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Model: 90757 | Brand: LIFETIME

INTRODUCTION

This manual provides essential information for the assembly, operation, and maintenance of your Lifetime Portable Basketball System, Model 90757. This system features a 52-inch Steel-Framed Shatterproof tinted backboard and a Power Lift® height adjustment mechanism, allowing for height adjustments from 7.5 to 10 feet. It includes a Slam-It® rim with an all-weather nylon net and a 3.5-inch diameter round steel pole, supported by a 35-gallon portable base.





Image: Front view of the Lifetime Portable Basketball Hoop, showcasing the backboard, rim, pole, and portable base.

IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

Read and understand all instructions before assembling and using this product. Failure to follow these instructions can result in serious injury or property damage.

- **Adult Supervision:** Children should always be supervised by an adult when using the basketball system.
- **Base Stability:** Ensure the portable base is completely filled with water or sand before use to prevent tipping. Regularly check the fill level.
- **Do Not Hang:** Do not hang on the rim, net, or any part of the backboard or pole. This can cause severe injury.

and damage the system.

- **Clear Area:** Maintain a clear playing area around the system to prevent collisions.
- **Weather Conditions:** Do not use the system during high winds or severe weather. Secure or lower the system if possible.
- **Assembly:** Assemble the system according to the instructions. Ensure all bolts and fasteners are securely tightened.
- **Relocation:** When moving the system, ensure the base is stable and use caution. Do not attempt to move the system alone if it is too heavy.

INCLUDED COMPONENTS

The Lifetime Portable Basketball System includes the following main components:

- 52-inch Steel-Framed Shatterproof Backboard
- Slam-It® Rim with All-Weather Nylon Net
- 3.5-inch Round Steel Pole (multi-section)
- Power Lift® Height Adjustment Mechanism
- 35-gallon Portable Base with Wheels
- All necessary hardware for assembly

SETUP AND ASSEMBLY

Assembly of the Lifetime Portable Basketball Hoop requires two adults. Follow the detailed instructions provided in the separate assembly manual for your specific model. The general steps are outlined below:

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully remove all parts from the packaging and verify against the parts list.
2. **Assemble Pole Sections:** Connect the steel pole sections as instructed, ensuring they are securely fastened.
3. **Attach Backboard and Rim:** Mount the 52-inch shatterproof backboard and the Slam-It® rim to the upper pole section. Ensure the net is properly attached to the rim.
4. **Install Power Lift Mechanism:** Attach the Power Lift® height adjustment mechanism to the pole and backboard assembly.
5. **Connect to Base:** Securely attach the assembled pole, backboard, and rim to the portable base.
6. **Fill Base:** Crucially, **fill the 35-gallon portable base completely with water or sand.** This provides the necessary stability for the system. A full base prevents tipping during play and in windy conditions.



Image: Illustration of the basketball hoop's pole connecting to the portable base, highlighting the structural connection points.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Height Adjustment (Power Lift® Mechanism)

The Power Lift® mechanism allows for easy and precise height adjustment of the basketball hoop from 7.5 feet to 10 feet in infinite increments. This feature enables players of all ages and skill levels to enjoy the game.

- 1. Locate Handle:** Identify the adjustment handle located on the lower part of the pole assembly.
- 2. Adjust Height:** With one hand, grasp the handle and gently lift or lower the backboard to the desired height. The mechanism is designed for smooth, effortless movement.
- 3. Secure Position:** Release the handle once the desired height is reached. The system will lock into place automatically.



Image: A detailed view of the Power Lift height adjustment handle and mechanism on the main pole, showing height markings.

Moving the System

The 35-gallon portable base is equipped with wheels for easy relocation.

- 1. Ensure Base is Full:** Verify the base is completely filled with water or sand for stability during movement.
- 2. Tilt and Roll:** Carefully tilt the system onto its wheels. With assistance if needed, roll the system to the desired location.
- 3. Lower Gently:** Once in position, gently lower the system back onto its base.

CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Regular maintenance will extend the life and ensure the safe operation of your basketball system.

- **Check Base Fill Level:** Periodically check the water or sand level in the base, especially after heavy use or prolonged periods. Refill as necessary.
- **Inspect Hardware:** Annually, inspect all nuts, bolts, and fasteners for tightness. Tighten any loose hardware.
- **Clean Components:** Clean the backboard, pole, and base with mild soap and water. Avoid abrasive cleaners that could damage surfaces.
- **Rust Prevention:** The steel pole has a powder-coated, weather-resistant finish. However, inspect for any scratches or chips in the coating and touch up with rust-inhibiting paint if needed to prevent corrosion.
- **Net Replacement:** Replace the all-weather nylon net if it becomes worn or damaged.
- **Winter Storage:** In areas with freezing temperatures, it is recommended to empty the base of water to prevent cracking due to ice expansion. Alternatively, use sand or add non-toxic antifreeze to the water. Store the system indoors if possible, or secure it to prevent damage from severe weather.

TROUBLESHOOTING

Problem	Possible Cause	Solution
System is unstable or tips easily.	Base is not fully filled or has leaked.	Ensure the 35-gallon base is completely filled with water or sand. Check for leaks and repair if necessary.
Height adjustment mechanism is stiff or difficult to operate.	Mechanism may require lubrication or has debris.	Clean the mechanism and apply a silicone-based lubricant to moving parts. Ensure no debris is obstructing movement.
Backboard or rim feels loose.	Mounting hardware is loose.	Inspect and tighten all bolts and fasteners connecting the backboard and rim to the pole.
Net is torn or damaged.	Normal wear and tear or excessive force.	Replace the all-weather nylon net with a new one.

PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

Feature	Detail
Brand	LIFETIME
Model Name	Adjustable Portable Basketball Hoop 52-Inch
Item Model Number	90757
UPC	081483809106
Backboard Size	52 inches

Feature	Detail
Backboard Material	Steel-Framed Shatterproof Polycarbonate (Tinted)
Rim Type	Slam-It® Rim with Double-Compression Springs
Net Type	All-Weather Nylon Net
Pole Diameter	3.5 inches (Round Steel)
Height Adjustment	Power Lift® Mechanism, 7.5 to 10 feet (infinite increments)
Base Capacity	35 gallons (water or sand)
Mounting Type	Freestanding, Portable
Product Dimensions (LxWxH)	50"D x 48"W x 120"H (approximate, at max height)
Item Weight	110 Pounds
Indoor/Outdoor Usage	Outdoor
Assembly Required	Yes

WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Lifetime Products offers a manufacturer's warranty on this basketball system. For specific warranty details, including duration and coverage, please refer to the warranty card included with your product or visit the official Lifetime Products website. For technical support, replacement parts, or any inquiries, please contact Lifetime Products customer service directly.

Contact Information: Please refer to the contact details provided in your product packaging or on the official Lifetime Products website for the most current support information.