### CLUB**CANNON**°





## **HANDHELD MKII** User Manual



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### HANDHELD MKII INTRO

Congratulations on your purchase of the Handheld MKII. This manual will provide an overview of the Handheld MKII's functions, capabilities, and instructions for proper operation. It is important to review this manual thoroughly prior to use to ensure safe operation.

If you have questions outside the scope of this manual, feel free to contact us directly.

#### **OVERVIEW**

The Club Cannon Handheld MKII is a handheld CO2 Cannon that produces 20-30FT plumes of ice cold fog, using liquid CO2. It is great for DJ's, Touring acts, performers, nightclubs, DJ booths, sporting events, field entrances, theatre productions, weddings, special events and more.

The Club Cannon is built right here in the USA, using the highest quality components. The barrel is machined from aerospace grade aluminum, equipped with a built in silencer, reducing the output noise dramatically. During the tests we conducted, our silencer makes the output up to 30dB quieter than similar products on the market.

This product includes a high pressure CO2 hose, which is equipped with a swivel fitting to ensure no tangling of the hose. The length of hose can be upgraded to suit your needs. The quick connect fitting allows you to detach the hose when not in use, which is extremely convenient. Our hoses are built specifically to handle the high pressure and low temperature of liquid CO2.

The standard 8 foot hose is perfect for DJ booths, or any situation where the operator does not need to travel very far away from the tank. The 15 foot hose is great for operators who need to be mobile, moving across a stage, dance floor, etc.

### FEATURES

- Up to 30' Output
- Ventilated Barrel
- Integrated Muffler
- Quick Connect Input

- Various Hoses
- Stability Handle
- Travel Case (optional) Made in USA



Necessary precautions should be taken when using FX products to ensure the safety of the operator, crew, and audience.

Do not operate this product, or any special effects product without proper knowledge and training. Never operate Special Effects Equipment under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

## INCLUDED ITEMS

The following items are included with the purchase of each Handheld MKII. If you need replacement items, contact Club Cannon, 888-804-8175 / info@clubcannon.com.



HANDHELD MKII CO2 Cannon **CO2 HOSE** CGA-320 x Quick Connect ACCESSORIES CO2 Washers & Tool

#### **INCLUDED WARRANTY**

The Handheld MKII includes a 1 year parts & labor warranty against manufacturer defects. Warranty does not cover damage caused by accident, misuse, abuse, alteration, improper handling or unauthorized repair.

#### To make a warranty claim, contact Club Cannon directly.



This product should only be used by trained and qualified persons.

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Do not operate this product, or any special effects product without proper knowledge and training. Never operate Special Effects Equipment under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

Club Cannon, LLC accepts no liability or responsibility for misuse or abuse of this product.

## SAFETY GUIDE



#### **GENERAL SAFETY PRECAUTIONS**

To ensure safe operation, user must follow instructions closely. Necessary protocols should be followed when handling and operating Special Effects Equipment and their respective consumables.

- Never place objects of any kind inside barrels.
- Never aim or fire the products at any person or living thing.
- This product is meant to be used only in well-ventilated areas.
- Products should always be aimed overhead the audience, preventing direct contact with living things.

#### When using the products, always follow the safety radius displayed in this manual.

Once the product is attached to the  $CO_2$  tanks and the tanks are turned on, the product, hoses and fittings will be under high pressure. Do not disconnect any fittings or hoses until the tank has been turned off, and the remaining gas has been cleared through the product, depleting all pressure in the system. If a leak is detected, cease use of the product immediately. Never stand directly over or in front of the unit while under pressure. If you are under 18, you should not be using this product. Never operate special effects equipment under the influence of drugs or alcohol.

#### **PREVENTING SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH**

• CO2 Special Effects are to only to be used in well ventilated areas. Failure to do so may result in oxygen displacement.

• Maintain a safe distance between Special Effects Products and audience, crew & event staff. Refer to the safety radius outlined in this manual.

- Never aim Special Effects Products directly at any person or living thing.
- Always fasten tanks to avoid tipping, rocking, or being tampered with.
- When feasible, keep tanks out of direct sunlight.
- Check with officials in local jurisdiction for any permit requirements before operating Special Effects.



