# IMPORTANT WARRANTY INFORMATION PLEASE READ FILL OUT AND RETURN ENCLOSED WARRANTY CARD

THIS WARRANTY COVERS:

Roots And Harvest® 1608 Canning Jar Sealer kit

THE WARRANTY IS EXTENDED TO THE ORIGINAL PURCHASER ONLY

WARRANTY DURATION: This product is warranted to the original purchaser for a period of one (1) year from the original purchase date. EACH UNIT COMES WITH A WARRANTY CARD, WHICH MUST BE FILLED OUT COMPLETELY AND RETURNED IMMEDIATELY, WITH A COPY OF THE PURCHASING RECEIPT. FAILURE TO RETURN YOUR WARRANTY CARD WILL LIMIT WARRANTY TO 90 DAYS WITH PROOF OF PURCHASE.

**WARRANTY COVERAGE:** This product is warranted against defective materials or workmanship. The warranty is void if the product has been damaged by accident, misuse, neglect, modification or improper service or repairs by unauthorized personnel. It is also void if damaged in shipment or by other causes not arising out of defects in the materials or workmanship. This warranty does not extend to any units which have been in violation of written instructions furnished. This warranty covers only the product and its specific parts, not food or other products processed in it.

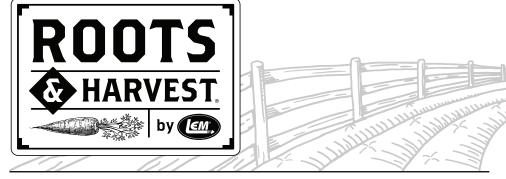
**WARRANTY DISCLAIMERS:** This warranty is in lieu of all warranties expressed or implied, and no representative or person is authorized to assume any other liability in connection with the sale of our products. There shall be no claims for defects or failure of performance under any theory of sort, contract or commercial law including, but not limited to negligence, gross negligence, strict liability or breach of contract. The manufacturer declines all responsibility for damage to persons, things or animals arising from the failure to comply with the norms contained in this manual. The manufacturer reserves the right to make modifications at anytime to the models while maintaining the main characteristics described herein. The manufacturer also declines all responsibility for any errors in compiling this manual.

**WARRANTY PERFORMANCE:** During the warranty period, a product with a defect will either be repaired or replaced after the product has been inspected by a Roots and Harvest Service Technician. ROOTS AND HARVEST RESERVES THE RIGHT TO REFUSE WARRANTY PERFORMANCE OR PRODUCT EVALUATION UNLESS THE ORIGINAL SALES RECEIPT OR THE WARRANTY CARD IS ON FILE. The repaired product will be in warranty for the balance of the warranty period. No charge will be made for such repair or replacement.

**IMPORTANT NOTICE:** If any parts are missing or defective, please contact our Customer Service Department for assistance at 877-509-3457 (M-F 8:30am to 4:30pm EST). **DO NOT RETURN TO THE STORE WHERE THE PRODUCT WAS PURCHASED.** Roots and Harvest is not responsible for, or will not cover under warranty, missing or damaged parts on discounted/clearance, resale or final sale items where the seller may not be able to guarantee full functionality or completeness of the unit.

ROOTS AND HARVEST MERCHANDISE RETURN POLICY WARRANTY SERVICE: To obtain service under terms of this warranty, please contact us at 877-509-3457 to obtain authorization prior to returning the merchandise. No merchandise will be accepted without prior authorization. Prior to returning the product for warranty repair the product must be thoroughly cleaned and free from any food particles or other debris. Failure of the purchaser to comply with this standard may result in the unit being returned without repair. In some cases, a \$50 cleaning surcharge may apply. Please return the product prepaid in the original packaging if possible, enclose a copy of your receipt, (keep a copy of your proof-of-purchase for your records) and include a written explanation of the issue. Ship to Roots and Harvest, 4440 Muhlhauser Road, Suite 300, West Chester, OH 45011. Roots and Harvest is not responsible for damage incurred in shipping, make certain to pack product properly. Return shipping charges are the responsibility of the purchaser. Packages returned to Roots and Harvest should be insured for the value of the product to cover any damages that may occur during shipping.

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# CANNING JAR SEALER KIT

#### **USE & MAINTENANCE**







This process is NOT a substitute for heat canning.

## **INCLUDED IN YOUR KIT**

#### There are 2 size jar sealers:

- Regular mouth jar sealer
- · Wide mouth jar sealer
- · Gaskets for each sealer
- Vacuum hose

\*Vacuum sealer is not included. To shop our line of vacuum sealers visit www.rootsandharvest.com\*

## **PRIOR TO USE**

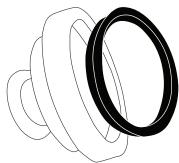
Prior to use check that the orange rubber/silicon ring is clean and installed with the split side of the ring facing you. Make sure the gasket is fully inserted into the well on the jar sealer, and the outer lip is under the top lip of the sealer. It is best to pinch all the way around the sealer ring with thumbs on the gasket and pointer finger on the outside of the sealer. This will fully seat the gasket in place.

STEP 1:









### **OPERATION**

- 1. Wash mason jars and dry completely
- 2. Fill the mason jar with the item you wish to store leaving at least 1" head space
- 3. Make sure the rim of the jar is clean and free of residue
- 4. Place proper sized lid over the jar opening
- 5. Press the proper sized jar sealer down over top of the lid and jar, fully covering the top of the jar
- 6. Attach your vacuum hose to the port on your vacuum sealer
- 7. Cover (or insert the hose) over the hole on the top of the jar sealer
- 8. Use the canister function on your vacuum sealer and vacuum the lid to the jar (follow directions in your vacuum sealer manual).
- 9. When the vacuum sealer stops vacuuming remove the hose from the top of the jar sealer
- 10. Carefully remove the jar sealer from the top of the jar
- 11. The lid should be vacuumed tightly to the top of the jar and should not be easily removed, (optional: use a band to keep the lid securely in place.)
- 12. To remove the lid first unscrew the band use the tip of a spoon to pry the lid off the jar to remove the vacuum. Note: this process is not a substitute for heat canning. This method is to be used for short term storage only.

## TROUBLE SHOOTING

Why are lids not vacuuming to the jar?	
PROBLEM	SOULTION
Jar rim is not clean	Use a damp cloth and wipe the rim of the jar until clean and free of debris or liquid
There is a chip on the rim of the jar	Replace the jar
Too much food is in the jar	Remover some of the food and leave at least 1" head space
The gasket in the jar sealer is not installed properly	Remove the gasket from the jar sealer and flip it over so that the split side is facing outward and then trying again
The caning lids rubber seals are old	Replace lid with a new and unused lid
The canning lids are bent	Replace lid with a new and unused lid

## OTHER TIPS TO HELP THE LIDS TO SEAL TIGHTLY

Heat the lids in hot water: just until the rubber on the underside of the lid is a bit gummy. Try stacking 2 lids and then using the jar sealer.