

# INSTALLATION & USER INSTRUCTIONS

## ELECTRIC FIRE

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### MODELS COVERED BY THESE INSTRUCTIONS

BLENHEIM ELECTRIC FIRE	F500113
LULWORTH ELECTRIC FIRE	F500011
ELEGANCE ELECTRIC FIRE	F500306
TRADITIONAL ELECTRIC FIRE	F500346



LULWORTH



ELEGANCE



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**All instructions must be handed to the user for safekeeping.**

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## 1.0 IMPORTANT NOTES

- **DO NOT** use this appliance immediately below a fixed socket outlet.
- **DO NOT** use this appliance in the immediate vicinity of a bath, shower, swimming pool or other area where water/moisture could present a hazard.
- **WARNING:** This heater is not equipped with a device to control the room temperature. Do not use this heater in small rooms when they are occupied by persons not capable of leaving the room on their own, unless constant supervision is provided.
- **CAUTION:** This appliance must not be used in conjunction with any timer, programmer or thermal control, or any other device that will switch on the appliance automatically, as a fire risk may occur if the heater is accidentally covered or displaced.
- Do not allow the heater to be covered as this may cause overheating. The appliance must not be placed near curtains or similar material. A clearance space of at least one metre should be allowed in front of the appliance.
- The electrical socket that the appliance uses **MUST** be easily accessible. Do not route the supply cord directly in front of the heater unit.
- If the cord is damaged, it must be replaced by a service agent or competent person.
- This appliance is not intended for use by persons (including children) with reduced physical, sensory or mental capabilities, or lack of experience and knowledge, unless they have been given supervision or instruction concerning use of the appliance by a person responsible for their safety.
- Children should be supervised to ensure that they do not play with the appliance.

## 2.0 INSTALLATION REQUIREMENTS

It is necessary for a suitable electrical socket to be located within a distance of 1.8 metres of the appliance in order that the prewired three pin plug (13 amp fuse rated) can reach this point. The appliance is suitable for installation into all proprietary surrounds with an opening of 416mm by 559mm (16" by 22"). The appliance is supplied fitted with 2 spacer frames enabling it to be fitted with no need for a recess into a wall or surround back panel if both spacers are left attached to the fire. If the rear spacer only is removed then the mounting depth of the fire is 70mm. Alternatively the appliance can be fully recessed if the opening depth is 120mm or greater both spacers are removed. It may be installed directly into any proprietary surround which can house this size of rebate, without the need to recess the appliance into a wall opening or fabricate a false chimney breast. This appliance should be positioned on a firm level surface and in a clean 'dust free' environment. If the fire is to be sited in a fire surround then the suitability of the surround for use with electrical heaters should be established with the fire surround manufacturer.

## 3.0 APPLIANCE DATA

Supply Voltage:	230/240V AC, 50Hz	Fuse Rating:	13 Amp
Heating Elements:	2 x 900W/2 x 1000W	Lighting:	Lulworth models : 1 x 60W "BC" bulb All other models : 1 x 42W "BC" halogen lamp

If fitted into an open draught fireplace, it is advisable to blank off the chimney to reduce the risk of draught through the fire, which may cause the safety cut out system in the fan heater to operate.

## 4.0 UNPACKING THE APPLIANCE

Read **all** the instructions before continuing to unpack or install this appliance. Carefully remove the appliance from its packaging and lay on the floor with its back surface downward. Note: **DO NOT** stand the appliance on its frame as this may cause distortion. Check that the remaining packaging contents correlate with the component checklist below. Please dispose of all packaging with care at your local recycling centre.

## 5.0 COMPONENT CHECKLIST

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION
1	Heater main body
1	Decorative fireframe (Blenheim, Traditional and Elegance models)
1	Fire front casting with ashpan door (Blenheim, Traditional and Elegance models)
1	Decorative fireframe + integral front (Lulworth models only)
1	Orange coloured moulded fuel bed (Blenheim, Traditional and Elegance models)
1	White coloured moulded fuel bed (Lulworth models only)
1	Bag of overlay pebbles (Lulworth models only)
1	User instruction booklet
3	Neoprene securing strips

## 6.0 INSTALLING THE APPLIANCE

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### CAUTION: DO NOT CONNECT THE APPLIANCE TO THE ELECTRICAL SUPPLY AT THIS TIME

To ensure the appliance is positively located into position, it is necessary to secure it in place using the double-sided neoprene strips included in the instruction pack.

Peel off the adhesive backing from one side of each strip and apply to the periphery of the REAR of the appliance frame, as shown in figure 1. Ensure that the strips are not applied any closer than 5mm (1/4") from the edge of the frame, attaching the strips closer may present problems when fitting the decorative trim. Tear off any excess lengths of strip to form a neat border around the frame. Before finally fitting the appliance into its location, remove the remaining strips of adhesive backing, ensure that the mains cable and plug are properly routed, locate the fire into the opening and press firmly around the edge of the frame to allow the strips to adhere to the back panel of the surround.

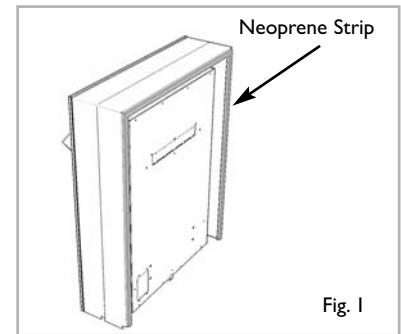


Fig. 1

## 7.0 FITTING THE DECORATIVE FRAME AND FRONT

The appliance may be supplied with a decorative frame in a variety of finishes.

