility at night. Do not push the buttons with a car key, ball point pen, pencil, or any other hard object. These objects could damage the buttons.

The permanent code to the keyless entry system is found on the owner's wallet card placed in the Owner's Information Package, which is provided with this unit. In addition to the permanent code, the lock can be operated by a five digit personal code. To program the personal code, follow these instructions.

- 1. Enter the permanent code found on the owner's wallet card.
- 2. Within five seconds press the 1/2 button.
- 3. Select five digits for your personal code. Within five seconds of pressing the 1/2 button, enter your personal code, pressing each digit within five seconds of the previous digit.

The keyless entry system registers this second code. To lock or unlock the vehicle, you can use either code. To erase your personal code, enter the original code and press the 1/2 button. Wait six seconds. The keyless entry system automatically erases your second code. It is not recommended to set a code that presents the numbers in sequential (1/2), 3/4, 5/6, 7/8, 9/0) or repetitive order. In addition to using the keys or the keypad, the entrance door can also be locked or unlocked from the interior of the unit. This is done by using the power door lock switch which is located on the wall to the right of the passenger seat.

## Unlocking

To unlock the entrance door, enter the five digit code. When entering the code, do not let more than five seconds pass between the numbers you press. If this occurs, the system will shut down and you will have to enter the entire code again. If the keyless entry system does not work properly, use the key to lock and unlock the door.



## Locking

The keyless entry system can also be used to lock the entrance door. Locking the door is done by pressing the (7/8) and (9/0) button at the same time.

## Baggage Doors

The baggage door latches on the storage compartments are equipped with power locks for owner ease. To lock or unlock the doors, press the switch on the dash or remote supplied with this unit. These doors can also be locked or unlocked by using the key supplied. Please note that if all doors are locked and one door is unlocked using the key, pressing the power switch will lock the unlocked door while unlocking the locked doors. The LP door, by RVIA Code, is not equipped with a locking latch.

To open the storage compartment doors, lift up on the handle. The doors will pull toward you slightly then move upward on spring assisted hinges. This allows access to the complete compartment without interference. To close the doors, pull down on the door and push inward so that the door is within 1" of closing. Press and hold the power closure button. The electric motor will completely close the door automatically. Once the motor stops running, release the button, the door is closed. If, while closing the door, clothing is caught in the door jam, releasing the button will turn the motor off. Then open the door as described above.

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## CHAPTER 14

## ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

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#### EXTERIOR CARE

## Washing

The exterior of your new camping vehicle is made of painted fiberglass. Frequent washings and thorough cleanings are recommended to prevent damage to the vehicle finish after exposure due to damaging salts, calcium chloride, road tar, tree sap, insects, and other foreign material. Never wash the vehicle in direct sunlight, while the vehicle is hot, or with hot water. Build up of mud and dirt under the body can cause damaging rust on steel parts and can add needless weight to the vehicle. Corrosive materials, such as those used for ice and snow removal and dust control, also accumulate on the underside of the vehicle. These materials should be removed by flushing the underbelly regularly with water, especially areas where mud and other foreign materials collect. The chance of corrosion can be minimized by frequent washings of the vehicle. When washing the vehicle, make certain that the undercarriage and the wheel wells are cleaned, as well as the exterior of the coach. Care should be taken when cleaning the exterior finish. Do not use strong soaps or detergents for washing the vehicle. Always use a soft cloth with mild soap in warm water, a commercially prepared product for automotive finishes, or your local car wash. Avoid using stiff bristle brushes that may cause scratches in the painted surface. After washing, carefully inspect the caulking around window frames and vents and any other joints that may have separated. Recaulking, if necessary, is relatively simple.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Never use a strong solvent, such as lacquer thinner, or harsh abrasives, on any of the exterior painted surfaces.

## Waxing

The exterior finish will require a routine waxing. When water will not bead and roll off a freshly washed vehicle, a new coat of wax is needed. Wax not only improves the appearance of the vehicle, but it also protects the finish against oxidation and corrosive materials. The recommended type of wax is one that is compatible with painted and gel-coated fiberglass finishes. Cleaning with a polishing compound will improve a dull or discolored finish.

#### **IMPORTANT**

When using a polishing compound that does not contain a wax preservative, reapplying a coat of hard wax after polishing is recommended.

