YOB AUSTRALIA TRAVELAIR INFLATABLE ISUP MANUAL





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CARE AND MAINTENANCE



RECCOMENDED PRESSURE 15 PSI

For best results TravelAir iSUPs should be inflated to a maximum of 15 PSI. Be mindful of increasing air temperature throughout the day and regularly check the pressure of your iSUP and release some pressure if necessary.

DO NOT LEAVE IN DIRECT SUNLIGHT

Heat damage is not covered by warranty. Avoid leaving your TravelAir in direct sunlight when not in use. Leave your iSUP in a shady place, or release some pressure.

BOARD MAINTENANCE

Give your TravelAir and paddle some love every so often and rinse off sand and salt. See self-maintenance section for trouble-shooting your pump, valve or paddle.

<u>REPAIRS</u>

Good quality glue and PVC material should be used to repair small tears and holes. If serious damage occurs, it is best to seek professional help. Inflatable boat manufacturers, and repairers may be your best option. If you think your damage falls under our warranty please contact us so we can assess the damage.

STORAGE

Best to store your iSUP in a cool, dry place. Ensure your iSUP is dry before storing.

SAFETY

CHECK WEATHER CONDITIONS

Avoid using your TravelAir in dangerous or unsuitable conditions. Be sure to check wind direction, strength and possible storms. It is not recommended to iSUP in winds greater than 12 knots, and be aware that winds blowing from land to water (offshore wind) can quickly carry you away from shore.



ALWAYS WEAR A LEASH

Be sure to attach your leash properly. Not only is being tethered to your board convenient when you come off the iSUP, but it is there for your safety. In situations of distress stay with you iSUP and wave your paddle or arms over your head.

NEVER ALLOW CHILDREN TO USE THE ISUP UNSUPERVISED

Minors must be supervised while using the iSUP.



NEVER CONSUME ALCOHOL WHILE USING THE ISUP

Do not consume alcohol or any other substance that can alter your ability to use the iSUP and make safe judgements.

DO NOT USE BEYOND YOUR SKILL OR ABILITY

Gradually work your way up to your iSUP goals, be mindful of other people in the water and your own safety when trying new things. YouTube is a great resource for learning. Give way to all other water users.

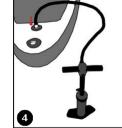
CHECK LOCAL REGULATIONS AND LAWS

Some governing bodies require personal floatation devices to be worn, or some water sports may not be permitted in local areas.

INFLATING YOUR TRAVELAIR

- Find an appropriate place to roll out an pump up your iSUP that is relatively flat, clear of sharp objects and not on sand.
- 2 Attach the hose to your pump
- 3 Open valve cover on the back of the iSUP by twisting anti-clockwise
- Attach the end of the hose to the valve by pushing down and twisting clockwise
- S We recommended your iSUP is inflated to a maximum 15 PSI. We recommend using the double action feature on your pump for the first 10 PSI and swapping over to the single-action feature for the last 5 PSI. This makes the last part of inflation easier. To do this simply turn the lever on the pump to the appropriate side.
- Once your iSUP is inflated at 15 PSI, detach the hose by pushing down and turning anti-clockwise.
- Be sure to replace valve cover by pushing down and twisting clockwise.







DEFLATING YOUR iSUP

To deflate your iSUP open the valve cover and push the centre button down. To stop deflation simply push it down again and it will pop back up.

To fully deflate your iSUP leave the valve open (centre button down) and roll your iSUP towards the valve from the nose.

PACKING AWAY

To pack your iSUP back into your bag, ensure the iSUP is fully deflated. We highly recommend you allow your iSUP to air dry before packing it away after use. This will help prevent moisture related damage.

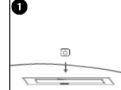
Once your iSUP is dry simply fold or roll from the nose of the iSUP to the tail, ensuring the iSUP has the deck grip facing up so that the fins are on the outside of the roll.

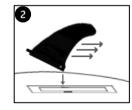


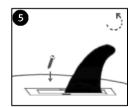
FITTING YOUR FIN

- Undo the screw from the plate (located in the fin box or on the fin). Drop the flat plate into the fin box, be sure its flat and sitting on the shelf inside the fin box. Slide it towards the nose of the board.
- 2 Insert the back of the fin with the two locators into the fin box from the centre, and slide towards the rear of the iSUP.
- B Push the fin down into the fin box.
- 4 Line the hole of the flat plate up with the hole at the front of the fin.
- S Screw the fin and plate together using the provided screw. Finger tighten.









