



SOUP CHAFER

Operating Instructions

Canton Chair Rental

4850 Southway St SW Canton, OH 44706

330-477-7719 • 800-686-4331

After Hours Pager: 330-737-1227

www.cantonchairrental.com

TO BEGIN OPERATION:

1. Remove all pans and lids from the chafer frame.
2. Add hot water to the water pan until the water level reaches approximately 2" in height.
3. Pry the lid from the canned sterno fuel, and place it into the metal chafer sterno cup. Insert the cup into the holder at the bottom of the chafer frame.
4. Light the fuel. Adjust the metal sterno cup lid to be half-open and place it on top of the cup. Low flame is sufficient for proper heat. The half-covered fuel should last over 3 hours.
5. Return the water pan to the chafer frame. Place the filled soup pan inside the water pan. Cover with the chafer lid to keep soup hot.
6. Check water pan throughout use to maintain sufficient water level. If the water boils away, the pan will burn and the soup may scorch.

WHEN FINISHED:

1. Extinguish flame by adjusting the metal sterno cup lid to cover the fuel. Let the chafer cool until it is safe to touch.
2. Remove the pans and discard any remaining soup or water. Scrape and wash the soup pan with dish soap and water. DO NOT use harsh abrasives.
3. Throw away the used sterno fuel cans. DO NOT throw away the metal chafer cup and lid.
4. **Please place ALL parts in the plastic container and return to Canton Chair Rental to avoid additional charges!**

WARNING:

- Keep sterno fuel AWAY from open flames or hot stoves.
- **DO NOT** use the chafer without filling water pan
- To protect your table linens or serving surface, consider using an underliner tray with the chafer.
- The metal becomes very hot during operation. Do not touch the chafer without hot pads or oven mitts.