#### Seals

The seals around doors, windows, vents, and external seams should also be checked at least twice a year. Check the roof seams once a year for cracking or peeling. If deterioration is noted, reseal the seams or seals with an approved sealant to prevent leaks. Your dealer can perform the resealing inspections and work for you. Your dealer is also able to inform you of the appropriate sealants to be used, if you prefer to do the job yourself. Sealants can be purchased from your Newmar Dealer.

## Proper Sealants for Application

Plas-T-Cote	.Fiberglass roof
Silicone Sealant	.To cover butyl and other sealants, not to be used as the main sealant
Sikaflex-221	.To seal or glue side walls, frame rails, etc.
Sikaflex-255 FC	.To glue windshield and windshield gasket to cap
Neoprene Black	.½" x ½" to seal windows with clamp ring, baggage doors
Butyl Tape #5000-G	.To seal screws in windows from outside Any place that screws are used
Parbond	To seal across tops of windows, etc. on exterior where silicone is not used

## Striping and Decals

The striping and decals on your vehicle have been hand painted and require very little maintenance. Treat these as you would any painted surface on your vehicle. Wash them with mild soap and warm water, or any retail car soap. Rinse thoroughly to prevent soap residue accumulation. Use caution with high pressure wash nozzles. Test small sections of the exterior of the unit when using any type of cleaning solution.

#### **IMPORTANT**

Do not use lacquer thinner on the painted exterior. Do not allow gasoline or other fuels to drip or stay on the exterior of the unit for any length of time. If this occurs, immediately flush the area with water.

#### **INTERIOR CARE**

#### WARNING

Urea-formaldehyde is used in the production of particle board, hardwood plywood, and most paneling. Urea-formaldehyde resin may release formaldehyde vapors into the air, which may cause headaches, and in some people, eye, nose, and throat irritation. Formaldehyde may intensify some allergies or upper respiratory problems like asthma. Proper ventilation should reduce the risk of such problems.

## Carpet

A weekly routine of vacuuming the carpet and fabrics throughout the vehicle is recommended. Doing this will prevent an accumulation of dirt that can detract from the material's appearance and shorten its life.

Included in the Owner's Information Package is the carpet manufacturer's Carpet Care Guide. The Carpet Care Guide lists detailed information on cleaning soiled areas and removing stains from the fine carpet installed in the unit.

#### **Fabrics**

The fabrics used in this motor home for the bedspread, draperies, headboard, and valances contain fire retardant additives that may be damaged by the use of improper cleaning products. Water-based products are not recommended for cleaning the fabrics in your new unit. Most water-based household cleaning products are not formulated for use on these fabrics and may cause excessive shrinkage or fading. Always test any cleaning product on a hidden area of fabric before using on visible areas. For best results, the fabrics in this unit should be cleaned by a professional carpet and upholstery cleaner.

Spills, spots, or stains should be treated as soon as possible to avoid permanent damage. If a spill occurs, blot the fluid with a dry towel. Do not rub the spill. Rubbing may cause the liquid to "set" in the fabric. When attempting to clean a spot or stain, always start from the outside and work inward to avoid spreading it further. Some stains or soils are extremely difficult or impossible to be removed completely. These should receive immediate professional attention.

Routine Maintenance

#### WARNING

When cleaning the upholstery and fabric in the unit, do not use lacquer thinner, nail polish remover, laundry soaps, or bleach. Never use carbon tetrachloride or gasoline for cleaning purposes. These items may cause damage to the materials being cleaned and most are highly flammable.

The vinyl material used in creating the interior of this unit should be cleaned with a soft damp cloth and mild detergent. Do not use solvents of any kind. Solvents may damage the surface of the vinyl.

#### **IMPORTANT**

The fading of upholstery, carpet, and other interior fabrics is generally caused by excessive sunlight. The drapes, blinds, or shades should be kept closed when the vehicle is parked for an extended period of time to minimize the fading.

## Walls and Ceiling

The wall and ceiling coverings should be cleaned periodically to maintain a new appearance. Use a non-abrasive cleaner with a soft cloth.