ASSEMBLING & ADJUSTING YOUR PADDLE

To assemble your 3 piece paddle, simply ensure the middle clip is undone and slide the shaft connected to the handle into the shaft of the blade. Push down silver button and line it up with hole on other shaft so that the button pops back up. close the clip.

- 1 To adjust to height Place the blade of your paddle at the front of your feet.
- 2 Holding the shaft of the paddle vertically with one hand, use the other to open the clip and pull the handle upwards until your arm is straight with a relaxed elbow.
- 3 Close the clip, making sure the handle and paddle are aligned. The height may seem high, but remember the paddle is emersed in the water when you are paddling on your iSUP.
- If there is movement of your handle, open the clip and tighten the screws with a Philips screw driver half a turn. Adjust slowly until desired tightness. Tightening too much may mean you can't close the clip.



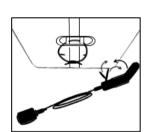
ATTACHING YOUR LEASH

Attach the leash cord to the eyelet at the back of your iSUP with a fisherman's knot.

Attach non-padded end of your leash to the cord. Be sure you un-Velcro all three layers and pass the part that is fuzzy on both sides through the cord before folding the Velcro back onto itself for a secure attachment.

To attach the leash to your ankle, simply pull the red tag on the ankle pad to un-do and wrap around your ankle allowing the Velcro to stick.

When you need to take off your leash, simply pull the red tag again.



GETTING ON THE WATER

Once you're ready to get on the water with your new iSUP, there are a few things to be mindful of.

When getting on the water, be sure to walk your iSUP out to water deep enough where your fin won't get stuck in the sand. We recommend about knee-depth.

Remember to take note of wind direction, any obstacles or submerged hazards. Please be mindful of other people in the water and keep a safe distance.

When coming back to shore, drop to your knees before the water gets too shallow. Be mindful of your fin and step off before the iSUP hits the sand.



SUPYAK ATTATCHMENT

Your TravelAir iSUP has the option for a SUPYAK attachment. This turns your iSUP and paddle into a kayak combo. Your iSUP has 4 anchor points to attach the seat.



ATTACHING YOUR SUPYAK

<u>SEAT:</u>

1 Loosen the four straps.

- 2 Clip the two side straps to the anchor points at the front of the iSUP, and the two straps at the top of the back rest to the anchor points at the back of the iSUP.
- Ensure the seat is in the middle of the iSUP over the handle and adjust the straps to the desired length.

PADDLE:

- Unclip the adjustment clip and pull the handle out of the shaft.
- 2 Insert the paddle blade attachment, making sure its lined up with the other blade and the clip is closed again.



REPAIRS & WHAT IS IN YOUR REPAIR KIT

Your YOB TravelAir iSUP comes with a repair kit, just in case. This Kit is the orange tube in your bag, and comes with Glue, a valve spanner and a few sheets of PVC material.



SPANNER:

The spanner is to remove the valve of your iSUP. This allows you to service the valve. To do this deflate your iSUP, open the valve cover, click the spanner into place and turn it anti-clockwise and unscrew to remove. The valve will lift out.

GLUE & PVC:

This glue is to fix any minor damage. Before repairing with the glue and PVC, be sure to wash the area and wipe with rubbing alcohol to get rid of any salt or sand. Then make sure the area is dry. Next deflate the iSUP and cut a patch approximately 3cm bigger than the area that is being patched. Apply the glue to both the PVC (matte side) and the iSUP where the damage is. Allow glue to tack-off. Place your patch over the glued area and apply weight. Apply a thin layer of glue around the edge of the patch to seal it. Please allow the Glue to dry for 24 hours before re-inflating and use.

If your iSUP is losing pressure and you suspect a puncture, narrow down where you think this might be and cover the area in soapy water while the iSUP is inflated. You will be able to see bubbles coming out of the puncture. Be sure to mark the spot before you deflate your iSUP for repair.

WARRANTY

All YOB Inflatable iSUPs come with a 1 year warranty from date of purchase when purchased new. In order to receive a warranty you must supply a proof of purchase.

Any warranty claims must be emailed to <u>info@yobaustralia.com.au</u> with an invoice number and proof of purchase.

All accessory items are also covered under the 1 year warranty

YOB warrants your purchase to be free from defects in materials and workmanship for a period of 12 months to the original purchaser from the date of purchase.

If a product is viewed to be defective by Yu On Blue Australia, the warranty covers the repair or replacement of the defective item only. Yu On Blue Australia will not be responsible for any losses, damages or costs incurred as a result of use or loss of this product.

For further information visit our warranty page here: https://www.yobaustralia.com.au/warranty/

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