



# OWNERS MANUEL



## THANK YOU FOR CHOOSING A WILDERNESS SYSTEMS® KAYAK. GET READY TO EXPLORE YOUR WORLD WITHOUT BOUNDARIES.

This is not just any kayak. It's the right kayak. Attention to detail, performance, and quality have made this the number one choice for enthusiasts year after year. Your premium kayak will provide you many years of enjoyment. We hope you take advantage of all the adventure that awaits you.

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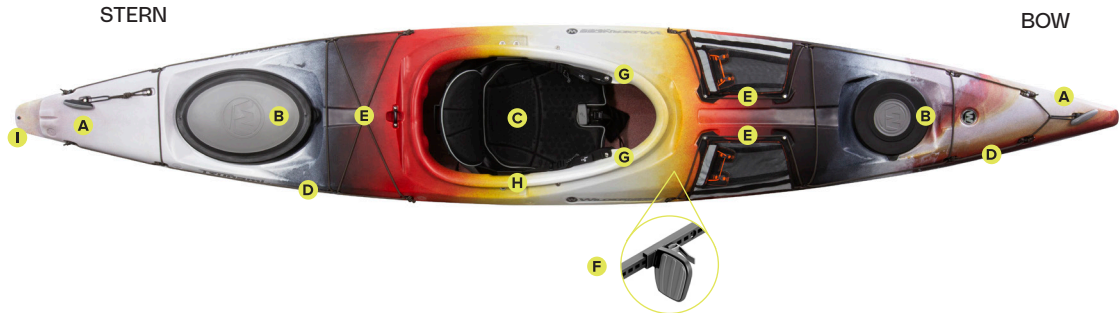
## SIT ON TOP

- A** Carry handle
- B** Tankwell with bungee
- C** SlideTrax™ accessory system\*
- D** Seating system
- E** Cargo hatch
- F** Footbraces
- G** Self-bailing scupper tubes
- H** Optional rudder location\*



## SIT INSIDE

- A** Carry handles
- B** Cargo hatches
- C** Seating system
- D** Safety lines
- E** Bungee
- F** Footbraces
- G** Thighbraces
- H** Cockpit coaming
- I** Optional rudder location\*



\*Not available on all models

## OUTFITTING

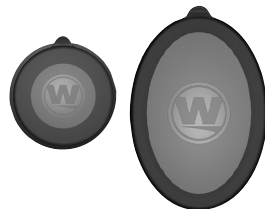
### ORBIX HATCH COVERS

Lever-release open and close. Locked and Unlocked icons are embossed on the hatch for reference.



### RUBBER DOME HATCHES

To remove the covers, find the tab and peel off. To replace the cover, line up ends first and then sides. Then hook it under the hatch rim and press it on firmly the entire way around. Sealed bulkheads, if equipped, add flotation and dry storage to the hatch area.



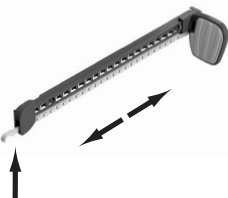
### KEEPERS XL FOOTBRACES

The adjustment lever is located on the backside of the footpedal. To adjust, squeeze the lever and slide the footpeg to the desired location. Release the lever to lock it in place.



### SLIDELOCK XL FOOTBRACES

The SlideLock Footbrace system is easy to access from inside the boat. Find the black plastic rod that is on the side of the cockpit extending from the footbrace. Lift it up and slide forward or back so your foot is resting comfortably on the footpeg and there is a slight bend in your leg. Release the rod to drop into position locking the footbrace.



### USING THE RUDDER SYSTEM

Some kayakers come with an optional factory rudder system included. After market rudder systems are also available. **Please contact your local dealer for any questions regarding setup or installation, or visit [confluenceoutdoor.com](http://confluenceoutdoor.com) for video instruction.**

Once your rudder is installed, use the lift line (located on the right side of the boat, towards the rear of the cockpit) to drop the rudder into the water by pulling it forward.

To operate the rudder, use the footbrace pedals. To maintain a straight position, both pedals should be even with each other. To steer the kayak right, push the right pedal away from you. To steer the kayak left, push the left pedal away from you. Allow the pedal that is not in use to automatically move towards you when the other pedal is being pushed.

## INSTALLING THE RUDDER

### INSTALL THE RUDDER BRACKET

- a. Remove the two filler screws on stern and set aside.
- b. With the raised “stop” pin facing up, align the bracket with the mounting holes in hull. Place ¼” lock washers (2 on each screw) over ¼-20 x 5/8” hex head screws and thread screws into mounting holes using the 3/16” Allen head wrench provided with owners’ manual.
- c. Start both screws before tightening either one completely. Tighten each screw fully.