#### Dash

The dash installed in your motor home is made from extruded plastic that has been laminated with a KORAD acrylic film. In order to keep the dash in like new condition, follow these guidelines:

#### DO-

- Dust and clean the dash with a soft, damp cloth, or chamois, wiping the surface gently.
- Use pure soap and lukewarm water. Other cleaning agents that can be used are: 409, Mr. Clean, Top Job w/Ammonia, Spic & Span, Johnson's Pledge, Fantastik, Cascade, Janitor in a Drum, Handy Andy, Joy Detergent, Swish Detergent, Calgonite, All Detergent (powder), Isopropanol (45%) rubbing alcohol.
- Dry the surface, after washing and rinsing, by blotting with a damp cloth or chamois.
- Wax the surface sparingly for protection and the highest degree of polish. Apply one of the recommended commercial waxes sparingly in a thin, even film with a soft clean cloth. The recommended waxes are Simonize, Aero Wax, and Glo-Coat.
- Polish waxed surfaces lightly with a clean cotton flannel or jersey. After polishing, wipe gently with a damp cloth to ground any electrostatic charges which may attract dust particles.
- Normal liquid cleaners or soap and water may not remove dirt and grease. Janitor in a Drum and Cascade were found to be the best cleaners to remove ground-in dirty grease.
- Stains such as iodine may be safely removed with 45% isopropanol rubbing alcohol. The higher concentration commercial grades will remove the stain but will dull the film surface. The gloss can be returned with Simonize wax.
- Light scratches can be removed by waxing with Simonize paste wax. Deeper scratches may be removed by lightly buffing with a fine grade of rubbing compound.

#### DO NOT-

- Use cloths containing grit or abrasive particles or kitchen scouring compounds to clean or dust the dash. Light scratches may be rubbed out with wax.
- Subject the dash to hard, direct blows.
- Use boiling water, strong solvents, or other materials listed below to clean the dash, as they will soften the plastic.
- The following are cleaners and waxes that are not recommended: Wisk, Liquid All, Dynamo, Endust, Lestoil, Pine-Sol, Gain, Halogenated Hydrocarbons, Ketones, Cellusolve Acetate, Aromatic Hydrocarbons (Asmoc G, Solvesso 100, Solvesso 150), Tetrahydrofuran, Butyl Cellosolve, Methanol, Ethanol, Isopropanol (90% and 70%) rubbing alcohol, Gasoline, Brake Fluid, Kerosene, Isopar K, Hexane, Spot Cleaner (Trichlorethane, Trichlorethylene, Perchlorethylene), Abrasives Cleaners, Plasti Shine, Carnu, Turtle Wax, Body Sheene, Johnson's Pride, Dupont No. 7 (Rubbing Compound), Lighter Fluid.

#### Woodwork

The wood cabinetry should be cared for with furniture polish to sustain the natural beauty and luster of the wood. This will also keep your cabinetry looking new and prevent the wood from drying. The plank flooring should be protected from dents, scratches, and nicks by installing protective pads on the bottom of chairs and tables. Use of area rugs and floor mats by the entrance door is recommended to trap dirt. Sweep or vacuum the floor often and wipe up spills as soon as possible. Clean with a hardwood floor cleaner. Do not use wax, dish washing detergent, abrasive chemicals or oil cleaners on the wood floor. Silicone or solvent based polishes (for example, waxes, oil soap, vinegar, ammonia, Pledge, Fantastik, Formula 409, etc.) will make the floor harder to clean because of residual deposits. Wipe up spills and avoid allowing moisture to accumulate on the woodwork.

## Counter Tops

To care properly for the Corian® counter top in your new unit, always use a heat pad or trivet to protect the surface from hot objects that may mar or damage the surface. Wipe the counter top with a damp cloth to remove water spots. For stains, wipe with soapy water or ammonia based cleaners.

#### Accessories

The brass light fixtures, bath accessories, and faucets can be cleaned by wiping with a soft damp cloth. Washing with warm water will remove dry water spots. Do not use cleaners that contain harsh or abrasive chemicals. Alcohol or similar solvents should never be used.

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#### Detectors

The CO and LP detectors are self-contained and DO NOT require any maintenance other than normal cleaning and dusting. When cleaning the exterior of the case use a damp cloth or paper towel. Do not spray cleaners or wax directly into the case as it may cause false alarms.

#### Windows

The glass in the windows may develop water spots, especially if water containing salts or other matter is not properly removed. The spotting effect is magnified when the glass has a reflective finish. Using a squeegee immediately after washing will help reduce water spotting.

#### Condensation

The following information is to make the retail owner of this unit aware of the potential problem with condensation in a recreational vehicle. Damage may occur to your unit if excessive condensation exists.