Carbon dioxide is known as an asphyxiant gas. Carbon dioxide poisoning has been linked to various health issues, including central nervous system damage, permanent deterioration of respiratory functions, suffocation or even death. If you have any health concerns that may be related to the Product's use of carbon dioxide, consult your doctor before using any of the Products.

- CO<sub>2</sub> Levels can be measured using a CO<sub>2</sub> Monitor.
- 5,000 PPM is the workplace exposure limit in most jurisdictions. Check with your local agency to verify any need for permits in your area.

## SAFETY GUIDE

### SAFETY RADIUS

The Handheld MKII can produce a plume of fog up to 30FT/9M. Images below outline the necessary safety radius, which must be observed at all times.





Under no circumstance should any person or object be placed inside the displayed safety radius while system in under pressure.

Special care must be taken when preformers are near units. Always inform performers, staff and event personel that may inadvertantly enter the safety radius of this product.

### HARDWARE SPECIFICATIONS



CO2 QUICK CONNECT INLET



WEIGHT:	3.5 LBs 1.58 KGs	OPERATION:	MANUAL
DIMENSIONS:	20" x 8.25" x 2.875"	CO₂ CONSUMPTION:	~ 0.83LB / Sec ~ 0.36KG / Sec

# **CO<sub>2</sub> REQUIREMENTS**

### SIPHON CO<sub>2</sub> TANK REQUIRED.

Liquid  $CO_2$  is the key to creating large plumes of fog. Gaseous  $CO_2$ , which comes from a non-siphon  $CO_2$  tank, will **not** create the desired fog effect.

The siphon tube feeds the Club Cannon product liquid from the bottom of the tank, while a standard  $CO_2$  tank draws gas from the top of the tank (see illustration).

If your tank is full, but not producing fog, you most likely have the wrong type of tank. Ask your gas supplier to exchange it for a siphon model. **Once the fog starts to appear thin, your tank is depleted of liquid. It is now time to get a refill.** 

#### HUMIDITY

The effect works best in humid environments. Anytime humidity levels are 25% or below, the fog will appear noticeably thinner. Use the weather app on your phone to check your local humidity level.

#### TEMPERATURE

To ensure reliable operation of your product, keep tanks out of direct sunlight. Maximum tank temperature is 80 degrees F. When the tank temperature is above 80F, the pressure increases and can affect operation.

#### Where can I buy CO<sub>2</sub>?

CO2 can be purchased from any local gas or welding supplier. Below are 3 nationwide suppliers that likely have a branch in your area.

<u>Click here to find the nearest MATHESON location.</u> <u>Click here to find the nearest PRAXAIR location.</u> <u>Click here to find the nearest AIRGAS location.</u>





Failure to use a siphon tank will prevent the product from producing the desired effect. If the product is firing clear gas and not fog, this is likely the cause.

## CO<sub>2</sub> SETUP



**1.** Attach the female quick connect fitting on the hose, to the male quick connect fitting on the product. Pull back the sleeve and apply slight force to mate the connectors.

THIS STEP MUST OCCUR BEFORE PRESSURIZING SYSTEM



**2.** Place the plastic washer inside the fitting that connects to the tank, then attach the fitting. Tighten with the supplied tool, or any adjustable wrench (1 1/8").

FAILURE TO INSTALL WASHER WILL RESULT IN A LEAK



**3.** Position your  $CO_2$  tank in a nearby location. Make sure the tank is stable, and won't tip over. Tanks should be secured with ratcheting straps or chain to ensure safety.

UNSTABLE TANKS CAN BE EXTREMELY DANGEROUS



**4.** After attaching and tightening all fittings, turn on your  $CO_2$  tank and check for any leaks. If a leak is present, cease use immediately and contact Club Cannon. Trigger the unit each time you want to release CO2.

**Note:** After use, close the valve on the  $CO_2$  tank. Clear the remaining gas through the product, depleting all pressure in the system. Once the product is de-pressurized, you can safely detach the hose from the tank and product.



