Food and Drink

Preparing and enjoying meals

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Food Storage

1. Non Perishable Food



We suggest the cupboards opposite the kitchen

2. Bottles



We suggest wine and beers under the cab passenger seats or rear passenger seats if not using child seats



3. Coffee / Tea



We suggest using the cupboard above the table

4. Fresh Food



Use the fridge under the sink

Fridge

1. Opening



Squeeze the handle on both sides to unlock and then pull forward to open.

Make sure the child harness is out of the way first.

2. Vent Control



Ensure that the vent control is set to closed when the fridge is on. This is opened when we are not using the fridge.

3. Closing

Push the door close after checking that all the shelves are closed



4. Temperature



The setting is on the inside left of the door. The lowest setting is enough when it has been running for a while. You can adjust to cool quicker but put back to the lowest setting afterwards to avoid draining the battery.

Taps

1. Pre-checks

Ensure the tap is off, the sink cover is off and the tap faces the sink. Also that the waste tank is connected up.

2. Switching on and off



Open the cupboard next to the fridge. Flick the switch on the right hand side and you will hear the pump activate

3. Using the tap

The lever for the tap is just on and off, it doesn't change the water temperature

4. Sink cover



For more worktop space use the sink cover and rotate the tap out the way

5. **Empty Tank**

If the pump just makes noise and no water comes through the tank needs refilling



1. Identification

There are two tanks one marked for 'Water' and one for 'Waste'. Only use the 'Water' tank for clean water and the 'Waste' for the used water

2. Location

In the cupboard beneath the hob

3. Filling Up

To fill up do the following, we suggest when you filling up you should also empty the waste tank so there is no chance of it overflowing

1. To fill up loosen the yellow clip holding the tanks in place



- 2. Gently shake the hoses inside the tanks to avoid water spilling out
- 3. Then remove the pump and waste hoses from the top of the tanks and lean them upwards to once side



- 4. Take the tanks out of the cupboard and go empty and fill at a suitable location
- 5. Only fill up the water tank about 2/3rd so that it does not overflow when driving and while putting
- 6. the water tanks back in place
- 7. Put the tanks back into their locations
- 8. Ensure the two hoses are back in the correct locations



- 9. Reattach the yellow clips
- 10. We also use a sponge around the top of the fresh water tank to avoid it spilling while driving



1. Gas Kettle



A gas heated kettle is available in the cupboards above the sink

2. Electric Kettle



A small electric kettle that can be used on hookup.

Only use this kettle on the power outlets on the side of the kitchen behind the passenger seats since this comes from the the hookup power and not the leisure battery

Preparing Food

1. **Bin**



The bin is on the back of the door under the hob. Please empty regularly so it does not spill over.

2. Additional Workspace



In the cupboard under the hob there is a pull out worktop for additional space

Cooking on the Hob

1. Utensils



2. Enabling the Gas

To use the hob the gas needs to be turned on

1. The gas cylinder is located in the left hand side of the boot



2. There is a key to unlock the gas safety box on the van keychain



3. Unlock the gas safety box, open the door and turn the valve clockwise to open.



4. Once finished close and lock the gas safety box Please turn off the gas before moving the van and driving to be as safe as possible

3. Using the Hob

 When the gas is turned on, hold down and turn one of the hob knobs and ignite the gas with the lighter provided



- 2. The hob is powerful so you will want to start with the minimum setting to avoid burning anything
- 3. The cork heat mats are under the sink to be used for any hot pans on the worktop or tables

4. Ventilation

It is a good idea to open one of the bed vent windows and then set ceiling fan above the table to extract mode. This will draw air up and out the roof and help avoid the van smelling like your dinner all night

5. Fire Extinguisher

In case of a fire, use the fire extinguisher located in the cupboard above the cab

Washing Up

1. Campsite Facilities

We advise using campsite facilities to do your main meal washing up as there is more space and the van only has a small waste tank

2. Sink

Tea towels, washing liquid and kitchen spray can be found in the kitchen cupboard to wash small things in the sink

Changing the gas

1. Check the gas level



You can check the gas level on the side of the bottle. Run your finger down the strip and it will change colour to indicate the gas level

2. Exchange at campsite store

If you need to change the gas you will need to visit a campsite store or other camping shop where they will exchange the bottle for a filled one



3. Removing the bottle



The gas bottle can be removed by loosening the black strap and then tilting the bottle to remove it bottom first

You may have to pass some of the orange gas cable into the safely box to allow it to exit.

When putting the gas bottle back you will need to gently pull the orange case cable through to give space for the bottle

4. Taking the bottle off



There is a big silver bolt that needs unscrewing to release the gas valve from the bottle

A adjustable spanner is included to do this, please put the spanner back next to the gas bottle after use.

