

## Care & Use Instructions for Personal Watercraft Covers made with Sunbrella®, Ultra'tect™ or Glen-Tuf™ Ultra'tect™ Fabric

Your new PWC cover is made with one of the following fabrics:

**Sunbrella** is woven from polymer acrylic fibers which will suffer minimal loss of strength from exposure to heat, cold, moisture and blistering sun. This marine-grade fabric will not rot or mildew in even the most humid climates.

**Glen-Tuf** is woven polypropylene and is very abrasion resistant. It is very strong and treated to resist rot and mildew.

**Ultra'tect** colors are mixed with the polymers used to make the woven fibers so it's very fade resistant and finished with a DWR (durable water repellency) finish on both sides to provide a high level of water resistance.

Covercraft covers are designed to protect your watercraft from dirt, dust, tree leaves and sap, bird droppings, industrial pollutants, salt air and the baking, searing effects of the sun. The cover will minimize deterioration of the finish, paint and upholstery to protect your valuable investment.

Rain and snow are usually harmless to a vehicle finish; the major damage occurs from pollutants in the air and ultraviolet (sun) exposure. The fabrics are not waterproof and will not keep your watercraft dry in a rainstorm. The fabrics are "breathable" and will allow any moisture, condensation, heat or vapors under the cover to evaporate and easily escape without damaging the finish.

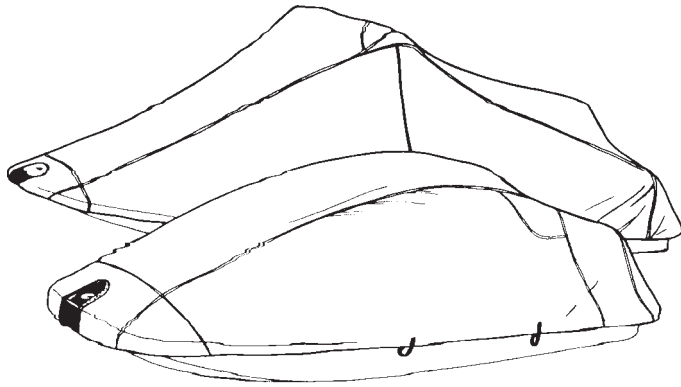
### **IMPORTANT WARNINGS - PLEASE READ BEFORE USING COVER!**

**Warning For Recently-Painted Surfaces:** Use of a cover on any recently-painted surface may cause damage to that surface! If your watercraft has been painted within the last 6 months, check with the painter on the specifics of how and when you can use this cover.

**Personalized Marking Instructions:** The application of large letters and/or numbers on the side or front of the cover is one of the best ways to protect your cover against theft. If you put markings on your cover, please note the following:

- DO NOT use regular or spray paint
- DO NOT use laundry markers or "permanent" type magic markers
- DO NOT use any type of felt-tip pen or marker

The only acceptable type of marking paint is a permanent type t-shirt/fabric paint. This is available in a variety of colors at most fabric and art supply stores. Follow the manufacturer's instructions. NOTE - Markers and regular paint will not adhere to the fabric and can transfer their color onto the vehicle finish!



## INSTALLATION - WATERCRAFT COVERS

The **rear** of the cover has the Covercraft logo and sewn-on red reflector.

**Start at the front** of the watercraft and slide the cover over the nose, making sure the cover is centered.

Move to the back of the watercraft and **pull the cover straight back**, over the body edge usually found above the jet drive. It is a tight fit and you must pull the cover snugly into place. This tight fit prevents flapping or movement while towing.

**NOTE:** If the cover is not tight enough, make the following adjustments with the cover off the watercraft,

- 1) Locate the elastic bungee cord sewn into the hem - you'll find the ends of it at the hem opening at the front of the cover.
- 2) Pull the bungee cord out 4 to 6 inches and tie a new knot past the original knot. **DO NOT** untie the original knot.
- 3) Refit the cover. If it is still not tight enough, repeat step 2 and move the knot further up the cord.

### IMPORTANT TOWING NOTE!

There are **two (2) tie-down loops** on each side of the cover. These must be used to **keep the cover in place while towing**. Use nylon rope or a similar strap through the tie-down loops to securely pull the cover tight under the watercraft. Fasten the tie-down ropes **after the watercraft is loaded** on the trailer. **DO NOT** use rubber or bungee type cords for tie-downs, as they can cause chafing of the watercraft body while trailering.

Watercraft covers have a flap for **access to the fuel filler cap**. This allows you to refuel the watercraft while it is on the trailer, in transit, without removing the cover. **Take care not to spill gasoline** or oil on the cover - it is flammable and will attract dirt and ruin the water repellency.

## CLEANING & WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

The underside of the cover will become dirty from contact with the water-craft and the outside will accumulate dust, dirt and road grime. Use the following methods to clean the cover:

- 1) **Periodically shake the cover** vigorously. It is easier to do this with two people, one on each end of the cover.
- 2) Wash the cover in a large tub automatic washer, found at most commercial laundromats, or most front-load home washers. **Avoid washers with center agitators** as these put extra stress on the material during the wash cycle. Use 1/4 cup of Simple Green® All Purpose Cleaner only (do not use soap or detergent) Wash the cover using the "Normal" or "Permanent Press" cycle in warm water. **DO NOT WASH IN HOT WATER!** Run the cover through **two rinse cycles** - it is important that all the cleaner be removed. The cover can be dried in an automatic dryer on **air or low heat**. You may also dry the cover by placing it over the watercraft or hanging on a line to air dry.

### Sunbrella®, Ultra'tect™ & Glen-Tuf™ Cover Warranty

#### How Long is the Warranty?

This warranty is valid to the original owner for five (5) years from date of purchase for Sunbrella fabric four (4) years for Ultra'tect fabric and three (3) years for Glen-Tuf.

#### What is Covered?

Workmanship: Covercraft will repair any defects in workmanship (including stitching) of the cover. If we cannot repair your cover, we will replace it without charge.

Fabric: Warranty coverage protects against fabric becoming unserviceable due to loss of strength resulting from normal exposure conditions including sunlight, mildew, rot and/or atmospheric chemicals. Covercraft will repair or replace the cover or specific panels judged to be unusable.

#### What is NOT Covered?

In continuous outdoor use, fading of fabric color occurs naturally and is not covered by warranty.

#### How Long Must You Wait For Replacement?

Your cover will be repaired or replaced and shipped back to you, freight prepaid, within thirty (30) days of Covercraft's receipt of the cover.

#### How Can You Get Service?

Call Customer Service toll-free at (800) 426-8377, for shipping instructions. Hours are M-F from 8AM to 4:30PM CST. The cover must be sent freight prepaid and insured, with a copy of the original sales receipt showing the purchase date.

#### How Does The State Law Apply?

This warranty gives you specific legal rights and you may have additional rights which vary from state to state.

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