

CRYSTAL SOLAR HANGING BALL

USER GUIDE

**PLEASE CHARGE YOUR
LIGHTS FOR 3 DAYS
BEFORE FIRST USE**

Thank you for choosing our Crystal Solar Hanging Ball Light. Please read these instructions carefully before using it.

Setting up your Crystal Solar Ball Light Light

Always take care when setting up your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball especially if you are situating it in a high place. In the interest of safety, we strongly advise setting up your solar light during the day while it is still light. Children should only set up the light with the assistance and careful supervision of a responsible adult.

Solar Charging Tips

Do:



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



Clean your solar panel from time to time

Don't:



Do **NOT** place your solar panel in heavily shaded areas.



Do **NOT** charge behind glass

Choosing your location:

Always make sure that the object you plan to hang your light from can easily take it's weight. Failure to install your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball correctly could result in human or animal injury, damage to your property and damage to your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball .

The Crystal Solar Hanging Ball light uses an amorphous solar panel which means it doesn't necessarily need direct sunlight to work. However, the brighter the location, the longer the light will work for after dark. Before hanging your light please think about the amount of light the solar panel will receive in that location and avoid areas that are heavily shaded.

Operating Instructions

Your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball operates automatically so once you turn it on it will come on automatically at night and turn off automatically at dawn. To turn your light on simply move the power switch into the on position and wait for dark.

Trouble Shooting

My light is on and it isn't dark:

Your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball has a sensor in the solar panel that tells it when it is dark enough to turn on. If your light is coming on during the day by itself then this suggests that the panel thinks it is dark when it isn't. This can happen in unusually dark conditions caused by bad weather, but usually it is a sign that the solar panel is positioned in an overly shaded location.

My light worked for the first few nights and then stopped working:

Usually the Crystal Solar Hanging Ball comes partially charged so it will work for a few nights without receiving a fresh charge. If the light stops working after a few nights then it is likely that it has not received a fresh charge during the first few days. Please take the light down and move it to the brightest place in your garden (even if this isn't where you intend to have it normally) for 3 days to charge up thoroughly. Your light will only charge if it is turned on so we advise turning it off each night at dusk during the charge up period.

I can not get my lights to turn on and they never have:

Usually our Crystal Solar Hanging Ball comes partially charged, but this isn't always the case. Please take the light down and move it to the brightest place in your garden (even if this isn't where you intend to have it normally) for 3 days to charge up thoroughly. Your light will only charge if it is turned on so we advise turning it off each night at dusk during the charge up period.

Recharging your batteries using a battery charger:

You can recharge the batteries inside your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball by using a standard AAA battery charger. Please take great care to read the instructions that came with your battery charger to ensure that it is compatible with NiMH rechargeable AAA batteries before use.

Replacing the batteries:

After several years use you may need to replace your battery if you notice that your light isn't performing as well as it used to. You can replace your battery by removing the plate on the underside of the solar panel and gently removing the battery inside. Replace it with the battery recommended below and then replace the plate. Replace it with the following battery which is available from most shops including supermarkets, news agents and petrol stations. **Please recycle your old battery rather than throwing it in the bin!**

1 x AAA 600mAh NiMH rechargeable battery

It is important that you only replace the battery in your Crystal Solar Hanging Ball with a rechargeable NiMH battery. Using other types of rechargeable battery or standard non-rechargeable batteries can damage your lights and invalidate your warranty!

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