Club Cannon products (the "Product") are meant to be used to create special effects. Any use of these Products shall be in accordance with the Terms and Conditions presented at the time of sale, and as they appear in this manual. Any misuse or abuse of this Product can be extremely dangerous.

Club Cannon, LLC accepts no responsibility or liability for damages or injuries caused by misuse or abuse of the Product.



## **DEVICE TROUBLESHOOTING**

ISSUE	SOLUTION		
Leak from barrel	<ul> <li>Cease use immediately if any leaks are present.</li> </ul>		
Leak from barret	<ul> <li>Contact Club Cannon directly for repair instructions.</li> </ul>		
	• Cease use immediately if any leaks are present.		
Leak from quick connect	<ul> <li>Ensure no particles or contaminates are present inside the female quick connector.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Check for any damage to black O-ring.</li> </ul>		
	Contact Club Cannon directly if issue persists.		
Leak from tank connection	• Ensure a CO2 washer has been inserted into the brass CGA- 320 fitting prior to connecting to tank. Use included attachment tool to securely fasten connection.		
	<ul> <li>Ensure CO2 tanks have necessary siphon tube installed.</li> <li>Standard CO2 tanks do not produce the desired effect.</li> </ul>		
Fog appears thin	<ul> <li>Ensure tank is full, and has not previously been used, as the liquid would likely have been depleted from previous use.</li> </ul>		
	<ul> <li>Check relative humidity. Low humidity will have a negative affect on the fog appearance.</li> </ul>		
Issue not listed	• Contact Club Cannon directly.		

#### No user serviceable parts inside.

If your issue is not listed, or the suggested solution did not solve the issue, contact Club Cannon.

### **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

#### Use of the Club Cannon<sup>®</sup> products is subject to the following Terms and Conditions:

Club Cannon<sup>®</sup> products (collectively, the "Product" or "Products") are not toys. Any misuse of the Products could be extremely dangerous. Club Cannon<sup>®</sup> Products use carbon dioxide under high pressure to create special effects similar to a fog machine. They are not air cannons and should not be used to shoot projectiles in any fashion. Never place objects of any kind inside the barrel. Never aim or fire the Products at any person or living thing. Never hit any person or object with any of the Products. The Products are meant to be used only in well-ventilated areas. When using the Products, make sure you are in an open field or a well-ventilated area and are at least fifteen (15) feet away from people or other living things. Never hold a Club Cannon<sup>®</sup> Product by the barrel, especially after it has been used as it becomes extremely cold. Once the Product is attached to the CO2 tank and the tank is turned on, the gas passing through the Product, depleting any pressure. Do not disconnect the fitting connecting the hose to the Product until the tank has been turned off and the remaining gas has been cleared through the ground, always use a safety cable in the event the Product's mount or fixture should fail for any reason. You must supply the safety cable(s) to use with the Jets. If you are under 18, you should not be using the Products.

Carbon dioxide is known as an asphyxiant gas. Carbon dioxide poisoning has been linked to various health issues, including central nervous system damage, permanent deterioration of respiratory functions, suffocation or even death. If you have any health concerns that may be related to the Product's use of carbon dioxide, consult your doctor before using any of the Products. To the extent you may have problems with your back, consult your doctor before using any of the Products in a portable fashion (such as, for illustration purposes only, using the Club Cannon<sup>®</sup> CO2 Tank Backpack).

You must supply the carbon dioxide tank to use with the Products. Club Cannon, LLC, a California limited liability company (the "Company"), accepts no responsibility for claims, damages, losses or injuries arising from the tank or any malfunction thereof.

Acknowledging the foregoing, you voluntarily assume all risks associated with the use of the Products with the full knowledge and appreciation of the risks involved.

