

# SANDRINGHAM

## SOLAR CROOK & WALL LANTERN

# USER GUIDE



Ensure your solar panel is South facing or as near as possible



Clean your solar panel from time to time



Do NOT place your solar panel in shaded areas.



Do NOT charge behind glass

**Thank you for choosing the Sandringham Solar Crook and Wall Lantern. Please read these instructions carefully before using your light.**

### Important notes

Always take care when installing your light. If you are at all unsure, please contact your retailer or a professional trades person for advice.

### Installation

Remove all packaging and put to one side. Please carefully consider where you wish to install your light before making alterations to your property. It's particularly important that the solar panel receives as much sunlight as possible. Ensure that it is not obstructed by buildings, fences, trees, sheds, etc. or the shadows that these create. **If the solar panel is installed in a poor location, it may not perform to the best of its ability.**

To maximise the battery capacity, the lights should be charged in direct sunlight for at least 8 hours before being used for the first time.

The lights will turn ON/OFF automatically when left in the on position. Please note it is completely normal for the lights to come on at different times as it depends on how fast they charge in their location.

### Installation - Wall Light

1. Open the packaging and take out all the accessories; solar lantern, base, hook and installation accessories (4 x long screws, 3 x wall plugs and 1 x short screws).
2. To attach the hook to the wall bracket, line up the hook within the recess on the base, and fix using the short screws provided. **Please note the hook will be facing upwards.**
3. Choose a sunny location, take out the base and mark three holes on your chosen surface. Drill the holes and insert the wall plugs. Fix the base onto your surface using the long screws provided.
4. Rotate and unscrew the clear diffuser, pull out the insulating paper and replace the lamp body back into position. Hang the lamp on the hook to complete installation.



## Installation - Crook Lantern

Please take care when staking your Sandringham Crook Lantern into the ground. **Never** attempt to do this with the crook pole attached to the stake. Any damage caused to the stake or crook pole as a result of attempting to drive them into hard ground is not covered by your warranty.

If the ground is too hard, pour water on the ground to soften it and make a hole using a strong metal object. Once the hole is ready, push the stake into the hole until the circular top of the stake is level with the ground. Once the stake is in place, connect the sections of the crook pole together before connecting the pole to the stake. You can now hang the lantern on the crook

To prepare the lantern, rotate and unscrew the solar panel, pull out the insulating paper and tighten the solar panel and lamp body. Hang the lamp on the hook to complete installation.

## Lighting Modes

To turn the light to ON/OFF, and enable powersaving mode, locate the switch on the underside of the solar panel.

Mode 1: Move the switch to the centre to enable powersaving mode **[best for winter]**

Mode 2: Move the switch fully to the right to enable full brightness

Mode 3: Move the switch fully to the left to turn the light OFF.

## Troubleshooting

Please ensure that there are no nearby light sources shining on the solar panel after dark. These could be bright indoor/outdoor lights from your property or neighbours, or street lights.

If you are unsure, take the light inside and test it in a dark room.

If you are encountering any problems with your light often you can resolve this yourself by following our troubleshooting guide. If the light has its solar panel in a poor location it will struggle to work, but that doesn't mean there is a fault with the unit. Please remember that the light will arrive with some charge and will likely work for a few days even if the solar panel is poorly located. Please try the troubleshooting tips below before contacting your retailer.

## Recharge Procedure

1. Double check the location of your solar panel to ensure it is in a clear location and as South facing as possible.
2. Turn the light off at the switch and leave it to recharge for 3-5 days ensuring one sunny day has passed.
3. After 3-5 days return to the light and turn it back on at the switch.
4. If your light still does not illuminate after dark, please contact your retailer.

## Maintenance

Clean the surface of the solar panel and light lens with a soft, slightly moistened cloth. Do not use corrosive cleansing agents or chemical solutions as these may damage surfaces and impair operation. Keep the solar panel free of dirt, debris and snow.

## Safety Instructions

The Solar Centre assumes no liability for any damage resulting from the use of this product, nor do we assume liability for any damage to property or personal injury caused by improper use or failure to observe these instructions.

Unauthorised conversion and/or modification of the unit may be dangerous and will invalidate your warranty. To avoid damage to sight, do not look directly at the light source. This device is not a toy and should be kept out of reach of children. Do not submerge the device in water or expose it to extreme temperatures (less than  $-25^{\circ}\text{C}$  or higher than  $50^{\circ}\text{C}$ ).

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