Accumulation of condensation on surfaces within your unit occurs when warm moist air contacts a cool surface. It is most evident on the inside of windows not protected by storm windows during the winter season. This problem can be controlled by the occupants of the recreational vehicle by:

- 1. Opening a window or roof vent slightly to allow the moisture to escape from the unit.
- 2. Using a small dehumidifier to remove moisture from the air.
- Condensation levels are highest during times when a person is cooking or taking a shower in the unit, but these are not the only times condensation is present.
- Condensation may cause many problems with your new unit. It can migrate through ceiling panels and saturate the fiberglass insulation in your ceiling cavity. This condition often causes the occupants to believe the recreational vehicle has a roof leak when it drips back into the interior of the coach. Walls and ceiling panels may also become wet when the moisture accumulates on these surfaces.
- Since surface condensation within the coach cannot be controlled by the manufacturer, damage caused by condensation is not covered by your warranty agreement.
- Although condensation can be a serious problem, it can be easily controlled by the occupants of a recreational vehicle. By following the above guidelines your new coach can be used in cool climates without condensation problems.
- Newmar Corporation does not recommend the use of unvented catalytic heaters. If catalytic heaters are used, the customer must use a dehumidifier in conjunction with the catalytic heater.

#### **WARNING**

The use of unvented catalytic heaters may cause carbon monoxide poisoning.

#### ROUTINE MAINTENANCE

Always follow the chassis maintenance guidelines found in the chassis manufacturer owner's manual. Below is a brief list of basic routine maintenance items that should be checked as follows:

## Every Trip

- Check all of the engine fluids
- Check the tire pressure of all tires
- Tighten all lug nuts on all of the wheels
- Check the running lights

## Every Month

- Clean range hood exhaust fan filter and blades
- Check gas lines for leaks with soap solution or leak detector
- Test smoke alarm, carbon monoxide detector, and LP gas detector
- Check operation of windows, latches, and hinges

## Every 6,000 Miles or 3 Months

- Check all fluid levels
- Inspect the slide out room for alignment, adjust if necessary
- Clean all door and window seals
- Inspect and repair broken seals around the shower area
- Lubricate the exterior door hinge and latch with a graphite (silicone) lubricant
- Lubricate the baggage door hinges and latches with a graphite (silicone) lubricant
- Check, clean, and tighten battery cables
- Check steering for noise or play
- Check radiator and hoses for leaks
- Check belts for tension and for cracks

## Every 12,000 Miles or 6 Months

- Lubricate exterior doors and locks with silicone
- Inspect the slide out room for alignment, adjust if necessary
- Rotate tires and check alignment
- Check gas appliances for proper operation
- Clean window and door seals with a mild soap and spray with silicone lubricant
- Lubricate the moveable parts on the entrance step
- Check the wheels and nuts for cracks and the tightness of the lug nuts
- · Check the antifreeze level
- Have the LP system checked by a qualified technician

## Annually

- Inspect roof seams and joints, reseal when necessary or consult your dealer
- Sanitize the fresh water system
- Check the front end alignment
- Have the axle bearings re-packed

#### WINTERIZING

The Aqua-Hot's domestic hot water loop must be completely drained of water anytime the heater is stored where freezing temperatures may be experienced. Follow the instructions below when draining the domestic water system.

#### CAUTION

Not winterizing the Aqua-Hot when freezing temperatures are present will result in damage to the Aqua-Hot's domestic hot water loop.

- 1. Shut off the water pump and make sure the water supply valves are closed.
- 2. To drain the fresh water tank, open the drain valves.
- 3. Open the low point drain valves. There is one drain valve for each water line, one cold and one hot. This is done to drain all of the water out of the system.

#### **CAUTION**

If the coach is equipped with appliances that use domestic water (i.e. ice makers, water purifiers, etc.) follow the manufacturer's recommendation for winterization.

- 4. Disconnect the demand water pump's suction line. In the water compartment you will find an antifreeze hose. This hose is used only to antifreeze the fresh water system. Place the end of the hose into an adequate supply of FDA approved RV antifreeze. Use only non-toxic antifreeze that has been approved for use in drinking/potable water systems. Approximately three (3) gallons will be required.
- 5. Close the low point drains to prevent the antifreeze from draining through the lines onto the ground. Close the water supply valve that flows from the pump to the tank.
- 6. Place the in-take hose into the antifreeze supply. Open the antifreeze valve to allow the solution to flow freely. Once the water pump is turned on, proceed to the kitchen faucet, bath faucet, inside and outside shower, turning on the hot and cold, and flushing the stool until the antifreeze solution flows freely. This forces the antifreeze through all of the water lines and faucets. It also allows the antifreeze solution to enter the drain lines and prevent the P-traps from freezing. Check the antifreeze solution from time to time to make sure there is an adequate supply.
- 8. Close the antifreeze valve when the winterizing process is complete. Remove the winterization hose from the antifreeze supply. Open the low point drains.