The Company disclaims any liability for product defect claims that are due to misuse, improper product selection and/or misapplication of the Products. The Company offers a limited one year, (365) day warranty for each of the Products. If, during the ninety (365) day warranty period (the "Warranty Period"), which shall commence on the original purchase date, a specific component of the Product fails, the Company will repair or replace it at no cost to you. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the purchaser is responsible for all shipping charges associated with sending the Product to the Company for repair and for its return to the purchaser. If, however, any component of the Product fails after the expiration of the Warranty Period, the warranty coverage does not extend to those components or to any damage they may cause. After the expiration of the Warranty Period, the Company shall not be responsible for the performance of the Products, including any component(s) that were repaired or replaced. This limited warranty shall not apply to failure caused by accident, alterations, misuse or abuse of the Products. This warranty is not transferrable. At all times, the purchase price of the Product shall be nonrefundable. Notwithstanding the foregoing, the Company may, in its discretion, accept the return of a new, unused Product in re-saleable condition subject to a twenty-five percent (25%) restocking fee and payment by the purchaser of all shipping charges associated with the return of the Product to the Company. If the Company determines, in its reasonable discretion, that the returned Product to the Product to the purchaser.

The Products are provided on an "as is" with all faults basis and with no warranty except the express warranty set forth above. To the maximum extent permissible by law, the Company disclaims all other warranties, including, but not limited to, the implied warranty of merchantability and the implied warranty of fitness for a particular purpose. The use of the Products is at the sole risk of the user. Under no circumstances shall the Company, its members, managers, officers, agents, employees, successors or assigns be liable for any injuries or damages whatsoever to any person or property arising from the use of the Products, which shall include, but not be limited to, consequential, incidental, special, exemplary or punitive damages. To the maximum extent permissible by law, the Company's liability in all events is limited to, and shall not exceed, the purchase price paid for any Product that gives rise to any liability.

Excluding any services provided to you by the Company under a separate written agreement, these Terms and Conditions constitute the entire agreement between you and the Company regarding the use of the Products and supersede any and all previous and contemporaneous oral and written agreements between you and the Company regarding your use of the Products.

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Except for any claim seeking the exercise of the injunctive or equitable powers of a court of competent jurisdiction, any action to enforce or interpret this Agreement, or to resolve disputes with respect to this Agreement, shall be settled by arbitration in accordance with California Code of Civil Procedure Sections 1280 through 1294.2 and any successor provisions thereto. The provisions of California Code of Civil Procedure Section 1283.05 regarding the right to take depositions and obtain discovery shall apply to the arbitration. Arbitration shall be the exclusive dispute resolution process. Any party may commence arbitration by sending a written demand for arbitration to the other parties. Such demand shall set forth the nature of the matter to be resolved by arbitration. The place of arbitration shall be in the County of San Luis Obispo, California. The substantive law of the State of California shall be applied by the arbitrator to the resolution of the dispute. The parties shall share equally all initial costs of arbitration. The prevailing party shall be entitled to reimbursement of attorneys' fees, costs, and expenses incurred in connection with the arbitration. All decisions of the arbitrator shall be final, binding, and conclusive on all parties. Judgment may be entered upon any such decision in accordance with applicable law in any court having jurisdiction thereof. The arbitrator (if permitted under applicable law) or such court may issue a writ of execution to enforce the arbitrator's decision.

If, for any reason, a court of competent jurisdiction finds any provision of these Terms and Conditions, or portion thereof, to be unenforceable, that provision shall be enforced to the maximum extent permissible so as to effect the intent of the Company as reflected by that provision, and the remainder of these Terms and Conditions shall continue in full force and effect. Any failure by the Company to enforce or exercise any provision of these Terms and Conditions or related rights shall not constitute a waiver of that right or provision.

If any legal proceeding, arbitration or other action is brought or threatened for the enforcement or interpretation of these Terms and Conditions, or because of an alleged dispute, breach, default or misrepresentation in connection with any of the provisions of these Terms and Conditions, and the prevailing party in any such action(s) should incur any legal fees, including, but not limited to, attorneys' fees, paralegal fees, expert witness fees and other similar costs, the successful or prevailing party or parties to any such dispute or action shall be entitled to recover their reasonable attorneys' fees and additional legal costs incurred, together with any other relief to which they may otherwise be entitled, as determined by an arbitrator, judge at trial, or upon appeal or petition.

The Company may make changes to these Terms and Conditions from time to time. When changes are made, the Company will post a new version of the Terms and Conditions on the Web site(s) and enclose a copy of the then-applicable Terms and Conditions in future purchases of the Products.

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