**IMPORTANT :** Due to the possibility of sharp edges, care should be taken when handling the frame components. The use of protective gloves is recommended.

**Blenheim, Traditional and Elegance models :** If not pre-fitted, the clip-on frame pieces should be hooked over the outer edges of the fire-frame, and pushed firmly home. The sides should be fixed first, followed by the top bar, which overlaps the sides. Push firmly home. A plastic protective film may be applied to the outside of the frame and should be removed at this stage. Place the firefront ashpan centrally below the bars. The firefront and ashpan are free-standing.

**Lulworth models :** Remove the protective film from the frame, bars and ashpan and place the frame on a flat surface. Slide each bar on to the tags on one leg of the frame. Lift the other leg until the bars meet with the tags on this leg. **Do not bend the bars.** Slide the bars carefully on to the tags. Screw the handle on to the ashpan. Attach the frame to the appliance using the four magnetic pieces provided, on to each corner of the appliance frame. Place the ashpan centrally below the bars.

## 7.1 FUEL BED (LULWORTH MODELS ONLY)

Remove the loose pebbles from their packaging. Position the pebbles onto the white fuel bed shelf and down behind the frame bars, so as to create a realistic effect. The pebbles should not be placed over the holes in the fuel bed, which are below the curved panel. These should be left at least partially un-obscured, so that the effect can be seen on the rear panel.

## 8.0 OPERATING THE FIRE

Check that the fan outlet is not covered or obstructed in any way and ensure the power to the fire is switched on.

The appliance is controlled using four switches, mounted under the lift up hood. The left switch (●I) controls the main power to the fire and switches on the fuel effect, which can be used independently of heat for visual effect only. The second switch (\*) operates the fan blower without heat, which can be used in the summer for cool air circulation. The switch marked with a single bar (I) operates the fan heater on the LOW setting. The switch marked with two bars (II) operates the fan heater on the HIGH setting.

To operate the fire, the left switch must be turned on first, followed by the second switch to start the blower, if required. To obtain heat from the appliance, the I switch must then be operated for LOW of heat, followed by the II switch for the HIGH setting. It is not possible to obtain heat from the appliance without first switching on the main power switch (●I) and the fan blower switch (\*) in conjunction with either the LOW (I) or both the LOW and HIGH (II) switches.

## 9.0 SAFETY CUT-OUT SYSTEM

This appliance has a safety cutout system fitted, which will activate if the air inlets or outlets are obstructed. For safety reasons the fire will NOT switch on again automatically, the following procedure must be carried out before the fire can be operated.

NOTE: The visual effect will remain operational if the cutout is activated; only the fan heater is prevented from working.

Switch OFF the appliance at the wall socket or outlet. Leave the fire OFF for a period of no less than 10 minutes, ensuring all obstructions are removed. Switch the appliance ON at the wall. Ensure the appliance is turned ON at the control switches. If the fire fails to operate correctly, repeat the above procedure.

If an attempt to switch on the appliance is made before the safety cutout has reset, the appliance may cutout for a further period of time. If the sequence has been followed correctly and the appliance still fails to function, check the fuse in the wall outlet. If this is not the cause, call an electrician or maintenance engineer.

### **Always Disconnect The Appliance From The Mains Supply Before Undertaking Any Maintenance.**

Excluding lamps and fuses, use only genuine spare parts available from your supplier. Replacement lamps must be of the same wattage and specification as those stated in Section 3.0 Appliance Data.

#### **Replacing the lamp.**

The fuel effect lamp can be replaced by firstly placing the fire front to one side and then by following the steps described.

1. Disconnect the appliance from the mains.
2. **Blenheim, Traditional & Elegance models :** Withdraw the fuel bed by pulling it gently towards you.  
**Lulworth models :** Remove the fuel bed by removing the frame, pebbles and removing the screw attaching the fuelbed to the appliance 'shelf'.
3. Remove the lamp. Note that the lamp has a conventional B22 bayonet fitting. Replace with a new lamp.
4. Refit the fuel bed.
5. Replace the fire front.

## 11.0 CLEANING

There is no specific requirement for care of the fire other than a regular cleaning of the general appliance.

DO NOT use abrasive cleaners as they can damage the finish. Brass and silver parts of the fire may be cleaned using a appropriate metal polishes.

**Lulworth models :** Stainless steel areas may be cleaned using a soft damp cloth or a stainless steel cleaner. *IMPORTANT* - Always clean in the direction of the grain and never across it, as this will scratch the surface. It is recommended that a small, inconspicuous area is attempted before cleaning the entire stainless steel area - to ensure the cleaning material is suitable. Be careful when removing the frame as the loose pebbles may become dislodged.

The area around the fire should be kept free of dust, lint, animal hair and other extraneous material that be drawn in to the workings of appliance and could affect its performance.

## 12.0 SPARES

Refer to Section 3.0 Appliance Data for lamp and fuse specification. Excluding lamps and fuses, use only genuine manufacturers spare parts available from your supplier.



Waste electrical products should not be disposed of with household waste. Please recycle where facilities exist. Check with your local authority or retailer for recycling advice. As our policy is one of continuous improvement and development, we therefore hope that you will understand we must retain the right to amend details and/or specifications without prior notice.