### INSTALL THE RUDDER

- a. Unwind the lift line coiled around the rudder.
- b. Make sure the cord runs straight and true along the starboard (right) side of the kayak when viewed from the stern.
- c. Remove the ring pin from end of rudder post and insert post into bracket.
- d. Secure rudder in bracket by inserting ring pin in post below bracket.
- e. Test lift line cord by pulling on top or bottom run of cord to raise or lower rudder. Learn which run raises and which run lowers rudder.

### CONNECTING RUDDER CABLES

- a. Insert the Rudder Swivels from the bottom of the holes located on the aluminum wings of the blade assembly.
- b. Next, snap a rubber washer over the exposed nipples that are visible on the top side of the wings.
- c. Thread the split rings through each of the small holes located on the side of each nipple but above each rubber washer. Once the rings are in place, the swivels should be secured to the wings using the split rings

### SECURE RUDDER TO KAYAK

- a. Center rudder blade and then raise it so it flips over end of kayak and settles into notch on deck. A variety of rudder lock-downs are used to secure rudder to deck and these should be put in place to secure rudder when transporting on top of your vehicle.
- b. Make sure to release lock-down before entering your kayak to go paddling.

## PHASE 3® AIRPRO MAX SEATING SYSTEM

The Phase 3 AirPro MAX high/low seating system is poised to give kayak anglers the competitive advantage they need to sight fish from the seat of their kayak. The AirPro MAX preserves the popular innovations found in most Phase 3 seats – adjustability, comfort features and high-quality materials and patented design. The patented seat has a full forward/aft trim range and three phase (high, low and recline) positioning without any clipping or loosening of straps. Standing room remains ample and the seat back can be folded and sat upon for even more height on the water. The aluminum tube frame construction is highly durable with an all-weather, breathable textile that affords both comfort and functionality. The injection molded slide rails provide a platform for adding gear with the ultimate accessibility.

# AIRPRO MAX



Low Position



High Position



Recline Position

## PHASE 3® AIRPRO MAX SEATING SYSTEM



Aluminum Tube Frame

Backrest straps allow for adjustments of the seat back angle.

Cam Rotational Pivots

Provisions have been made in the slide rail to easily attach accessories.

Adjustable hardware makes it easy to slide the seat fore and aft.

Premium all-weather, breathable textile combining an open weave fabric with a 3D mesh filler for the ultimate in comfort.

Easy access grab handles allow the seat to adjust quickly to low, high or recline by unweighting the seat and shifting.

HIGH POSITION

## PHASE 3® AIRPRO SEATING SYSTEM

### INTRODUCING PHASE 3 AIRPRO

The patented Phase 3 seating system has become the industry leader when it comes to an amazingly comfortable seat. And now it's even better.

Ergonomic elements have been added to all aspects of the AirPro. The contoured seat and seat backs have been designed with increased comfort in mind. Multiple-sized holes in the special foam padding produce varying densities to provide extra cushioning along the spine and under the legs while comfortably supporting the sit bones. The flexible back rest features a cutaway for spinal support and a dynamic structural design that conforms to and moves with your back; the seat's leg lifter area has a softer edge and is contoured under your thighs. The AirPro also features durable mesh fabric over perforated foam, greatly improving ventilation so you and your seat breathe and dry out quickly.

Attention to ergonomic details is also evident in the controls that have been carefully positioned to offer easier access to reach adjustment points. Simple, highly visible icons easily identify the adjustment points and their functions. A re-designed leg lifter has now become the central control for adjusting both the seatback and leg lifter height. The leg lifter uses a pulley style system that greatly reduces the effort needed to position your legs for maximum comfort. With an easy pull on the web strap the seat back is lowered causing less friction on the bungee cord and preventing wear and tear. Located in front of the central controls is a mesh bag that can be used for storage.