- 9. Open the water supply valve that flows from the pump to the tank to help prevent freezing on that water line.
- 10. To de-winterize your unit, open both of the low point drains to allow the antifreeze solution to drain from the water system. Next, close the low point drains and connect your unit to city water or fill the fresh water tank. As in winterizing, open the kitchen faucet, bath faucet, inside and outside shower, turning on both the hot and the cold, and flushing the stool until the antifreeze solution is flushed out of the system and the water flows clear. Once the system has been flushed, open the fresh water tank supply valve from the pump and the ice maker valve. Reinstall the water filter. Be sure the fresh water tank drain valves are closed to allow the tank to fill.

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#### IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR YOUR NEWMAR MOTORHOME

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Chassis: Ma	ke	VIN		
Appliance		Brand	<u>Model</u>	<u>Serial</u>
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Television, rear				
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CB Radio				
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Air Conditioner				
Video Cassette Recorder				
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### Wiring Color Scheme

#### 8 gauge

Grounds White
Battery Red
Converter Black
Solar Prep Green

#### 10 gauge

Grounds White Red Living Room Entry Lights (hot feed) Orange Bedroom Lights (hot feed) Green Kitchen Lights (hot feed) Bathroom Lights (hot feed) Brown Power Rear Awning & Freezer Purple w/Yellow Green w/Black Power Step (hot feed) Yellow Power Jacks Blue Electric Brakes (tri-axle) 100 Watt Inverter Red w/White

#### 16 gauge

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Fresh Water Tank

White\*

Grey w/Black (replaces Red tank lead) \*
Black w/Yellow (replaces Blue tank lead) \*

Monitor

Panel

Tank

Grey Water Tank

White\*

Green w/White (replaces Red tank lead) \*

Blue w/Black (replaces Blue tank lead) \*

Harness

Black Water Tank

White\*

Red w/White (replaces Red tank lead) \*

Blue w/White (replaces Blue tank lead) \*

\* - multiple applications for this color

#### 12 gauge

Grounds White

Living Room & Entryway Lights (hot to switch) Red

Living Room & Entryway Lights (switched) Red w/White

Bedroom Lights (hot to switch)

Orange

Bedroom Lights (switched) Orange w/White

Bathroom Lights (hot to switch)

Brown

Bathroom Lights (switched)

Brown w/White

Kitchen Lights (hot to switch) Green

Kitchen Lights (switched) Green w/White

Wrap & Storage Compartment Lights Black

TV and Stereo Pink

Furnaces Green w/Black

3 Way Switches (commons) Red w/Black

Fantastic Vent and Water Heater Brown w/Black

Monitor Panel Yellow

Security Lights (hot to switch)

Purple

Security Lights (switched) Purple w/White

Slide Out Module (hot feed) Green/Yellow

Slide Out Motor & Voice Module Black w/Yellow &

Red w/Yellow

Slide out Lights Grey

Water Pump Yellow w/Black

Power Step Switch Black w/White

Electric Brakes (tandem axle)

Blue

#### 16 gauge

Grounds White

Back-up Lights Yellow

Ignition to Power Step Pink

Clearance & Running Lights Green

Right Turn Lights Brown

Left Turn Lights Red

Ignition to Slide Out Motor Pink w/Green

Class A Blower Fan (in holding tank area) Orange

Slide Out Switch Purple

Courtesy Lights (hot to switch)

Grey

Courtesy Lights (switched) Grey w/White

Detectors, CO & LP Red w/Black

Rear Center Brake Light Blue

LP Fuel Gauge Red w/Yellow

Air Conditioner Controls Pink w/Black

Monoplex Water Pump Switch Yellow w/Black

Refrigerator Controls Purple w/White

Vent Thermostats Black

Red w/White\*

Water Heater DSI Switch Harness Green w/White\*

Blue w/White\*

Red w/White\*

Green w/White\*

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Gas Generator

Start/Stop Switch Blue w/White\*

Start/Stop Switch Harness Grey w/Black\*

Harness Black w/Yellow\*

White\*

\* - multiple applications for this color

Diesel Generator

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### 12 VOLT ELECTRICAL DISRTRIBUTION PANEL

