

STUFA BECCHI (ENGLISH)

User manual

RULES:

- * **Do not open the oven**: The old stove already has cracks and is very fragile. If every guest opens and closes the oven the vibrations will break it.
- * Do not use this manual to start on the fire.
- * **Do not experiment**: Every stove has its own way of operating. Always ask!
- * Put **NOTHING** on top of the stove.
- * Do not throw water on the stove.
- * Do not put containers or glasses with water on the stove. Never! Not even to moisten the air!
- * Do not leave the door of the stove open. Remove large pieces of wood if they do not fit.
- * Do not heat water, tea, chestnuts, food or drinks on or in the stove.
- * Never burn plastic or plasticized paper: We use the ash in our veggie garden and for other purposes!
- * Do not put **candles** on or near the stove.
- * Do not add a piece of wood every few minutes. This stove does absolutely not work like a open fireplace works. Read further instructions.

STARTING THE STUFA:

- * Open (put vertical) the "smoke outlet" valve.
- * Open the "air inlet"
- * Do not remove ash in the combustion chamber. Don't worry, just move it a bit to the side.
- * Put a fire cube (lit) inside the back of the stove.
- * Add some pieces of small wood.
- * After a minute: Add larger pieces.
- * After 10 minutes: Add big pieces until the stove is completely full.
- * After 30 minutes, when inside the yellow flames have disappeared and you see coals with orange flames: close the "smoke outlet" valve (put it horizontal, don't force) and close the "air inlet". Don't worry there is always air comming in and smoke going out.
- * For 4 hours you should not touch the stove anymore. That means no longer adding pieces of wood for 4 hours.
- * After 4 hours, you can start the stove again, if necessary, over the few remaining coles. Do not take off the ashes!

THIS STOVE DOES NOT WORK IN ANY OTHER WAY