



# Mini Express Fun Food Hire

The 8 oz fun popper popcorn machine is easy to operate. Please review the operating instructions prior to use.

## Popcorn Machine Operation Instructions

Thank You for renting a popcorn machine from Mini express fun food hire. Please follow the directions below to make delicious popcorn for your event. If you have any questions or problems please do not hesitate to contact us at **0412 535 950** . We hope you enjoy your popcorn and have lots of fun!!

### Important Precautions:

1. Machine needs to be plugged into a 240-volt dedicated circuit to operate properly.
2. Always have the kettle motor switch OFF when not popping corn.
3. The kettle will get very hot! USE CAUTION ALWAYS.
4. Water must NEVER be put on the popping KETTLE!
5. Never lift machine from red top section. Machine weighs 25 kg and it must be lifted from the base by at least 2 persons. Damage to machine will be billed at replacement cost.

### Operating Machine:

1. Plug in machine.
2. Measure out ingredients and have them ready (do not overload kettle as it will only burn the popcorn, only use the recommended doses).
3. **1 cup corn kernels , ¼ cup or 1 sachet popping oil and 1 tsp butter flavoured salt**
4. Push kettle lid up to the top of cabinet where a magnet will hold it in place.
5. Turn HEAT and LIGHT switch to ON (Wait 3-4 minutes for kettle to heat up).
6. When ready to add oil and popcorn, turn KETTLE MOTOR switch ON to start the motor.
7. Measure ¼ cup **or 1 sachet** popping oil and one teaspoon butter flavoured salt and pour into the kettle.
8. Immediately add 1 level metric cup of popcorn.
9. Pull the kettle lid downward from the top of the cabinet to cover the kettle. DO NOT FORGET TO COVER THE KETTLE OR THE OIL AND POPCORN WILL IMMEDIATELY SPRAY OUT ALL OVER THE SIDES OF THE MACHINE.
10. While the corn is popping open the plexiglass doors slightly to prevent fogging.
11. Popcorn will pop quickly, and when the popping ceases, TURN BOTH THE KETTLE HEAT AND MOTOR SWITCH OFF.
12. Lift the kettle lid until it attaches to the magnet on top of machine. Dump popped corn by releasing the kettle, rotating the black handle clockwise and pulling downward.
13. Put the kettle back in place using the black handle to hook the kettle to the holding bolt. USE CAUTION - THE KETTLE IS VERY HOT!
14. Repeat steps 2-13 for additional batches. Each 1 cup kernel measure of popcorn and oil makes 6 servings.
15. If you are making several batches continuously you do not have to wait for machine to reheat. It will already be pre-heated.
16. Remember to turn HEATING LIGHT SWITCH to ON in order to keep your popcorn warm.