## **Popcorn Machine Operation Instructions**



Thank you for renting a popcorn machine Pat's Party Rentals. Please follow the directions below for to make delicious popcorn for your event. If you have any questions or problems please do not hesitate to contact us. We hope you enjoy your popcorn and have lots of fun!!

## **Important Precautions:**

- 1. Machine needs to be plugged into a 110-volt dedicated circuit to operate properly.
- 2. Always have the kettle motor switch OFF when not popping corn.
- 3. The kettle will get very hot! USE CAUTION ALWAYS.
- 4. Water must **NEVER** be put on the popping kettle.

## **Operating Machine:**

- 1. Plug in machine.
- 2. Push kettle lid up to the top of cabinet where a magnet will hold it in place.
- 3. Turn HEAT and LIGHT switch to ON (Wait 3-4 minutes for kettle to heat up).
- 4. When ready to add oil and popcorn, turn KETTLE MOTOR switch ON to start the motor.
- 5. Open the oil pouch and pour into the kettle.
- 6. Immediately add the popcorn. (DO NOT OVERFILL: only pop one popcorn pack at a time.)
  7. Pull the kettle lid downward from the top of the cabinet to cover the kettle.
  DO NOT FORGET TO COVER THE KETTLE OR THE OIL AND POPCORN WILL IMMEDIATELY SPRAY OUT ALL OVER THE SIDES OF THE MACHINE.
- 8. While the corn is popping open the Plexiglas doors slightly to prevent fogging.
- Popcorn will pop quickly, and when the popping ceases, TURN BOTH THE KETTLE HEAT AND MOTOR SWITCH OFF.
- 10. Lift the kettle lid until it attaches to the magnet on top of machine. Dump popped corn by releasing the kettle, rotating the black handle clockwise and pulling downward.
- 11. Put the kettle back in place using the black handle to hook the kettle to the holding bolt. USE CAUTION THE KETTLE IS VERY HOT!
- 13. Repeat steps 2-12 for additional batches. Each dual pack of popcorn and oil makes about 8 2-cup servings.
- 14. If you are making 5 batches continuously, after 5 batches allow the kettle to cool down before making more popcorn.
- 15. Remember to turn **HEATING LIGHT SWITCH** to **ON** in order to keep your popcorn warm.