PHASE 3® AIRPRO



PHASE 3® AIRPRO SOT

# AIRPRO





PHASE 3® AIRPRO TOUR



PHASE 3® AIRPRO XP





## PHASE 3 AIRPRO – ASPIRE, PUNGO & PAMLICO

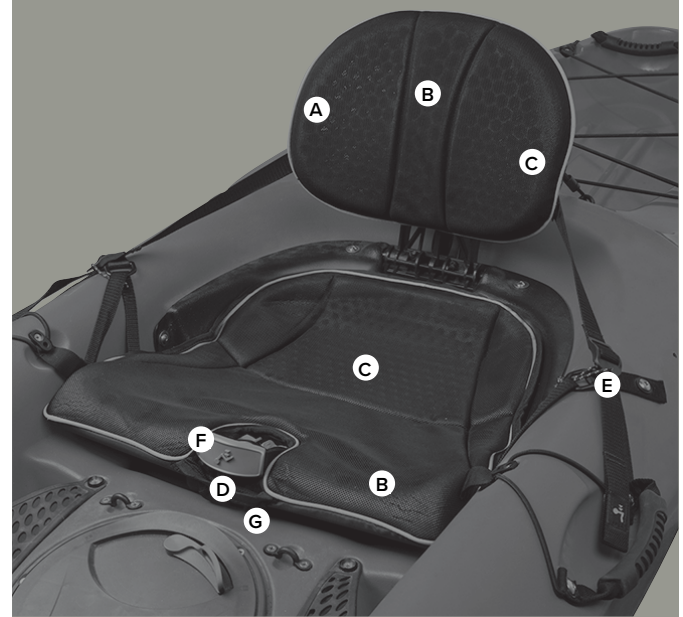
- A** Position seat back for lumbar support while paddling or upper back support while relaxing, the Phase 3 AirPro backrest will conform to you providing all day comfort.
  - B** Large comfort holes allow ventilation for air flow while providing cushioning to hard contact areas under the legs and along the spine.
  - C** Smaller holes on the backrest provide ventilation and increased support to the oblique muscles while the holes in the seat pad support the sit bones and provide drainage for water.
  - D** The backrest is lowered by pulling the strap loop with the  icon. Push the gray web cleat lever to release the strap and raise the backrest.
  - E** The padded seat back adjusts forward and back with straps located on either side of the paddler with the  icon. These straps are located next to the knee braces on Aspire and Pungo models or behind the seat for Pamlico models. Tighten the backrest by pulling forward on the strap or loosen it by pulling on the corded finger pull loop. For good rotation while paddling it should not be too tight.
- The leg lifter height is adjusted with the gray handle and corresponding gray web cleat release levers; to raise the height of the leg lifter gently shift one's weight off of the leglifter while pulling the gray handle. To lower the leglifter press both gray web cleat levers simultaneously.
- F**
  - G** The mesh bag located in front of the central controls can be used to store the leg lifter handle, seat height adjustment strap, a water bottle or any other items you would like to keep in easy reach.





## PHASE 3<sup>®</sup> AIRPRO SEATING SYSTEM

### PHASE 3 AIRPRO SOT – TARPON

- A** Position seat back for lumbar support while paddling or upper back support while relaxing, the Phase 3 AirPro backrest will conform to you providing all day comfort.
- B** Large comfort holes allow ventilation for air flow while providing cushioning to hard contact areas under the legs and along the spine.
- C** Smaller holes on the backrest provide ventilation and increased support to the oblique muscles while the holes in the seat pad support the sit bones and provide drainage for water.
- D** The backrest is lowered by pulling the strap loop with the  icon. Push the gray web cleat lever to release the strap and raise the backrest.
- E** The padded seat back adjusts forward and back with straps located on either side of the paddler with the  icon. These straps are located near the hull on Tarpon models. Tighten the backrest by pulling forward on the strap or loosen it by pulling on the corded finger pull loop. For good rotation while paddling it should not be too tight.
- F** The leg lifter height is adjusted with the gray handle and corresponding gray web cleat release levers; to raise the height of the leg lifter gently shift one's weight off of the leglifter while pulling the gray handle. To lower the leglifter press both gray web cleat levers simultaneously.
- G** The mesh bag located in front of the central controls can be used to store the leg lifter handle, seat height adjustment strap, a water bottle or any other items you would like to keep in easy reach.



## PHASE 3 AIRPRO TOUR – POLARIS & TSUNAMI\*



- A** Position seat back for lumbar support while paddling or upper back support while relaxing, the Phase 3 AirPro backrest will conform to you providing all day comfort.
- B** Large comfort holes allow ventilation for air flow while providing cushioning to hard contact areas under the legs and along the spine.
- C** Smaller holes on the backrest provide ventilation and increased support to the oblique muscles while the holes in the seat pad support the sit bones and provide drainage for water.
- D** The backrest is lowered by pulling the strap loop with the  icon. Push the gray web cleat lever to release the strap and raise the backrest.
- E** The padded seat back adjusts forward and back with straps located on either side of the paddler with the  icon. These straps are located above the thighbraces on touring models. Tighten the backrest by pulling forward on the strap or loosen it by pulling on the corded finger pull loop. For good rotation while paddling it should not be too tight.
- F** The leg lifter height is adjusted with the gray handle and corresponding gray web cleat release levers; to raise the height of the leg lifter gently shift one's weight off of the leglifter while pulling the gray handle. To lower the leglifter press both gray web cleat levers simultaneously.
- G** The mesh bag located in front of the central controls can be used to store the leg lifter handle, seat height adjustment strap, a water bottle or any other items you would like to keep in easy reach.

