

# \*\*Winterizing 101

## Complements of Campout-RV

### ❖ **DUMP**


- Black Tank at a dumping station prior to starting. (Waste Water)

### ❖ **DRAIN**



- Grey Water Tank, (and or Galley if equipped)
- Hot Water Tank (exit plug may be under pressure)
- Fresh Water Tank
- Open Low point drains (if equipped) Hot and Cold will exist.

○ (IF EQUIPPED)

- Water filter  drain and remove filter, re-install canister

### ❖ **OPEN**

- OPTIONAL- open Taps inside trailer to allow gravity feed of water out the low point drains, close taps when water stops flowing out bottom of low point trailer.

### ❖ **BY-PASS**

- Water heater in by-pass



By-Pass -- [Campout-RV can help, and ask for Water Heater By-Pass Kit # 27912](#)



Check your Anode Rod, if its eaten away replace it, [Campout carries all sizes.](#)

### ❖ **PRESSURIZE**



- Hook up pressure (air compressor to your city water system )
- [Use RV Blow out plug on city water system # C36103](#)
- [Use Pressure Regulator # 656-1](#)



[RV blow out plug, or pressure regulator , Campout-RV can help](#)

NOTE: water pressure on most units do not exceed 40—45 PSI of pressure if you use direct pressure to your unit from an air compressor that is not regulated you may exceed the pressure limits and blow lines out, causing extreme damage to your water system. By using the recommended Pressure regulator, you do not exceed recommended pressures.

### ❖ **TURN VALVES**



- Go to each water station in your trailer and open the tap(s) until air comes out of each area.
- Flush toilet until air comes out of valve area as well.
- Flush bathroom taps and shower.
- Outdoor Shower's need draining too if you are equipped with one.

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### ❖ **REMOVE**

- Air systems from city water hook up

### ❖ **HOOK UP**

- Your Siphon to your 12v pump



Siphon Kit Campout-RV can help, and ask for # 27910

### ❖ **PUMP**



Anti-Freeze Campout-RV can help, and ask for # C30770



- Use your 12v pump to pump in Anti-Freeze, go around again to each station and open tap(S) until pink comes out.
- Flush your bathroom taps and shower.
- Flush your toilet again until Pink comes out
- Flush your Outdoor shower if equipped until pink comes out.

Turn your 12v pump off, tuck your siphon kit away, and turn your by-pass for your siphon kit back to your fresh water by-pass.

### ❖ **POUR**

- 1 – 2 Cups of anti-freeze down the sink drains, shower drains, and toilet.

Pouring 1-2 cups of anti-freeze down the sink/shower and toilet drain system ensure that trap water has anti-freeze strength to it and will not freeze. Remember traps are not blown out with air, and some water remains until diluted with anti-freeze.

### ❖ **BY-PASS**

- Place water heater by-pass back to original position

This does two things, allows anti-freeze to mix with any remaining trapped water in the hollow of the bottom of the tank unit winterizing it. As well when you flush your water system in the spring the Hot water system will flush out, and be ready for heating.



You don't want to run your hot water heater on without water in it. Severe damage resulting in element failure will result by heating a water heater without water in it.

### **WIPE IT**

- Ensure you take either a paper towel or rag and wipe the excess "pink" away from your sinks, bathtub etc. It may leave a mild stain if you don't wipe it.

Questions about winterizing, contact our service department.

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## ❖ Consider These Extras for your Trailers Security and Storage



- Add Mouse bait as a precaution to end your winterize process



- Secure your Trailer with hitch locks both for Travel trailers and 5<sup>th</sup> Wheels

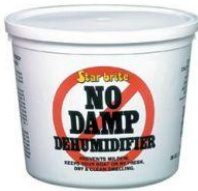


- Cover up your Air Conditioning system from the elements of weather.



- Vented Covers for your Sewer System

- Unit Covers



- Chemical Dehumidifier

### **Be Sure to remove your battery and place it on a non-cement surface.**

In the "off season" the batteries should be fully charged, and stored in an unheated covered area. Check the batteries during the "off Season" at thirty - day intervals, recharge and disconnect charger after charging. A trickle charge is generally the best.

### **Close Your Propane Valves.**

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