

LIFE/FLOAT™ Rescue Board

Owner's Manual

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- 1 LIFE/FLOAT™ Rescue Board
- 2 Foot/Arm Pump
- 3 Storage Pouch
- 4 Orange/Reflective Signals
- 5 Deck Handles
- 6 Mesh Bag, Patch Kit
- 7 Tow Rope (Rope Floats)
- 8 Side Handles
- 9 Overpressure Valve
- 10 Inflation/Deflation Valve
- 11 Attachment Ring
- 12 Tow Ring (opposite side, see photo below)
- 13 Fins (opposite side, see photo below)

Operational Procedures

1) Remove LIFE/FLOAT™ from Bag

Open carry case and remove LIFE/FLOAT™ Rescue Board assembly.



2) Remove Latch from Pump

Remove black clip secured to pump to release pump baffle mechanism and twist pump tube into fitting on board to provide seal.



3) Pump Up using Feet or Against Chest with Arms

Depress pump using feet against ground or boat hull repeatedly until unit is inflated. Note that the overpressure valve will release air when the unit is fully inflated. If necessary, the unit can be inflated by wrapping arms around the pump and setting against your chest and repeatedly depressing pump until unit is inflated.



4) Get on Top/Paddle

Pull your body on top of unit using deck straps or side straps for assistance. Align your body in the middle of the board facing toward the front of the board. Paddle using arms if necessary. Multiple survivors can also lie on unit or simply hold onto unit for floatation purposes until help arrives.



5) Attach Tow Rope as needed

Clip the Tow Rope to rescue vehicle or other object as necessary.



6) Signal for Help

Use hand signals (shown) or optional RescueStreamer (www.RescueStreamer.com) to signal search vehicles from 1500 feet and over 1 mile away.



7) Utilize Reflectors

Face LIFE/FLOAT™ Rescue Board toward search lights to maximize reflective signaling during nighttime hours.



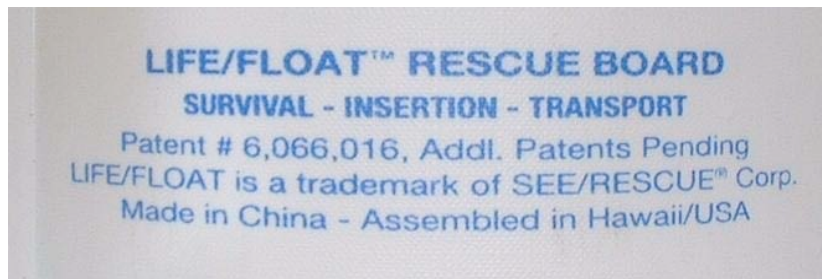
8) Deflate for Storage

Remove pump fitting and/or valve top and depress valve stem (yellow top) and rotate clockwise while pressing down, resulting in the valve stem in lower position (open valve). To re-inflate, push valve stem and rotate counter-clockwise until valve stem pops up for inflation. Note that in the valve stem “up” position, air can be pumped into the unit and the pump valve can be removed without losing any air pressure.



9) Maintenance

Stow unit in a cool/dry place out of the sun. After use, rinse thoroughly with fresh water, dry, fold and place in Storage Pouch. Re-stow unit in a cool/dry place out of the sun. Repair kit is included and contains patching material and adhesive, in case LIFE/FLOAT™ gets cut or punctured.



WARNINGS:

For Emergency Use Only

Do Not Attach to Boat (or other sinkable object)

Give Leeway to Power Vessels.

**Repair Kit: Perform all or your repairs in a well-ventilated area.
Avoid Inhaling glue vapors or swallowing.
Avoid contact with the skin or eyes.
Keep all repair materials (glue/solvents, etc.) from children's reach**

Accessories:

RescueStreamer® (available at www.RescueStreamer.com)
(visible from 1500' and 1+ mile away, no batteries, chemicals or electronics.)

Inflation Options: Auto-Inflate, Compressed Gas, and Scuba Tank fittings.
(Inquire directly)

Standard LIFE/FLOAT™ Survival Kit:

Hat, Light Wetsuit Top, Knife, Light, Signal Mirror, Whistle, Fishing Kit

Deluxe LIFE/FLOAT™ Survival Kits:

*available - customized by need