

# SUN CITY FESTIVAL SOFTBALL CLUB

BY SIGNING BELOW I ACKNOWLEDGE THAT I HAVE RECEIVED TRAINING WITH THE ABI FORCE EQUIPMENT WHICH IS UTILIZED AT THE SUN CITY FESTIVAL SOFTBALL FIELD.

TRAINING INCLUDED: OPERATIONS, SAFETY, AND MAINTENANCE.

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# ABI FORCE TRAINING NOTES

## SAFETY:

### DON'Ts

- **Don't** mount or dismount with engine running. (show why)
- **Don't** install depth control spacers with engine running. (show why)
- **Don't** put hands or fingers in engine area. (**MOVING PARTS!**)
- **Don't** take off or stop with one (1) hand on controls. Use both hands. (show how could lose control)
- **Don't** allow passengers on unit or drag mat.
- **Don't** attempt any repairs yourself. Contact Kevin Magee, Field Prep Manager, or Rick Kaylor. (i.e. 2500psi pinhole leak or high pressure lines)
- **Don't** run out of gas – is hard on pump.
- **Don't** add fuel with engine running.
- **Don't** operate Force machine too close to fence.
- **Don't** operate Force machine too close to other Field Prep members.
- **Don't** go home and sit on couch after operating Force machine. Save your marriage and leave your dirty clothes at door.

### DOs

- **Do** THINK before you act!
- **Do** know where your team workers are when you are operating Force machine.
- **Do** wear protection equipment: dust mask, and safety glasses for your eyes (sun glasses). Remember we do have lots of dust which may contain Valley Fever.
- **Do** water field before you start: ball-line & infield 2 minutes and pitcher's mound 4 minutes.
- **Do** blow machine off when done.

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## **OPERATION:**

### **1. "Pre-flight" Check**

- Gas (Don't run out of gas – hard on fuel pump)
- Hydraulic oil (sight glass)
- Evidence of oil leaks
- Tires inflated

### **2. Control Functions**

- Throttle
- Choke
- Valve Bank
- Forward and Reverse
- Drive straight
- Speed control bar

### **3. Attachment Functions**

- Spring fingers, spacers
- Silver scarified knives
- Ripper bars
- Drag mat

### **4. Doing field (suggestions)**

- Water first
- Fingers down – no drag mat if pockets in playing surface
- Fingers up - drag mat at full chain extension
- Final fingers up – drag mat shorten chains

### **5. Water System**

- 3 zones
- Set zones to come on
- Stay till done and zones shut off

## **MAINTENANCE**

- Filters location (gas, engine, air, hydraulic)
- Filters change schedule
- Engine oil check
- Hydraulic oil check (site glass)
- Grease zerk locations
- Fluid types
- Fluid fill locations
- Hydraulic operations and functions