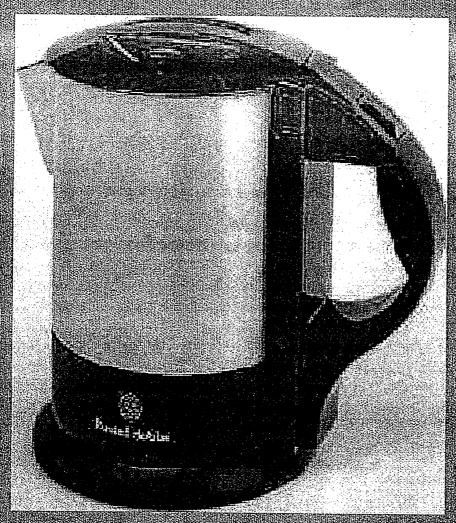
# Russell Hobbs®



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# IMPORTANT SAFEGUARDS

When using electrical appliances, basic safety precautions should always be followed, including the following:

#### READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS

- 1. Do not touch hot surfaces. Use handles or knobs.
- 2. To protect against fire, electric shock, and injury to persons, do not immerse cord, plugs, Power Base or Kettle in water or other liquid.
- 3. Close supervision is necessary when any appliance is used by or near children.
- 4. Unplug from outlet when not in use and before cleaning. Allow to cool before putting on or taking off parts, and before cleaning the Kettle or Power Base.
- 5. Do not operate any appliance with a damaged cord or plug or after the appliance malfunctions or has been damaged in any manner. Contact Consumer Service for examination, repair, or adjustment.
- The use of accessory attachments not recommended by the appliance manufacturer may result in fire, electric shock or injury.
- 7. Do not use outdoors.
- 8. Do not let the cord hang over the edge of a table or counter or touch hot surfaces.
- 9. Do not place on or near a hot gas or electric burner, or in a heated oven.
- 10. To disconnect the Kettle, press the top of the Switch to the OFF position, then remove the plug from the electrical outlet.
- 11. DO NOT USE THE KETTLE OTHER THAN FOR HEATING WATER.
- 12. Water can remain hot for some considerable time after boiling and can present a scalding hazard.
- 13. Scalding may occur if the Lid is removed during the boiling cycle or while the Kettle is hot.
- 14. Ensure that the Kettle is properly located on the Power Base before switching it ON.
- 15. Use the Kettle only with the Power Base supplied.
- Remove the Kettle from its Power Base before filling or pouring.

# SAVE THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR HOUSEHOLD USE ONLY

# Additional Important Safeguards

- 1. Read this entire Owner's Manual before using or cleaning this appliance.
- 2. This appliance boils water, and generates heat and escaping steam during use. Proper precautions must be taken to prevent the risk of scalding, burns, fires, or other damage to persons or property.
- 3. Do not leave this appliance unattended during use.
- 4. To avoid accidental scalding or burns, use extreme caution while moving this appliance when it contains hot water, and while pouring hot water from this appliance. The Handle may be hot; use protective mitts or gloves to pour hot water.
- 5. Use water only in this appliance! Do not put any other liquids or food products in this appliance. Do not mix or add anything to the water placed in this appliance, except as instructed in this manual to clean the appliance.
- 6. If this appliance falls or accidentally becomes immersed into water or any other liquid, unplug it immediately. Do not reach into the water! Do not use this appliance after it has fallen into or has become immersed in water. Contact Consumer Service.
- 7. When using this appliance, provide adequate air space above and on the sides for air circulation. Do not block the steam from emitting from the Spout during use. Do not operate this appliance if touching or near curtains, wall coverings, clothing, dishtowels or other flammable materials.
- 8. The cord to this appliance should be plugged into a 120V AC electrical outlet only.
- 9. Do not place this appliance on any hot surfaces.
- 10. Do not place this appliance in a microwave oven.
- 11. Do not use this appliance if it is cracked or damaged, or if the Handle is loose, weakened, or broken. Contact Consumer Service.
- Do not attempt to repair this appliance yourself you could render it dangerous to use. Contact Consumer Service.

NOTE: Any servicing requiring disassembly other than cleaning must be performed by a qualified appliance repair technician.