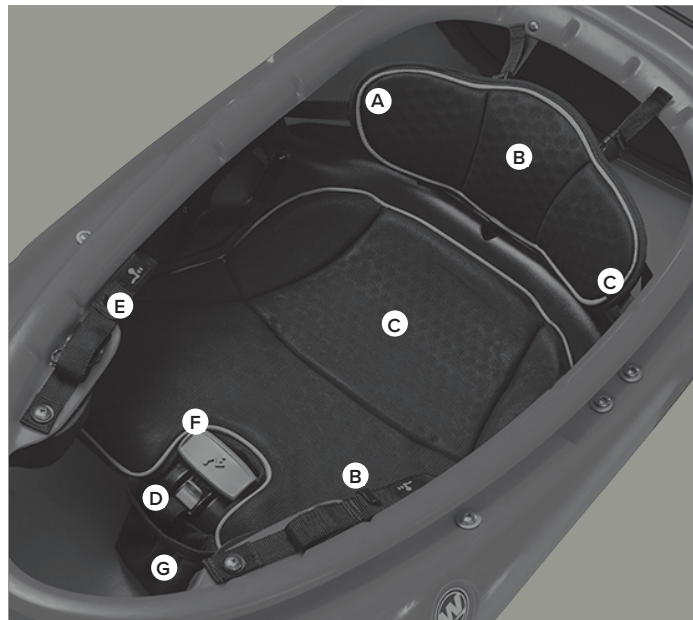


\*Available on Tsunami model sizes 125, 140 & 145

## PHASE 3® AIRPRO SEATING SYSTEM

### PHASE 3 AIRPRO XP – TEMPEST & TSUNAMI\*

- A** Position seat back for lumbar support while paddling or upper back support while relaxing, the Phase 3 AirPro backrest will conform to you providing all day comfort.
- B** Large comfort holes allow ventilation for air flow while providing cushioning to hard contact areas under the legs and along the spine.
- C** Smaller holes on the backrest provide ventilation and increased support to the oblique muscles while the holes in the seat pad support the sit bones and provide drainage for water.
- D** To adjust the height of the backband; tighten or loosen the two web straps extending from the backband to the cockpit rim. Pull the web loop strap located at the front of the seat with the  icon to hold the backband in place or press the gray web cleat lever to loosen.
- E** To adjust the backstrap fit, tighten or loosen the two web loop straps with the  icon. The straps are anchored above the thigh braces. Further adjustment can be achieved by using the web loop straps located behind the backband.
- F** The leg lifter height is adjusted with the gray handle and corresponding gray web cleat release levers; to raise the height of the leg lifter gently shift one's weight off of the leglifter while pulling the gray handle. To lower the leglifter press both gray web cleat levers simultaneously.
- G** The mesh bag located in front of the central controls can be used to store the leg lifter handle, backband height adjustment strap, a water bottle or any other items you would like to keep in easy reach.



The adjustable thigh pads found on some touring and sea kayak models are adjusted by removing the front screw and loosening the back screw. Slide the thigh pad forward or back and in and out to find a comfortable position. Replace the screws and tighten. A good position for the thigh pad is a couple of inches in front of your kneecap or where it's most comfortable.

\*Available on Tsunami model sizes 165 & 175

## AIRPRO ACES SEAT

### AIRPRO ACES - RECON 120 & RECON 120HD

**AirPro ACES seat provides easy:**

**Adjustability** with the adjustable track seating, luxurious


**Comfort** with cushion and air flow, fine-tuned

**Ergonomics** with adjustable straps and option for additional lumbar support, and 360 degree

**Swivel** allows continuous left and right movement enhancing fishing efficiency. Confidence, mobility and comfort come from the ease of swiveling to get into the kayak, set up in any direction to fish, set the hook and grab tackle stored in the rear tankwell.



### INSTRUCTIONS:

- A** The framed seat back adjusts forward and back with straps located on either side of seat with the  icon. Tighten the backrest by pulling forward on the straps or loosen it by pulling on the tabs of the plastic adjustment buckles. For a better paddling experience, it should not be overly tight.
- B** Adjust the seat forward or backwards by engaging the mechanical lever underneath the center front of the seat.
- C** To remove the seat from the boat, loosen the two studded knobs and lift. To install the seat, align the two studded knobs back into the seat mounting location and fully tighten the knobs.



