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Manufacturers of Classically Styled Vintage Bathtubs

INSTRUCTION & INSTALLATION MANUAL - AIRLINE HEATED AIR BUBBLE JETTED TUBS

Use in conjunction with Classique Clawfoot or Pedestal Tub Installation Manual

Congratulations on your purchase of a fabulous bathtub from Baths of Distinction Inc

SERIAL NUMBER		
MODEL		
DATE MANUFACTURED		
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DATE INSTALLED		

WARNING

This Instruction & Installation Manual shall be removed only by the final user, prior to using this unit.

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Classique Clawfoot & Pedestal Bathtub Installation

Warranty

Baths of Distinction Inc. offers one of the most comprehensive warranties in the industry. When you purchase one of our bathtubs, we want you to have total peace of mind. 25 Year Limited Warranty. Baths of Distinction Inc. (the "Company") extends a non-transferable limited warranty to the original purchaser (the "User") who purchases the unit for personal or single family residential use as follows; Limited TEN (10) Year warranty on the structural integrity of the inner and outer acrylic shells of the tub. Limited TWO (2) Year Parts warranty on all factory fitted components to include the pump, motor, heater and factory supplied and installed faucet and plumbing parts. Limited ONE (1) Year Labor warranty where the company shall, at its election, send a technician or locally appointed service company to repair or replace any failed factory fitted component as described above due to workmanship. Limited TWO (2) Year Parts warranty on the faucet whereby the company shall, at its election, send the user either a replacement cartridge, part or entire faucet. The Company warranties can only be transferred if purchased by a developer or builder and on receipt of prior written confirmation of such by the company. Warranty coverage commences on the date the unit was originally purchased by the user and upon receipt by the company of a completely filled out Warranty Registration Document as described herein. Warranty Exclusions and Limitations The limited warranty shall not cover, without limitation, damage from failure to install in accordance with the company's instructions, fading from exposure to direct sunlight, damage from improper handling, abuse, misuse, neglect, accident or natural disaster, damage due to improper handling, installation or subsequent movement after initial installation, alteration from original design or failure to follow company recommended maintenance and cleaning, metallic coated or plated hardware and light bulbs, defects, damage or failure caused by the common carrier, installer, user or other person, pets, or rodents. In addition, the company shall not be responsible for incidental damage or consequential damages or losses arising from any cause including but not limited to water damage to carpet, ceiling, tiles, marble, wood flooring, loss of use etc., including its own negligence. Warranty coverage is provided in the 48 Continental United States & Canada only. Exclusion of Implied Warranties Implied warranties or merchantability and fitness for a particular purpose are disclaimed altogether or to the fullest extent allowed by law. There are no warranties applicable to the bathtubs except as expressly stated herein or as implied by applicable state and federal laws. Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, or the exclusion or limitation of special, incidental or consequential damages, so these limitations and exclusions may not apply to you. This warranty gives you specific legal rights. You may also have other rights which vary from state to state.

Warranty

Responsibilities of Others

The company is not responsible for costs to modify any product to obtain any code approvals, such as city, county or state building codes in the USA.

Warranty Card Registration

In order to validate this warranty, the warranty registration card must be completely filled out and returned within 30 days from original purchase date. Warranty registrations can be completed on the internet by logging on at www.bathsofdistinction.com....Warranty Registrations Warranty Service

As well as its' own factory trained technical staff, the company maintains a list of independent service personnel to perform required warranty service repairs. Such firms are not agents or representatives of the company and cannot bind the company by words or conduct. The company will provide the warranty service described herein when the following conditions have been met: a) the failure is of a nature or type covered by the warranty b) the user has informed the company of the nature of the problem during the warranty period. c) In order to obtain warranty service, please contact Baths of Distinction through the technical help line at www.bathsofdistinction.com. All replacement parts, equipment, and repairs shall assume the remaining warranty period of the parts replaced. The company's warranty obligation shall be discharged upon tender of replacement or repair.

Safety

IMPORTANT SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

Please carefully read and follow all instructions prior to installing and using your bathtub.

- 1. DANGER: To reduce the risk of injury or drowning, do not permit children to use this unit without adult supervision.
- 2. DANGER: Do not submerge your head under the water or wash your hair in the bathtub with the jets running.
- 3. WARNING: Do not use alcohol, drugs or medication before or during the use of a bathtub.
- 4. WARNING: Do not allow appliances such as a hair dryer, lamp, radio etc. within 5 feet of this bathtub.

RISK OF ELECTRIC SHOCK.

- 5. WARNING: There is a risk of hyperthermia and possible drowning with a water temperature in excess of 38° C. This temperature may also be injurious to your health if you are suffering from certain medical conditions. Please consult your physician if you are in any doubt.
- 6. WARNING: If you suffer from headache, dizziness or nausea, get out of the bath and take a cool shower. You may be suffering from hyperthermia if the water in your bath has been too hot. If the problem persists, please consult your doctor.
- 7. WARNING: Pregnant women, people using medications or having an adverse medical history should consult a physician before using a hydro massage or hydrotherapy bath.
- 8. WARNING: Test all ground fault circuit interrupter (GFCI) switches in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions.

PLEASE RETAIN THESE INSTRUCTIONS

Technical

EVERY ASPECT OF EVERY TUB THAT LEAVES THE BATHS OF DISTINCTION FACTORY HAS BEEN FULLY TESTED BEFORE PACKING

LEVELING

Note: To ensure correct usage and enjoyment of your tub, it important to correctly level your bathtub.

