



## Instructions for using a hot tub

**NEVER LIGHT A FIRE IN THE STOVE OF AN EMPTY OR PARTIALLY FILLED TUB! THIS WILL CAUSE THE STOVE TO MELT.** The tub must be sufficiently filled before heating. Always check the amount of water in the tub before lighting a fire in the stove. The recommended water level in the tub is approx. 10–20 cm above the water pipe opening. However, the number of people using the tub should be taken into account when filling it. If there is too much water in the tub, it will spill over and slow the heating of the water.

**ALWAYS LIGHT A FIRE SAFELY.** Never use inappropriate tools or materials when lighting a fire in a hot tub stove. Firelighters, etc. may be used.

**HEAT THE WATER UP TO A SAFE TEMPERATURE.** A good water temperature in a hot tub is 35–37 degrees Celsius, as temperatures higher than this may feel uncomfortable. To ensure a pleasant bathing experience, under no circumstances should the water in the tub be heated to a temperature higher than 40 degrees Celsius.

**TAKE NOTE OF THE TIME IT TAKES TO HEAT THE WATER.** It normally takes approx. 3–4 hours to heat the water in a hot tub. However, the heating time may vary depending on whether the tub's lid is on, how dry the firewood is and what the starting temperature of the water is. Upon entering the tub, mix the water in the tub to allow the cooler water at the bottom to mix into the warmer water near the surface.

**SHOWER BEFORE ENTERING THE HOT TUB.** Showering before entering the hot tub ensures that the water in the tub remains clean and odourless. Please shower between coming out of the sauna and entering the hot tub.

**BE CAREFUL WHEN STEPPING IN AND OUT OF THE TUB.** The area surrounding the hot tub may be slippery, especially in the winter, when the water that has spilled out of the tub freezes. Pay particular attention to children getting in and out of the tub!

**DO NOT DRAIN THE TUB UNTIL THE FIRE IN THE STOVE IS COMPLETELY OUT.** The stove must never be hot when the tub is empty, as this will cause the stove to melt! Take particular care while draining the tub in the winter, as the water in the tub must not be allowed to freeze. Only drain the water into a location that is suitable/indicated by the owner!

**WASH THE TUB AFTER USE AND EMPTY OUT THE ASHTRAY.** Be careful not to spill any drinks into the hot tub. Empty and clean out the ashtray every time after use to keep it tidy.