Side View



Front View




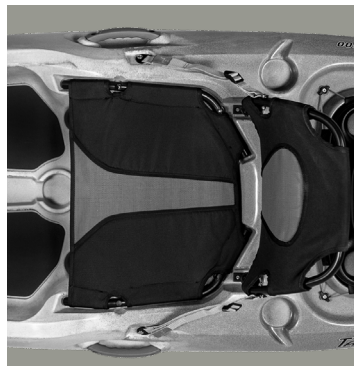


## TARGA / TARGA TANDEM SEAT

### TARGA 100 - SEAT


The new sling-style seat is made of a durable mesh that offers a high level of breathability, making it comfortable and adjustable. It keeps you cool and dry even during extended periods of use.

The framed seat back adjusts forward and back with straps located on either side of seat with the  icon. Tighten the backrest by pulling forward on the straps or loosen it by pulling on the tabs of the plastic adjustment buckles. For a better paddling experience, it should not be overly tight.



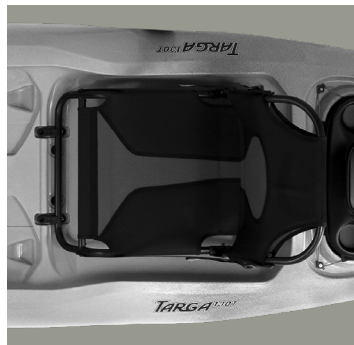
### TARGA 130T - SEAT

The Targa Tandem unique design offers multiple seating configurations tailored for your journey. Perfect for a comfortable ride with plenty of options. It features three types of seating configurations, depending on the experience you want to have - standard tandem paddling, face-to-face paddling, and solo paddling.

The framed seat back adjusts forward and back with straps located on either side of seat with the  icon. Tighten the backrest by pulling forward on the straps or loosen it by pulling on the tabs of the plastic adjustment buckles. For a better paddling experience, it should not be overly tight.

The tandem seats can be repositioned into multiple seating configurations: Standard tandem, Face-to-Face tandem and Solo.

To reconfigure the seats, gently force the front seat bases out of the retainers clips and reposition to the desired seating configurations with the appropriate seat clips. Only the front tube of the seat is engaged in the retaining clips. Ensure the seats are fully engaged into the seat clips before paddling.



\*Not Shown - Solo Seat Configuration



Standard Seat Configuration



Face-to-Face Seating Configuration

## STORAGE

### SHORT TERM STORAGE

Be sure to empty the kayak of all water. The kayak may be stored on its side or in a vertical position temporarily. Storage in these positions for an extended period of time could cause flattening or deformation in the side of the hull.

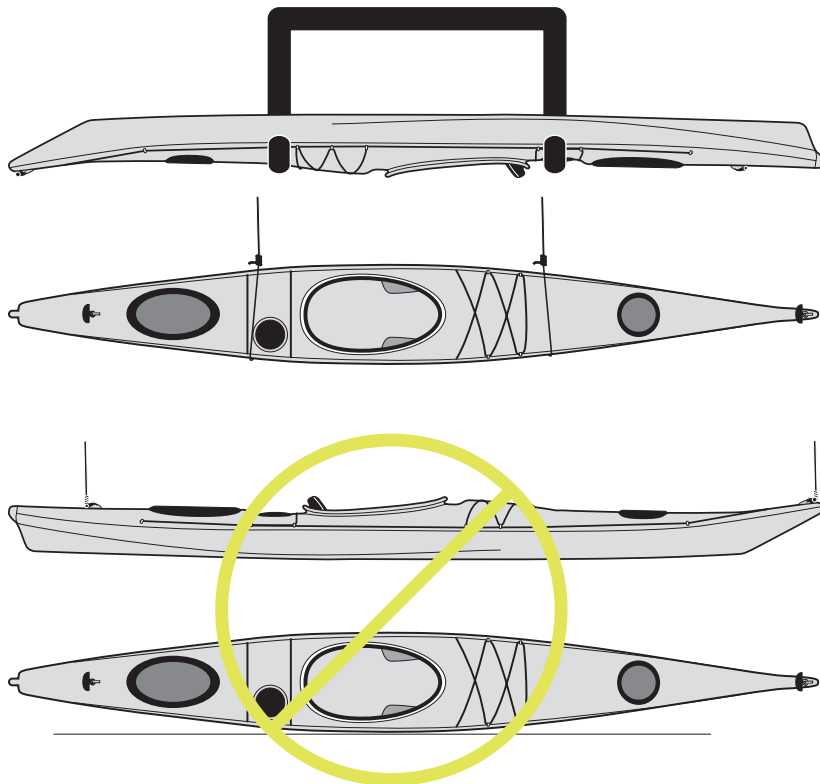
### LONG TERM STORAGE

In addition to emptying all water out, you should clean the kayak by rinsing with freshwater especially if the kayak has been used in salt water or becomes muddy. Store out of direct sunlight and indoors, if possible. UV exposure can shorten the lifespan of any kayak and can degrade its finish. Kayaks can be stored slung on their sides via web straps, positioned 1/3 of the way along the hull (as shown). Be sure to not leave straps or ropes tightly wound around the hull for extended periods of time as it may cause deformation.

