

Personal Pitcher® Set Up Instructions

- Important! Please Read All Instructions & Supporting Information! -

Setting Up Your Personal Pitcher®

- 1. Take the Personal Pitcher out of the box. Grab the AC adaptor/charger (white box) and put it to the side.
- 2. Dump all the balls back into the box.
- The green ball feeder disk is attached to a geared motor. *Never try to move the green disk by hand (Damage to the motor or timing light switch may occur). If you have any problems with the machine, we are always available. Please call us at 1-800-474-8243 or email Service@PersonalPitcher.com.
- 4. Remove the black top by pushing out the two tabs from the inside and lifting up. No tools needed. See **Figure #1**.
- 5. Make sure there are **no balls** inside the machine.
- 6. Make sure the switches are in the **off** (middle) position.
- 7. Make sure the wheels spin freely for a few seconds after a finger spin.
- 8. Plug the battery into the circuit board. The connector is in front of the battery.
- 9. Grab the top and plug in the ball-feeder wire to the circuit board. Lead the light bulb on the top into the hole in the front of the machine, and snap the top back into place.
- 10. Tripod (sold separately or as an option) has 4 adjusting knobs/handle that control the position of the machine. Become familiar with what they do and make sure they are tightened before machine is attached, **especially the platform where the machine will clip in**. Attach machine to tripod.
- 11. Load balls into the top. There should be no balls down inside the machine before it is turned on.
- 12. You are now ready to hit. Only use balls that came with your Personal Pitcher. Official Wiffle® brand.

Suggested Uses

 Recommended Speed and Distances by Age/Skill Level Fastball 1 = 28-32ft for High School/College/Pro Fastball 2 = 24-28ft for Ages 10-14 Fastball 3 = 20-24ft for 9 & Under Soft Toss = 10-15ft for Any Age 	 Recommended Tripod Height Baseball Players: Height of the tripod should be around the height of the hitter's belly button, in stance. Softball Players: Lower tripod to release point.
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Operating On Soft Toss/Right-Handed Curveball Settings

There is a safety feature that won't allow the auto feeder/green disk to rotate if the wheels aren't spinning up to a certain speed. Flip the #2 switch down for a second - it will get the wheels up to speed, and allow the green disk to operate. Allow 5 seconds for wheels to settle into speed before switching BF (Ball Feeder) switch up or down.

Please call or email if you have any questions or concerns about your Personal Pitcher[®], and update us on your progress at the plate. We love to hear how the Personal Pitcher[®] has helped. Have fun hitting!





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Battery Care

The battery arrives with some charge, and can be used right away. However, when it runs low, it takes six hours to fully charge. Plug the AC adaptor into the side of the machine. Make sure the battery is plugged in. (It is shipped unplugged; follow set up steps on previous page.)

- You may use the AC adapter while the battery is plugged in. Just don't leave it continuously plugged in when not in use, as it can overcharge and damage the life of the battery. The battery should be charged at least once a month. If it sits for a few months, the battery could die.
- Always store the Personal Pitcher® inside; keep out of the elements. (Rain and sun could damage the life of your machine.)

Troubleshooting

Symptom	What to Check/How to Resolve
Green disk does not rotate.	 Is the ball feeder wire plugged into the circuit board? Are the wheels spinning up to speed? Refer to <i>Operating On Soft Toss/Right-Handed Curveball Settings</i> on previous page. Is the BF switch in the OFF position (middle)? If yes, flip up or down for desired interval.
The machine will not turn on.	 Is the battery plugged into the circuit board? <i>Refer to Setting Up Your Personal Pitcher®</i> on previous page. Are you using the right AC adapter to charge the battery? The output voltage should be 7.5V 800ma, with center-tip positive. The fuse may be blown. Please call us at 1-800-474-8243 so we may help. Your battery may not be holding a charge. You may need a new battery. Please contact us at 1-800-474-8243 so we may help.
The machine is pitching inconsistently.	1. Are you using Wiffle [®] brand golf balls? Other brands vary in quality and size. Use only
	Wiffle[®] brand golf balls.Are the balls wet or dirty? Dry, clean balls will pitch more accurately.

Maintenance Tips

- Your Personal Pitcher[®] has many moving parts. Taking good care of your machine will keep it working at its best. Dropping it may result in damage.
- Always store the Personal Pitcher[®] inside; keep out of the elements. Rain and sun could damage the life of your machine.

Important Information

- Please be sure to read all of the instructions before using the Personal Pitcher® to ensure that the machine is in working order.
- PARENTS: Your child should be made aware of the potential dangers when using the Personal Pitcher[®].
- Never put your fingers into the Personal Pitcher[®] while it is operating.
- The Personal Pitcher[®] is not a toy, and an adult should supervise children. It is very important that the batter makes sure that the area is clear before swinging.
- Stay clear of the ball opening while the Personal Pitcher[®] is operating. Although the balls are very light, they are made of hard plastic, and eye damage or other injury may occur. Children must be advised of this danger, and appropriate precautions should be taken.
- There should never be balls inside the machine when turning it on. The wheels will jam, and the battery fuse may blow.
- DO NOT use any type of ball other than official Wiffle[®] brand golf balls. Using ANY other type of ball may damage the Personal Pitcher[®].
- If a ball does not fall properly, DO NOT LOOK INTO THE FRONT HOLE WHILE THE PERSONAL PITCHER[®] IS RUNNING to see where
 it is. The following ball may push it out and cause eye injury. If the next ball does not push it through, then tilt the Personal
 Pitcher[®] forward, with the opening down and away from you, and the ball should shoot out.
- Do not use any other battery/AC adapter other than the one provided. Never use a battery, or other voltage source, greater than 7.5 volts. Additional 4-hour rechargeable batteries and/or AC adapters are available for purchase.