This appliance has a **polarized plug** (one blade is wider than the other). To reduce the risk of electric shock, this plug is intended to fit into a polarized outlet only one way. If the plug does not fit fully in the outlet, reverse the plug. If it still does not fit, contact a qualified electrician. Do not attempt to modify the plug in any way.

### SHORT CORD INSTRUCTIONS

A short power supply cord is provided to reduce the risk resulting from becoming entangled in or tripping over a longer cord.

Longer detachable power-supply cords or extension cords are available and may be used if care is exercised in their use.

If a longer detachable power-supply or extension cord is used, (1) the marked electrical rating of the cord set or extension cord should be at least as great as the electrical rating of the appliance, and (2) the cord should be arranged so that it will not drape over the countertop or tabletop where it can be pulled on by children or tripped over accidentally.

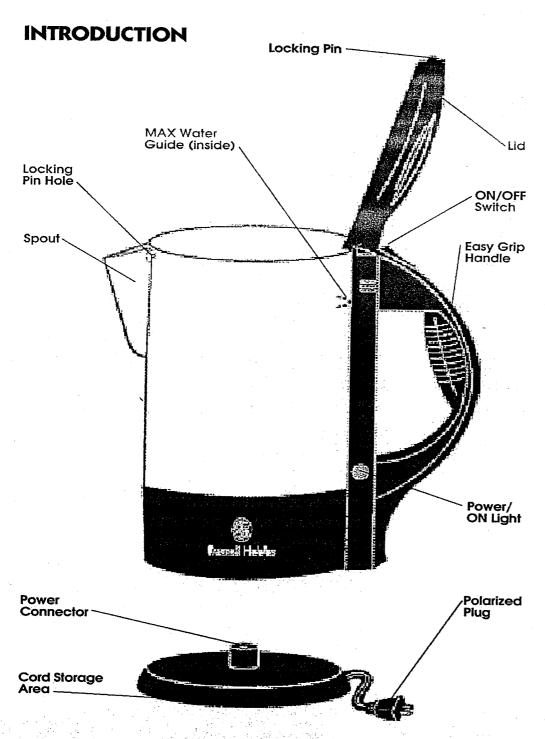
#### **ELECTRIC POWER**

If the electric circuit is overloaded with other appliances, your appliance may not operate. It should be operated on a separate electrical circuit.

#### PLASTICIZER WARNING

**CAUTION:** To prevent Plasticizers from migrating from the finish of the counter top or table top or other furniture, place **NON-PLASTIC** coasters or place mats between the appliance and the finish of the counter top or table top.

Failure to do so may cause the finish to darken, permanent blemishes may occur or stains can appear.

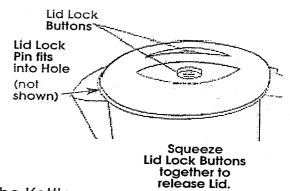


Power Base (P/N 30872)

# BEFORE USING FOR THE FIRST TIME

Remove all packaging from the Kettle and its Power Base. Remove any labels from the outer stainless steel surfaces.

- 1. Make sure the ON/OFF Switch on the Kettle is in the OFF position and the Power Base is unplugged.
- 2. Lift the Lid by squeezing the Lid Lock Buttons together until the Lid Lock Pin is released. Grasp Lid and pull up.
- 3. Fill the Kettle with water up to the MAX Water
  Guide. Squeeze the Lid
  Lock Buttons together and lower Lid until the front
  Locking Pin fits securely into the Hole in the front of the Kettle.



- 4. Gently position the Kettle over the Power Connector and centered on the Power Base, *taking care not to spill any water*.
- 5. Plug the power cord into the electrical outlet.
- 6. Press the top of the ON/OFF Switch to turn the Kettle ON. The Power/ON Light will illuminate.
- 7. When the water has boiled, the Kettle will turn itself OFF automatically, the Switch will return to the OFF position, and the Light will go out.
- 8. Discard the boiled water and allow the Kettle to cool. Rinse out with cold water. Repeat steps 1 through 6 at least three times, to remove any manufacturing dust, etc.