Your kayak can also be stored hull up (as shown) on parallel bars with weight supported evenly throughout its length. For large cockpit (recreational) boats, position the bars so that the cockpit coaming rests on the bars. For smaller cockpit kayaks, position bars so that they contact the deck between the cockpit and any hatches.

#### CAUTION:

Do not suspend your kayak by using the grab loops at either end of the boat. This can cause the hull to distort over time.





## ROOF RACK

A kayak carrier, or “J cradle” for your vehicle is the best method of transporting a kayak. It should be lashed down at each crossbar, as well as at the bow and stern to each end of the vehicle. Kayak cradles are recommended for boats being transported “flat” to lessen chances of deformation from being lashed too tightly to the bars.

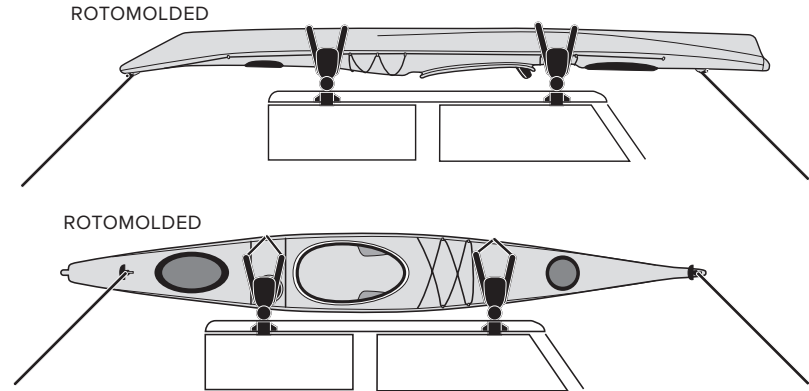
Rotomolded kayaks can be transported on their edge or upside down (hull up) safely using kayak stackers. For Composite kayaks we recommend that they be transported on their bottom using cradles to prevent deformation. Be careful not to over tighten straps as this could cause deformation in your boat.

## USING FOAM BLOCK RACKS

Foam block racks can be used for transporting kayaks if extreme caution is practiced in rigging the load. They should be wide enough for adequate support. The boats must be securely attached to the top of the vehicle through the doors or windows and attached securely to both the front and back of the vehicle. If these tie down points at the front and back aren’t available on your vehicle, foam block racks should NOT be used.

## INCLEMENT WEATHER

If traveling when inclement weather is threatening, position the kayak upside down if possible. A kayak heavy with water can become dangerous. Use a portage cover to seal the cockpit if an upside down position is not possible. Periodically check your straps to ensure they have not stretched while wet.



### CAUTION:

Always check your tie down rigging often as ropes and straps may loosen in transport.

## CARE & MAINTENANCE

### ROTOMOLDED KAYAK CARE

Our “roto” kayaks are made of high-density linear polyethylene, which is virtually maintenance free. A minimal amount of care in storage and transporting will help the kayak maintain a like-new condition for many years.

Polyethylene will become more flexible in warm conditions such as a hot, sunny day. It is possible for a kayak strapped tightly to a roof rack to deform at the weight bearing points. Use a padded rigid bar sport rack in addition to a kayak J cradle or saddles to disperse the weight.

### INFLATABLE KAYAK CARE

Your inflatable kayak is made of very durable materials. However, like anything else, proper use and care will increase the life of your kayak. Before storing your kayak, make sure it is both CLEAN and DRY. You may clean your kayak with a mild soap and water. NEVER use strong solvents to clean your kayak as they will destroy the material.

Be sure to rinse your kayak with fresh water after every use in salt water and allow it to dry thoroughly before storing. Use a dry towel to wipe up all moisture. It should be deflated and kept out of direct sunlight when stored. Avoid exposure to extreme temperatures (hot or cold). If your boat is exposed to freezing temperatures while storing, allow it to warm up before unfolding.

Do not store your kayak for an extended period fully inflated.

### CLEANING

Usually, a quick rinse of fresh water is all that is necessary to keep your hull clean and functioning in good order. This is very important after paddling in salt water, especially if your boat is outfitted with a rudder system or pedal drive. Be sure to thoroughly rinse the rudder, rudder cables, and footbraces with fresh water to remove salt residue. Additionally, rinse your seat system with fresh water.

Superficial scratches may occur, but can be removed or reduced by use of a marine boat polish designed for polyethylene hulls. Sanding or use of an abrasive rubbing compound is not recommended.

