



A How to: Maintenance and your Wood Doctor Furnace.

You have just completed another heating season with your Wood Doctor Outdoor Furnace. Here are some suggestions on how to upkeep your Furnace.

1. Flush System — Drain the water out of your system every two years if using water. DO NOT USE SOFT WATER. Refill your water, test your water with Ph test strips and add the new desired amount of Boiler Treatment according to these instructions. If using Propylene glycol, follow manufacturer instructions and DO NOT use Boiler Treatment. Propylene Glycol is not mandatory. Putting a Heat Exchanger in between your Wood Doctor and Original Heating System will be a back up for your Wood Doctor Furnace.
2. Check the deterioration of the Anode Rod — If your Furnace does not already contain an Anode Rod this upgrade should be added. The Anode Rod is located in the Overflow Vent protruding from the roof of your furnace. This Rod should be replaced as needed. The function of the Anode Rod is to attract corrosion causing factors protecting the furnace from such harm.
3. Add an Overflow Cap — If your furnace does not already contain a cap on your overflow vent protruding from the roof of your furnace this item should be added. The Overflow Vent will keep debris from falling into your heated water but it will not block the overflow from water leaving your furnace.
4. Change the Door Gasket — Door Gasket needs to be changed every one or two heating seasons. If you find the door becoming harder to open or close it is time to change your door rope. Your Door Latch U-Bolt may break if you avoid changing your door rope.
5. Change your Site Glass Tubing — Site Glass Tubing can become clouded over time. This Plastic Tubing should be replaced. Remember: If you can see a water level then you need to refill your furnace. The water should be well above the Site line in the tubing.
6. New Wood Doctor Furnaces now come with a Triple Wall Insulated Chimney. Any Customer wanting to transition their Un-insulated Chimney to an Insulated Chimney can do so with our Chimney Transition Kit. This Upgrade will help prevent corrosive creosote from running into your firebox.

All of the items listed above can be ordered through a Wood Doctor Dealer nearest you or by contacting Wood Doctor Head Office using the contact information found below.

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