- 1. Follow instructions as shown on Classique Tubs installation manual to install your tub.
- 2. Your Airline jetted tub is supplied with the feet or pedestal already attached. If you need to remove these for access through doors, please contact our technical Helpline @ 1.866.938.3880 for confirmation on instructions.
- 3. Removal of the feet or pedestal will not invalidate your warranty.

NOTE: When you receive your AIRLINE tub, your blower, connectors and Hartford Loop with all required fixing clips will be attached in a box to the base of the crate. Please check to ensure that all ordered parts are included.

- Before filling your tub with water, clean out any debris that may have gathered inside it.
- After following the electrical and plumbing instructions, activate your water valves and electricity.
- The tub shall be tested. Fill the tub with water to just above the overflow. CHECK to make sure that there are no leaks from the overflow, these will be apparent from the bottom of the tub or at the drain
- Activate the blower. Allow the jets to run for five minutes and check again for any leaks. Any leaks will be apparent from the bottom of the tub.

Operating

- 1. After filling the tub, press the Control button on the tub once and the blower will start at high speed.
- 2. Press the control button a second time and the blower will run at slow speed.
- 3. Press the control button a third time and only intermittent bubbles will appear.
- 4. Press again to de-activate the blower.
- 5. The blower has an automatic switch off after 30 minutes. It can be manually re-activated.
- 6. The blower is equipped with a heat limit cut off in the event of overheating.
- 7. The blower has an automatic purge cycle. It will activate 30 minutes after being turned off and will blow out any water left in the pipes and also dry the water pipes to avoid any bacterial build up.

Electrical & Mechanical Installation

ALL ELECTRICAL INSTALLATIONS SHOULD BE CARRIED OUT BY A QUALIFIED, LICENSED CONTRACTOR IN ACCORDANCE WITH LOCAL CODE REQUIREMENTS.

ELECTRICAL INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

WARNING: Please take basic Standard Electrical Connection precautions when using electrical products.

- a) **DANGER: Risk of Electric Shock** ONLY connect to a circuit protected by a ground fault circuit interrupter Class A. (GFCI)
- b) Grounding is required. The unit should be installed by a qualified electrician and grounded.
- c) Access for servicing should be left for the blower. Minimum access required is 10" x 10".
- d) Make sure blower has suitable air flow and is not placed next to any flammable objects.
- 1. Turn off all power supply before commencing the electrical installation
- 2. The Blower with heater is designed for use with an independent 10 amp, 120V electrical power supply, protected by a GFCI Class A. The UL Listed blower supplied is 6 amp 120V
- 3. Never use an extension wire. The electrical connection must be in accordance with local regulations.

MECHANICAL INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

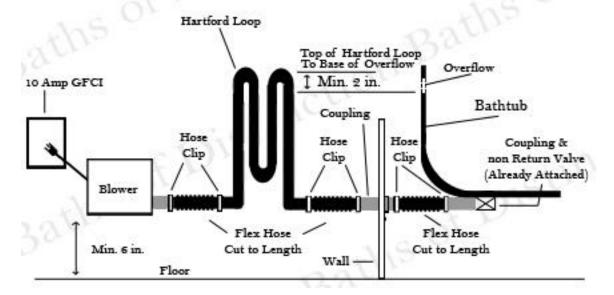
- 1. The blower should be positioned 6" above floor level.
- 2. Allow for good air flow around the blower
- 3. Do not allow the blower to be next to any flammable items.
- 4. The top of the Hartford Loop should be positioned 2" above the height of the tub overflow (this will vary depending on tub). Fix the Hartford Loop to the wall to prevent it falling over.
- 5. No PVC glue should be used on any joints. When you receive your package, you will be supplied with the necessary hose clips to assemble the blower.
- 6. Cut blue air hose to length and use hose clips supplied to connect.
- 7. At exit through wall, fir the Quick Connect coupling with the flange on the outside of the wall to protrude through the wall.
- 8. Connect the blue air hose to the inside wall part of coupling.
- 9. Connect the exterior blue air hose to the coupling and attach hose clip.
- 10. Connect other end of air hose to the Quick Connect coupling on the tub that is attached to the non-return valve.
- 11. Run red air control button hose from control switch on tub to blower. Push to attach.

Drawing of Typical Installation



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Blower Installation Diagram



What is included?

- 1 x Regular 3 electrical pin 6 amp 120v UL listed blower with hose coupling attached
- 1 x 6' length blue flexible hose + 1 x 3' length blue flexible hose
- 6 x hose clips.
- 1 x Hartford Loop
- 1 x Loose Quick Connect coupling
- 15' air control button hose
- 1 x Non-return valve attached to tub with coupling

GENERAL CARE

Warning; In order to preserve the glossy acrylic finish of your new bathtub, never use abrasive cleaners containing a scouring powder. Never use steel wool, acetone, window cleaning products, ammonia, paint thinner, mineral oil on your bathtub or fixtures or trim.

1. **Cleaning your Bathtub**; Clean your bath after each use. A soft sponge and a liquid detergent like Simple Green, Greased Lightning etc. with warm water will serve to maintain the cleanliness of your tub. Make certain that your chosen detergent is suitable for use on acrylic surfaces.