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WIRE OVER CURRENT PROTECTION IS PER THIS CHART

WIRE SIZE	AMPACITY	WIRE SIZE	AMPACITY	
#6	55	#8	40	
#10	30	<b>\$12</b>	20	
#14	15	#16	8	
#18	6			

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### 50 AMP ELECTRICAL DISRTRIBUTION PANEL

This is a 50 Amp 220 service

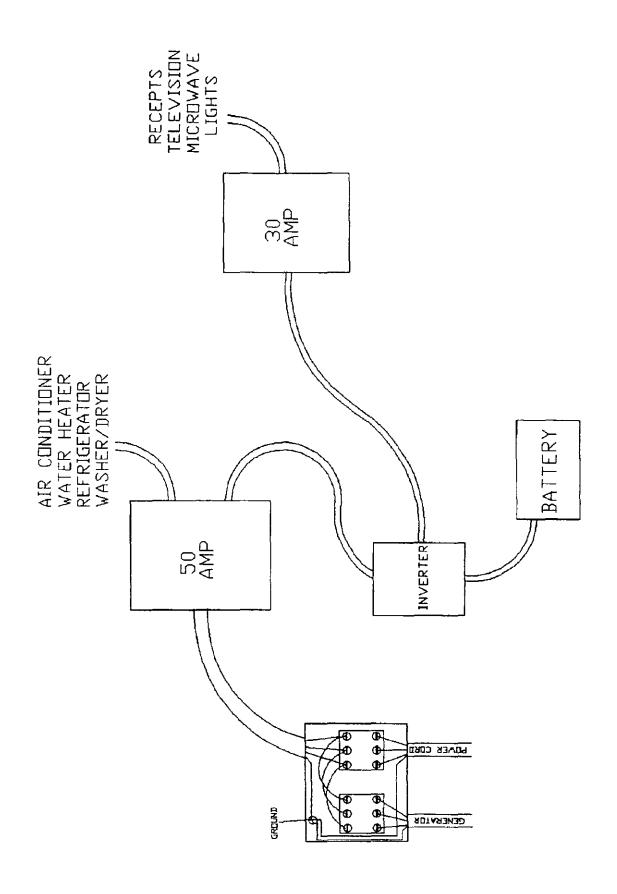
50 Amp lead in cord to box = 6/3 w/ground 20 Amp circuit wire = 12/2 w/ground 15 Amp circuit wire = 14/2 w/gruond Maximum of 10 outlets (lights and recepts) on any 15 amp circuit with no other appliance on that line. Circuits 3, 4, and 16 may have recepts as noted at left. NOTE: A duplex recept is counted as 1 recept.

This is a fully loaded system for which there has been a calculation done. Not all units will get all of these items.

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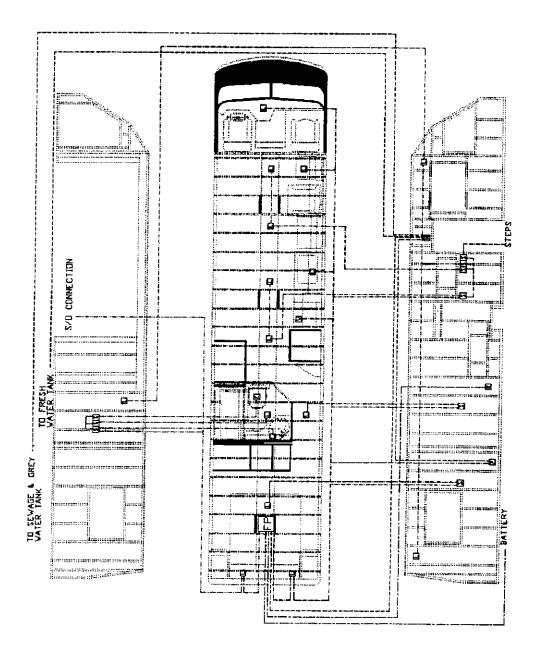
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# TYPICAL WIRING DIAGRAM FOR INVERTERS



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### **TYPICAL 12 VOLT WIRING DIAGRAM**



---- MONITOR LINE DOOR SIDE OFFDOOR SIDE ---- INDIVIDUAL LINE

- LIGHT

- SWITCH

T - TV JACK
V - RANGE VENT FAN
R - REFRIGERATUR

- W.HEATER (REIGNITUR OPT.)

