

926 Integrated Groomer-Operating Instructions

SET-UP

Remove 926 Groomer from crate. Remove draw-bar and draw-bar packaging from the GreensGroomer frame. Attach the draw-bar to the Groomer using the supplied hardware. The draw-bar is designed to be adjustable so do not fully tighten the bolts to the frame of the Groomer.

Mount the two brushes using the supplied 1/2" drive lag bolts so that the angles meet in the center creating a seamless brush pattern. Grease wheel bushings.

ADJUSTMENT

Attach the draw-bar to the hitch of the tow vehicle (a gas powered vehicle is preferred). Attach electric actuator cable to the 12 volt battery of tow vehicle.

Make sure the Spring Tine Rake is fully retracted. Lower the Groomer completely down so the wheels are off the ground.

Loosen the lock nut on the carriage bolt that holds the curved height adjustment piece in place. Make sure that the brush is flat on the ground and tighten the nut.

INTEGRATED SPRING TINE RAKE

If using the Spring Tine Rake (STR), follow the adjustment instructions above before adjusting the STR. Once the brush is leveled, raise the unit slightly off the ground.

To adjust the Spring Tine Rake, loosen the three 9/16" hex nuts located below the blue handle and attached to the carriage bolts located in the guide slots. There will be two on the left side and one on the right. Once loosened, use the handle to slide the tine tubes to the desired position and then tighten.

Located on the center tine tube are indicator notches built into the frame. Because every field is different, these are to be used as a general reference not an actual depth gauge.

REAR BRUSH ATTACHMENT

The Brush Adapter tab goes on the inside of the rear tabs of the groomer. Brush will slide between tabs. Insert the hex bolt and tighten until snug. Allow for rotation. Insert the carriage bolts and lock washers. Tighten the carriage bolt only when the rear brush is in the desired and lock washers.



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Time To GROOM

The 926 Groomer is pulled onto the edge of the turf in the transport mode. Once on turf the operator lowers the brush by using the electric actuator to “raise” the wheels.

Appropriate operating speed is (8-10 mph) to agitate the infill material and stand up the turf fibers. It is recommended to drag the field from sideline to sideline and to alternate dragging direction with each grooming.



TINE RAKING

Using the Tine Rake is suggested for once or twice per month, depending on field use. You want you infield soft and not hard like concrete.

When preparing to operate the Tine Rake, slide the Tine Rake into position before raising the transport wheels.

Appropriate operating speed for Tine Rakes is (8-10 mph).



MAINTENANCE

The 926 Groomer requires very little maintenance or upkeep.

When not in use set the 926 Groomer on the jack stand to prevent any weight from being placed upon its brushes.

Wheel bushings should be greased at regular intervals. Tire pressure should be maintained at 15 lbs.



Emergency Operation to Raise and Lower

The electric actuator is equipped with a manual override in case of actuator failure. For manual override, remove plug on the bottom of the actuator with 3/16” hex key. Use 1/4” socket drive to raise and lower unit until actuator can be repaired or replaced.

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