To keep your kayak shining and minimize long-term degradation caused by UV exposure, use an ultraviolet protectant such as 303 Protectant. 303 can also be used lightly on the top of the hatches and on the seat outfitting and plastic buckles and straps, in addition to the kayak itself. 303 is available at your local Wilderness Systems dealer or [online](#).

#### WARNING:

Avoid dragging kayak across the ground to prolong its life and maintain its look and performance. Two people, utilizing the carrying handles, is the best way to transport the boat. Alternately, you can transport using a kayak cart, available at your dealer or [online](#).

Any person using kayaks built and/or sold by Wilderness Systems is personally responsible for determining that their abilities are equal or superior to the conditions encountered and exercising proper judgment in choice of where and when to paddle.

Any person using Wilderness Systems kayaks assumes all risks and takes complete responsibility for any and all damages, or injuries, including death, which may result from use of or participation in Wilderness Systems kayaks. Consult your physician prior to beginning your paddlesport training.

## DO:

- Wear a Coast Guard approved personal flotation device (PFD).
- Wear a helmet when paddling whitewater or in the ocean.
- Get paddlesports instruction from a licensed or certified instructor.
- Dress appropriately for weather conditions; cold water and/or weather can result in hypothermia.
- Check your equipment prior to each use for signs of wear or failure.
- Scout unfamiliar waters. If necessary, paddle to shore and carry your boat past uncertain areas.
- Stay aware of appropriate river water levels, tidal changes, dangerous currents, and weather changes.
- Follow manufacturer's recommendations for use and outfitting of your kayak.
- Leave your paddling location and agenda with someone at home before departing.
- Obtain certified first-aid and rescue training and carry first-aid and rescue equipment.

## DON'T:

- Never exceed your ability and assess how far and how long you can paddle or swim.
- Never paddle alone.
- Never consume alcohol, drugs, or any other substance that may affect your coordination, judgment, or ability when paddling.
- Never paddle in flood conditions.
- Never allow minors to use the boat without adult supervision.
- Avoid bracing yourself in the kayak in such a way that you have to release any outfitting to escape.
- Do not impair entry or exit access to the kayak when installing additional outfitting.

## WARNING:

Kayaking can be hazardous with potential risk of serious injury and even death.

## ACCESSORIES

### ESSENTIALS CHECKLIST:

#### PERSONAL FLOTATION DEVICE (PFD)

A USCG approved, comfortable and secure fitting PFD should be worn at all times. Shorter PFDs are available that are ideal for kayak paddling.

#### PADDLE

Choosing a paddle is almost as important as your choice of boat. Blade shape, length, weight, and material all offer different experiences. On longer trips, it is strongly recommended that you have a spare paddle that can be easily stowed on your deck.

#### SAFETY EQUIPMENT

USCG regulations require an audible signal device (horn or whistle) to be used in all watercraft. In addition, it is recommended that all paddlers carry and know how to use a bilge pump, to drain water from the kayak and a paddlefloat for a solo re-entry. Be sure to secure training in the operation of a paddlefloat.

#### EDUCATION / TRAINING

To help you learn about the logistics of a paddling trip and correct paddling technique we strongly recommend a good beginner level paddling course from a certified instructor.

#### PERSONAL GEAR

There are many items that you may wish to take with you on a paddling trip. Your location, length of journey, group size, weather, etc. will all play a part in this “essentials list.”

- Drinking water
- Snacks
- Extra clothes in a drybag
- Map or chart
- First-Aid
- Matches
- Sun protection

### OTHER ACCESSORIES:

There are a wide variety of accessories designed for your kayak to enhance the performance and overall experience. Not all accessories are available for all models.

### SPRAYSKIRT

For longer trips or rougher conditions, a sprayskirt is worn by the paddler to create a watertight seal, preventing the cockpit from filling up with water.

### DRY BAG

Ultra-light and water-resistant storage for an extra level of protection and accessibility for gear.

A COMPLETE LINE OF OUR ACCESSORIES CAN BE  
FOUND ONLINE AT [CONFLUENCEOUTDOOR.COM](https://confluenceoutdoor.com)

# LIMITED LIFETIME WARRANTY

## TERMS AND CONDITIONS

For the original retail purchaser ("Consumer"), Wilderness Systems kayaks provide a lifetime warranty against material or manufacturing defects in the hull and deck.

Parts, accessories, and outfitting are warranted for a period of one (1) year against material or manufacturing defects from the date of purchase.

For Wilderness Systems kayaks sold as "2nd Quality" as indicated on the Manufacturer's Statement of Origin (MSO), Wilderness Systems provides this limited warranty for five (5) years for the hull and deck and one (1) year for parts, accessories, and outfitting.

This limited warranty is only valid with the purchase of a Wilderness Systems kayak from an Authorized Wilderness Systems Dealer. This warranty is non-transferable.