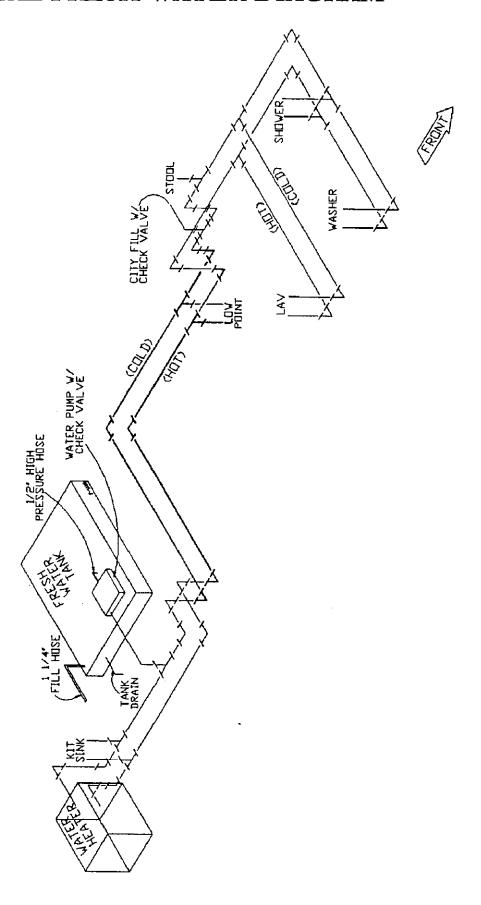
M - MONITOR PANEL F - BATH VENT FAN FP - FUSE PANEL P - WATER PUMP

#### NOTE:

ALL WIRES SHOWN DO NOT NECESSARILY RUN THROUGH A SPECIFIC STUD. THIS PRINT SHOWS GENERAL LOCATIONS OF WIRES ONLY.

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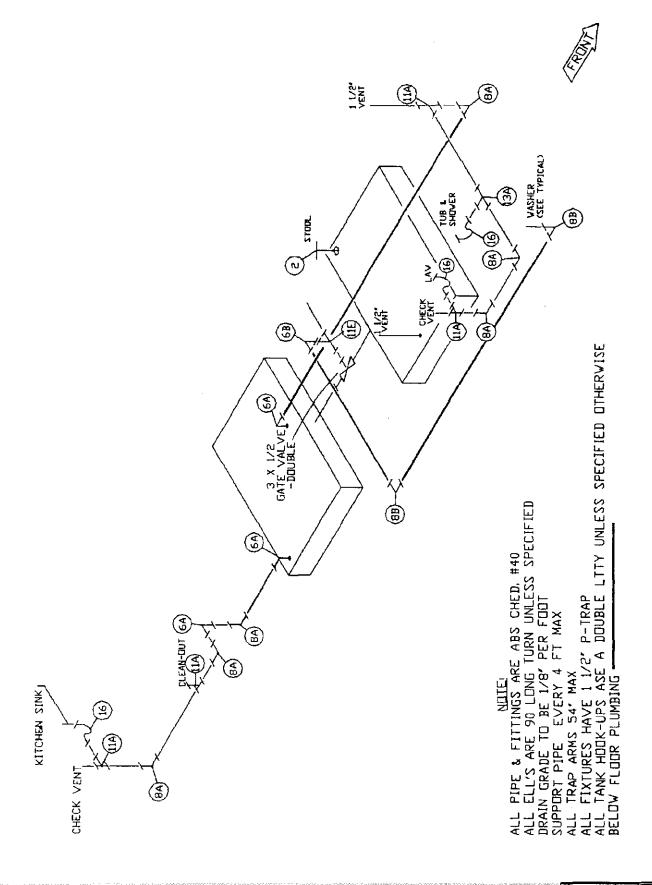
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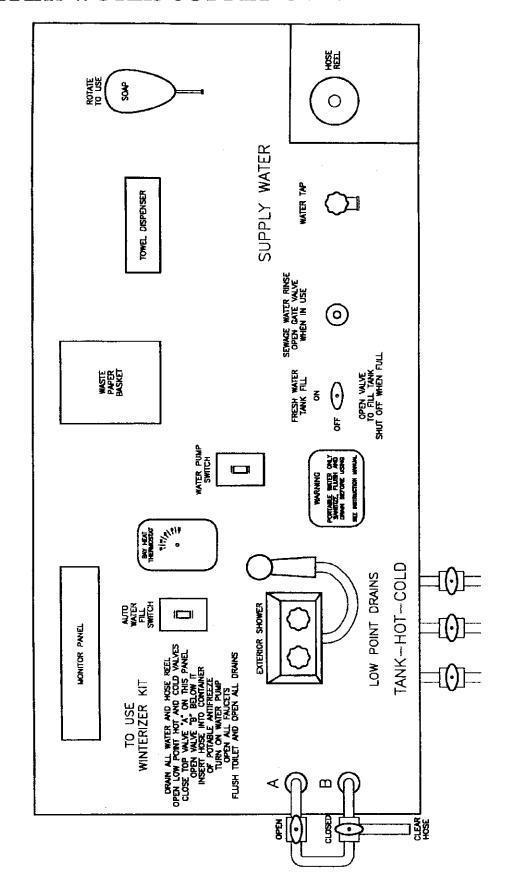
## TYPICAL DRAIN LINE DIAGRAM