# **EASY-TO-USE POWER BASE WITH 360° ACCESS**

With the specially designed Power Base and central Power Connector, you can set the Kettle on the Base at any angle, from any position.

Position the Power Base on a flat, heat-resistant surface, as close to an electrical outlet as possible. Shorten the power cord to suit by wrapping excess power cord in the Cord Storage area underneath the outer rim of the Power Base.

CAUTION: Always remove Kettle from its Base when pouring. To avoid the risk of splashing, pour slowly and do not over-tilt the Kettle.

# FILLING THE KETTLE WITH WATER

Remove the Kettle from its Power Base, remove Lid. (To remove and re-lock Lid, see Section: BEFORE USING FOR THE FIRST TIME.)

Fill the Kettle through the Lid opening.

Use at least 235 ml (8 fl oz/1 cup) of water, and **DO NOT FILL** ABOVE THE BOTTOM OF THE MAX WATER GUIDE INSIDE THE KETTLE.

CAUTION: When refilling, take care when lifting the Lid, as the

Kettle, if hot, may be full of steam. Keep your face,

hands, etc. clear of the opening.

WARNING: DO NOT OVERFILL THE KETTLE IS

OVERFILLED, THERE IS A RISK THAT BOILING WATER

MAY BE EJECTED.

CAUTION: Make sure Lid is securely locked into position before

heating Kettle.

# **Operating Instructions**

## POWER ON / AUTO OFF

- Make sure the ON/OFF Switch on the Kettle is in the OFF position. Fill the Kettle with water up to the MAX Water Guide.
- 2. Make sure Lid is securely locked into position.
- 3. Gently position the Kettle over the Power Connector and centered on the Power Base, taking care not to spill any water.
- 4. Plug the power cord into the electrical outlet.
- 5. Press the top of the ON/OFF Switch to turn the Kettle ON. The Power/ON Light will illuminate.

WARNING: Steam will escape from the Spout while the water is heating. Do not touch the Pouring Spout, Lid or the Main Body while the Kettle is ON.
DO NOT TOUCH HOT SURFACES.

- When the water has boiled, the Kettle will turn itself OFF automatically, the Switch will return to the OFF position, and the Light will go out.
- To turn the Kettle OFF before the water boils, press the bottom of the ON/OFF Switch. Your Kettle will turn OFF, and the Light will go out.



NOTE: When you lift the Kettle from its Power Base, you may see moisture on the surface of the Power Base. This is the steam used to turn the Kettle OFF automatically after boiling, which then condenses and is allowed to escape via vents in the underside of the Kettle. This is perfectly normal, and should not be a cause for alarm.

**WARNING:** To avoid the risk of splashing water, pour slowly and do not over-tilt the Kettle.

WARNING: When filling or carrying the Kettle, do not tilt it backward, as this may allow water to pass on to the control area through the steam opening. Should this occur, the Kettle must be emptied and allowed to dry completely before use.

WARNING: Do not turn the Kettle ON unless it contains at least 235 ml (8 fl oz/1 cup) of water. Misuse of this kind will shorten the life of the element.

#### **BOIL-DRY AUTO OFF**

If the Kettle is accidentally turned on when it does not contain sufficient water, a boil-dry device will automatically turn it OFF. Unplug the Power Base from the electrical outlet. Remove the Kettle from the Power Base. Wait until the Kettle has cooled down before filling, as the element will be hot and spitting may occur.

### TO BOIL A SECOND POT OF WATER

Turn the Kettle OFF for 15 minutes and allow it to cool.

**WARNING:** Failure to allow Kettle to cool may cause water to overheat and spray hot steam. The hot steam can cause severe burns.

# User Maintenance Instructions

This appliance requires little maintenance. It contains no user serviceable parts. Do not try to fix it yourself. Refer it to a qualified appliance repair technician if servicing is needed.

#### SCALE

Scale is mainly calcium carbonate (chalk), a harmless, naturally occurring mineral found in most water supplies. 'Hard' water contains more of this mineral than 'soft' water. When water is heated, the minerals in the water solidify. This can make the water appear cloudy; it may form a thin film on the surface of the water after boiling; it may look like whitish pieces of plastic in the water; it may form a film on the walls or element of the Kettle. On traditional Kettle elements, scale forms a hard white 'crust' which adversely affects performance and reduces the life of the element.