## HOW TO REGISTER YOUR BOAT

The warranty registration form should be completed online at [confluenceoutdoor.com](http://confluenceoutdoor.com) within 30 days of original purchase to be activated. It is suggested that you keep your sales receipt should it be required in the future for proof of purchase.

## OBTAINING WARRANTY SERVICE

If you have a problem with your kayak and you suspect that it may be due to defective materials or workmanship, contact the nearest authorized Wilderness Systems kayak dealer and arrange to have the problem inspected. Consumer is responsible for delivery to, and pickup from, the closest authorized dealer.

If the authorized Wilderness Systems dealer's inspection indicates a defect that is attributable to materials or workmanship, reach out to your Wilderness Systems dealer or [online](#) to repair or replace your Wilderness Systems kayak free of charge at the company's option. Proof of purchase such as a sales receipt may be

required.

If service is required in a country that is not the country of purchase, Consumer will comply with all applicable export laws and regulations and be responsible for all customs duties, value add tax (VAT), and other associated taxes and charges. For international service, the Wilderness Systems Distributor may repair or exchange defective products and parts with comparable products and parts that comply with local standards.

Wilderness Systems retains the right to satisfy warranty via repair or replacement of products or of components deemed defective. In addition, Wilderness Systems reserves the right to replace original kayaks or equipment with comparable current products.

## LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS

This limited warranty does not apply to:

- Normal wear and tear and aging of product.
- Kayaks damaged by extreme weather or environmental conditions.
- Kayaks damaged while in possession of a freight carrier, a dealer, Consumer, or any party other than Wilderness Systems.
- Kayaks damaged by accident, neglect, improper use or handling.
- Kayaks that have been towed by power or sail boats.
- Kayaks designated as Prototypes.
- Kayaks sold as "demos" or in "as is" condition.
- Kayaks determined to have been used for any activity other than an activity which is customary for the product.
- Kayaks that have been structurally or dimensionally altered or modified.
- Kayaks used for commercial or rental purposes.

This limited warranty excludes all other warranties, expressed or implied, including implied warranties of merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose, with regard to Wilderness Systems Kayaks. Some state, country, or provincial laws do not allow the exclusion of certain implied warranties, so the above exclusion may not apply to you.

This limited warranty excludes any incidental or consequential damages or expenses resulting from any defects. Wilderness Systems's aggregate liability shall be limited to an amount equal to Consumer's original purchase price paid for the defective product. Some state, country, or provincial laws do not allow the exclusion or limitation of incidental or consequential damages, so the above exclusion may not apply to you.

To the extent any limitation or exclusion contained herein is contrary to any country, state, or provincial law, such limitation or exclusion shall be severable and all other terms herein shall remain in full force and effect and are valid and enforceable.

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may also have other rights. For Consumers who are covered by state, country or provincial consumer protection laws or regulations, the benefits from this warranty are in addition to all rights conveyed by such consumer protection laws and regulations.

### Helix Pedal Drive

Wilderness Systems's Helix PD is eligible for a two year warranty, which can be submitted for evaluation online.

### FINDING YOUR SERIAL NUMBER

The serial number is located near the stern (rear) of the boat, just below the line where the deck and side meet. On most boats it is engraved in an indentation on the right side of the boat.

### NOTICE: STATE REGULATIONS

Some states require that all kayaks be registered. To register your kayak you will need your Manufacturer's Statement of Origin (MSO). This serves as the title to your kayak and should have been provided when you took delivery. If not, check with your retailer. If it has been lost, have your dealer contact Wilderness Systems and we will provide a replacement.

Note: Make sure the serial number on your MSO matches that on your hull.

### QUESTIONS?

Visit [confluenceoutdoor.com](http://confluenceoutdoor.com) to answer these and many other commonly asked questions about our kayaks and accessories:

How do I adjust the seat?

How do I move the footbraces for solo paddling?

How do I install the rudder?

How can I get replacement parts?

What other accessories are available for my kayak?

### IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Boat Model: \_\_\_\_\_

Serial Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Purchase: \_\_\_\_\_

Dealer Name: \_\_\_\_\_

### SERVICE AND SUPPORT

If you have a problem with your kayak that you believe is covered under warranty, contact the nearest authorized Wilderness Systems dealer. You can find a listing of all dealers on our website.

If you have additional questions about your kayak or accessories, please visit our online support webpage at [confluenceoutdoor.com](http://confluenceoutdoor.com) for resources or to find information on contacting a customer service representative.

### CONTACT US

Phone: 1-888-669-6960

Service and support hours are Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. EST.

All warranties and part orders need to be handled through an authorized dealer, we do not sell direct.



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