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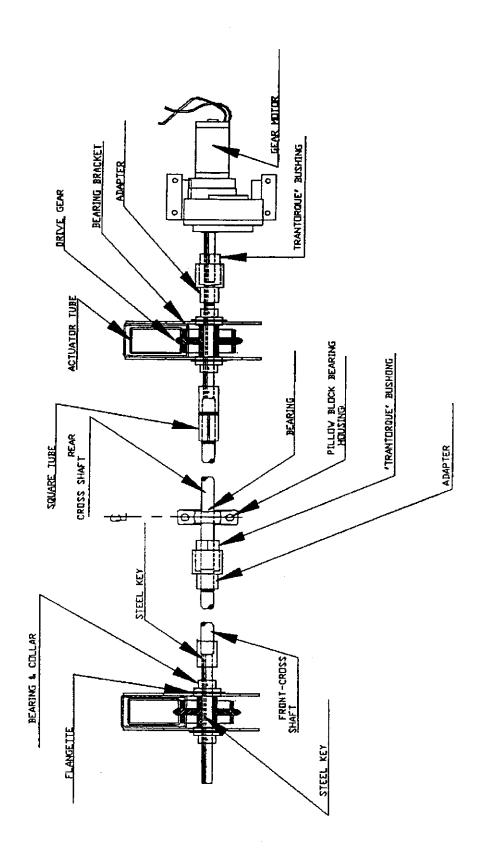
## WATER WORKS SUPPLY CONTROL PANEL





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## SLIDE OUT MECHANISM DIAGRAM



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London Aire Luxury Coach	
Description	Item #
Air Horn	NK 28553
Antenna, CB	QD 11569
Antenna, Cellular Phone	QD 29642
Antenna, Radio	QD 15654
Antenna, TV	QD 28331
A/C	QA 28320
Bumper, Front, Center	GG 28517
Bumper, Rear, Center	GG 28351
Door, Entrance	ID 28330
Door, Refer Vent	QF 21816
Faucet, Bath	CM 24645
Faucet, Kitchen, Sgl Hdl	CM 24644
Faucet, Shower	CM 17200
Grab Handle, Acrylic, Door	NA 16229
Hood	GG 28343
Light, Brake	EH 28391
Light, Clearance, Amber	EH 18684
Light, Clearance, Red	EH 20619
Light, Clearance, Side(Turn)	EH 21391
Light, Docking	EH 13851
Light, Fog	EH 28366

London Aire Luxury Coach	
Description	Item #
Light, Head, Left Hand	EH 28559
Light, Head, Right Hand	EH 28325
Light, Scare	EH 10674
Light, Spot	EH 30763
Light, Tail, Left Hand	EH 28327
Light, Tail, Right Hand	EH 28326
Mittor, Rear View	NB 28324
Recept, 120 Volt	EB 10551
Recept, GFCI	EB 10553
Register, Ceiling	QC 30815
Step, Kwikee	ID 27342
Switch, 12 Volt, Double	EB 28410
Switch, 12 Volt, Single	EB 28409
Switch, 12 Volt, Triple	EB 28411
Switch, 120 Volt	EB 10543
T-Stat, Dometic	QA 27782
T-Stat, FanTastic Vent	IS 01513
Windshield Gasket	PE 28316
Windshield, Left Hand	IO 25969
Windshield, Right Hand	IO 25970

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