

Camping Checklist - Trailer De-winterization

Sanitize | water system

- Assure water heater is off
- Assure water heater bypass valves set to bypass
- Level the trailer
- Drain the water system (see below)
- Close low point drain valves and fresh water tank drain valve
- Prepare chlorine solution
 - ▶ ¼ cup bleach to 1 gallon water per 15 gallon tank capacity
 - ▶ 42 gallon fresh water tank ∴ 3 gallons needed
- Pour chlorine solution into the gravity feed with a funnel
- Fill tank with fresh water
- Turn on the water pump
- Open all hot water faucets until chlorine is smelled
 - ▶ Kitchen
 - ▶ Bathroom
 - ▶ Shower
 - ▶ Outside shower
- Close all hot water faucets
- Open all cold water faucets until chlorine is smelled
 - ▶ Kitchen
 - ▶ Bathroom
 - ▶ Shower
 - ▶ Toilet
 - ▶ Outside shower
- Close all cold water faucets
- Turn off the water pump
- Let water sit in system for at least 4 hours
- Drain the fresh water system (see below)

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Drain | water system

- Turn off the water heater
- Open all faucets including the outside shower
- Open the fresh tank drain valve
- Open the low point drains
- Turn on the water pump and run until dry
- Set the water heater to bypass
- Operate the toilet valve until the water stops flowing
- Relieve water pressure on water heater
- Remove water heater drain plug (15/16")

Rinse | water system

- Assure the water heater is off
- Close all drain valves
- Fill the fresh water tank
- Turn on the water pump to fill the lines
- Run water through all faucets until chlorine smell is gone
 - ▶ Kitchen hot and cold
 - ▶ Bathroom hot and cold
 - ▶ Shower hot and cold
 - ▶ Outside shower hot and cold
- Turn all faucets off
- Turn water pump off
- Drain the system (see above)
- Close all faucets and valves
- Set the water heater bypass to normal
- Replace the water heater drain plug (15/16")
- Refill the fresh water tank

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Winterize | exterior

- Assure that the awning is clean and dry
- Remove tire covers

Winterize | Electrical and interior

- Install battery from basement
- Connect to shore power
- Install new smoke detector battery
- Open all drapes
- Restock from indoor storage
- Restock all fluids (use replacement list for purchases)
- Move textiles back into trailer
- Assure the refrigerator is clean and doors are in storage position