- To reduce build-up of scale residues, always empty any residual water after boiling. Never leave water in the Kettle overnight.
- If the water in your area is particularly hard, you may consider the use of filtered water instead of tap water.
- Rinse the Kettle with clean water and wipe its walls whenever you notice a film on the water after boiling, or if you see scale start to build up on the inside surfaces of the Kettle.
- Descale regularly to remove residue, or to restore the appearance of the Kettle. But please use a commercially available brand of descaler, suitable for use in plastic-bodied products (even metal Kettles have plastic parts).

When using descaler, follow the manufacturer's instructions. After descaling, empty the Kettle and rinse it out several times with fresh water, then fill it with fresh water, boil and discard the water. This should ensure that no chemical residues are left in the Kettle.

**PLEASE NOTE:** Products returned during the warranty period which are directly related to scale build-up will be subject to a repair charge.

# LIMITED ONE YEAR WARRANTY

Warranty: This Russell Hobbs® product is warranted by Salton, Inc. to be free from defects in materials or workmanship for a period of (1) year from the original purchase date. This product warranty covers only the original consumer purchaser of the product.

Warranty Coverage: This warranty is void if the product has been damaged by accident in shipment, unreasonable use, misuse, neglect, improper service, commercial use, repairs by unauthorized personnel, normal wear and tear, improper assembly, installation or maintenance abuse or other causes not arising out of defects in materials or workmanship. This warranty is effective only if the product is purchased and operated in the USA, and does not extend to any units which have been used in violation of written instructions furnished with the product or to units which have been altered or modified or to damage to products or parts thereof which have had the serial number removed, altered, defaced or rendered illegible. Implied Warranties: ANY IMPLIED WARRANTIES WHICH THE PURCHASER MAY HAVE ARE LIMITED IN DURATION TO ONE (1) YEAR FROM THE DATE OF PURCHASE. Some states do not allow limitations on how long an implied warranty lasts, so the above limitation may not apply to you.

Warranty Performance: During the above one-year warranty period, a product with a defect will be either repaired or replaced with a reconditioned comparable model (at our option) when the product is returned to the Repair Center, or the purchase price refunded. The repaired or replacement product will be in warranty for the balance of the one-year warranty period and an additional one-month period. No charge will be made for such repair or replacement.

**Service and Repair:** Should the appliance malfunction, you should first call toll-free 1 (800) 233-9054 between the hours of 9:00 am and 5:00 pm Central Standard Time and ask for CONSUMER SERVICE stating that you are a consumer with a problem. Please refer to model number RHJK3063 when you call.

In-Warranty Service (USA): For an appliance covered under the warranty period, no charge is made for service or postage. Call for return authorization (800) 233-9054.

**Out-of Warranty Service:** A flat rate charge by model is made for out-of-warranty service. Include \$8.00 (U.S.) for return shipping and handling. We will notify you by mail of the amount of the charge for service and require you to pay in advance for the repair or replacement.

For Products Purchased in the USA, but Used in Canada: You may return the product insured, packaged with sufficient protection, and postage and insurance prepaid to the USA address listed below. Please note that all customs duty / brokerage fees, if any, must be paid by you and we will require you to pay the cost of customs duty / brokerage fees to us in advance of our performing any service.

Risk During Shipment: We cannot assume responsibility for loss or damage during incoming shipment. For your protection, carefully package the product for shipment and insure it with the carrier. Be sure to enclose the following items with your appliance: any accessories related to your problem, your full return address and daytime phone number, a note describing the problem you experienced, a copy of your sales receipt or other proof of purchase to determine warranty status. C.O.D. shipments cannot be accepted.

To return the appliance, ship to:

ATTN: Repair Center Salton, Inc. 708 South Missouri Street Macon, MO 63552

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To contact us, please write to, call, or email:

Salton, Inc. P.O. Box 7366 Columbia, MO 65205-7366 1-800-233-9054 E-mail: Salton@Saltonusa.com

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