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Popcorn Machine

Included Items:

- Popcorn Machine
- Scoop
- Pre-Measured Popcorn & Oil (if ordered)
- Popcorn Bags (if ordered)

Electrical Requirements:

- Maximum amp draw for the popcorn machine at 120 volts is 10.5 amps.
- This figure is an approximation and may vary slightly. An overloaded electrical circuit will not allow the machine to heat properly.
- The power supply cord is equipped with a machine ground (the tubular prong). For safety, always plug the machine into a grounded receptacle.
- You must have the popcorn machine grounded! No exceptions!

Operating Instructions:

- This machine is capable of producing 160 - 1oz servings per hour.
- Place the machine on a sturdy table or countertop with the controls facing the operator.
- There are 3 switches on the popper:
 - **Light and Warmer**- Light and popped popcorn warmer
 - **Stir**- Turns on the motor to stir the popcorn in the kettle
 - **Kettle**- Kettle heat
- To begin, turn on the kettle heat and wait 5 minutes.
- Switch on the Stir mechanism.
- Add the pre-measured popcorn and oil.
- Slide the lid down over the kettle by gently pulling it down from the magnet that holds it to the top of the machine.
- When the popping corn pushes the lid up, slide it back to the top of the machine and allow the popcorn to fall into the hopper below.
- When it sounds like the popping is slowing down, pull the kettle towards you, then dump the popcorn out. Do not wait for all popping to stop; popcorn will burn. Some unpopped kernels are normal.
- Add the next batch of pre-measured popcorn and oil and repeat. Optimum performance is typically reached after 3-4 batches.
- Use the scoop to dispense the popcorn into sacks, sliding the narrow end into the bag and using the wide end to scoop up the popcorn.

Shut Down Procedure:

- When completing the final batch of popcorn, turn the kettle heat off.
- After dumping out the final batch of popcorn, turn the off "stir" mechanism.
- Remove all excess popcorn from the bottom of the machine.
- Pull out the old maid tray in the bottom of the machine and dump unpopped kernels into the trash.
- Allow the kettle to cool for about 15 min. then carefully wipe any grease from the outside of the kettle with a paper towel.
- Wipe the body of the machine with a glass spray to clean the windows, inside and out.
- Turn off light/warmer and unplug the machine. Leave scoop inside the machine.