

T@B Trailer Walk-Through List

Towing/Trailer Frame

- ☐ Demonstrate connecting/disconnecting the T@B to/from your Tow Vehicle (hitch and 7 wire plug).
- ☐ Test for proper trailer harness grounding. (This can avoid blowing out the solid state tail-light converters used for wiring up some tow vehicles.) Prior to turning on tow vehicle lights, connect trailer wire harness to the 7-wire plug WITHOUT touching trailer frame to the tow vehicle's hitch. Then turn on vehicle headlights and check that trailer lights come on to make sure trailer wiring is properly grounded and all the trailer's exterior travel lights work properly (if lights don't come on, grounding wire on trailer needs to be checked). Test brake lights and turn signals.
- ☐ Check trailer hitch/receiver/ball size
- ☐ Connect and latch trailer to hitch; confirm hitched trailer is level
- ☐ Check tires and tire lug nuts
- ☐ Identify location of spare trailer tire; explain how to remove spare from holder
- ☐ Crawl underneath trailer and look at the frame for anything that looks odd or loose
- ☐ Be sure stabilizer adjustment wrench is included in trailer
- ☐ Explain and test operation of stabilizers; insure they extend and retract properly
- ☐ Explain trailer leveling procedures
- ☐ Raise and lower the front trailer wheel; remove wheel prior to towing
- ☐ Adjust/test brake controller and brake operation before towing

Exterior

- ☐ Look for scratches, dents, imperfections in exterior shell
- ☐ Look at roof and roof vent
- ☐ Check that all exterior covers (electric, water fill, television cable port) open and close properly and vent covers are in place
- ☐ Close windows and door and look for light coming in from seams (where roof meets sides, where floor meets sides, wheel wells, etc.)
- ☐ Make sure external table bracket is in place (if applicable)

Interior

- ☐ Open and shut every drawer, cabinet, and storage space
- ☐ Look over trim fit and screws
- ☐ Check door/hatch locks and latches
- ☐ Inspect cushions for bad sewing, rips, stains, etc.
- ☐ Demonstrate setting up and putting away bed; make sure bed slats are in trailer

Windows/Doors

- ☐ Open/close all windows and doors
- ☐ Check window and door latches and window retaining nuts
- ☐ Raise and lower shades and screens
- ☐ Inspect shades and screens for holes, rips, or stains
- ☐ Test door locks and keys
- ☐ Demonstrate setting up/putting away the entrance step

Electrical

- ☐ Connecting/Disconnecting Shore power
- ☐ Disconnecting/Reconnecting battery; Battery disconnect switch
- ☐ Show location of battery fuse
- ☐ Describe battery maintenance needs
- ☐ Check whether tow vehicle is charging the battery
- ☐ Locate/explain converter, circuit breaker, and fuses
- ☐ Test all plugs (110, 12V, and USB) (a small circuit tester works great for this)
- ☐ Test GFCI Operation (some circuit testers also have a GFCI circuit button)
- ☐ Turn on and off all lights (interior and exterior)
- ☐ Run overhead fan in both directions and at all speeds
- ☐ Demonstrate/explain monitor panel for fresh water, black water, gray water, and battery

Plumbing/Sanitation

- ☐ Demonstrate/explain how to fill fresh water tank
- ☐ Demonstrate/explain how to connect external water source
- ☐ Check whether potable water hose is included with trailer
- ☐ Check whether water pressure regulator is included with trailer
- ☐ Demonstrate/explain operation of water pump and make sure it is working correctly
- ☐ Demonstrate/explain monitoring panel for fresh water, black water, and gray water tanks
- ☐ Run water through sink and shower using both water in the tank and external water source
- ☐ Flush the toilet
- ☐ Identify in-line water filter and explain how to clean it
- ☐ Demonstrate draining the clean water tank
- ☐ Demonstrate draining and rinsing the gray and black water tanks (attaching hose, etc.)
- ☐ Check whether sewer drain hose is included with the trailer

Heating/Cooling (Alde System and A/C)

- ☐ Demonstrate operation of the Alde system using shore power and LP
- ☐ Demonstrate/explain Alde system control panel
- ☐ Locate fuses for the Alde System
- ☐ Test the A/C and fan at all speeds
- ☐ Explain how to change A/C filter
- ☐ Explain how to make hot water adjustments
- ☐ Locate Alde glycol tank and explain maintenance

Refrigerator/Stove

- ☐ Run the fridge on LP, shore power, and battery
- ☐ Light the stove
- ☐ Explain disconnecting/connecting/removing/filling the LP tank

Entertainment Systems

- ☐ Demonstrate powering up and operating the radio and the TV
- ☐ Test speakers
- ☐ Get sound through the Jensen speakers from the TV
- ☐ Test TV

Winterizing and Dewinterizing

- ☐ Explain procedures
- ☐ Describe how to blow out water lines
- ☐ Explain how to add antifreeze to plumbing, drains/tanks
- ☐ Explain how to set valves for Alde tank during winterizing procedures

Maintenance Requirements

- ☐ Identify suggested maintenance schedule
- ☐ General cleaning suggestions?
- ☐ Any additional maintenance tips?

Paperwork

- ☐ Manuals for trailer and equipment
- ☐ Title
- ☐ License plate (or temporary tag)