

# BLINGSTRING

## SOLAR FAIRY LIGHTS™

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

### User Guide

Thank you for choosing our Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights. Please read these instructions carefully before using them.

### Setting up your Solar Fairy Lights

Always take care when setting up your Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights especially when you are situating them in high places. In the interest of safety, we strongly advise setting up your solar fairy lights during the day while it is still light. Children should only set up the lights 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 shaded areas.

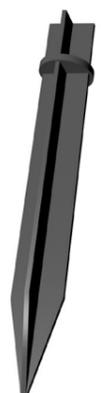


Do **NOT** charge behind glass

### Choosing your location:

Before setting up your Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights you'll need to think about the location of your solar panel. Your solar panel needs to be in an unshaded location where light is not obstructed by buildings, walls, fences, trees, bushes or the shadows that these create. You will need to rethink your location if your solar panel can't reach a bright and unobstructed location. If you are in any doubt please check before installing your lights. Once you are happy with your solar panel location, install it by following the guide below. Once your solar panel is installed, you can unravel your lights and place them where you like.

1: Stake



2: Wall mount



3: Bracket



### Stake Mounting

Take the solar panel pack and turn it upside down. Locate the bracket slot on the underside of the solar panel pack and slide the bracket piece (3) into the slot. Now put the solar panel pack to one side and locate the stake (1). Before attempting to push the stake into the ground, please check that the ground is not too hard. If it is, pour water on the desired area to soften the ground and make a hole using a metal object before driving your stake into that hole. Now your stake is in place, locate your solar panel pack and gently push the bracket on the top of the stake. Please note that any damage caused to your lights as a result of driving them into hard ground is not covered by your warranty.

### Wall / Fence / Deck Mounting

Take the solar panel pack and turn it upside down. Locate the bracket slot on the underside of the solar panel pack and slide the bracket piece (3) into the slot. Now put the solar panel pack to one side and locate the wall mount (2). Attach the wall mounting bracket to your wall, fence or decking. Now your wall mount is in place, locate your solar panel pack and gently push the bracket onto the wall mount.

### Operating Instructions

The Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights are automatic so once you turn them on they will come on automatically at night and turn off automatically at dawn. To turn your Solar Fairy Lights on simply press the power button on the underside of the solar panel.

### Lighting Modes:

There are 2 modes available on your Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights, constant and blinking. To select constant locate the mode button on the underside of the solar panel pack and switch it to MODE. To select blinking, push the same button towards AUTO.

### Trouble Shooting

#### My lights are on and it isn't dark:

Your Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights have a sensor in the solar panel that tells them when it is dark enough to turn on. If your lights are coming on during the day by themselves 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 a heavily shaded location. Please refer back to the Solar Charging Tips in this manual.

#### My lights have worked for the first few nights and then stopped working:

Usually the Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights come partially charged so they will work for a few nights without receiving a fresh charge. If the lights stop working after a few nights then it is likely that they have not received a fresh charge during the first few days. Please check the location of your solar panel before switching the lights off by using the switch on the underside of the solar panel pack. Leave your lights switched off for a minimum of 3 days to allow the batteries to fully charge.

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

Usually our Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights come partially charged, but this isn't always the case. Please check the location of your solar panel before switching the lights off by using the switch on the underside of the solar panel pack. Leave your lights switched off for a minimum of 3 days to allow the batteries to fully charge.

#### Recharging your batteries using a battery charger:

You can recharge the batteries inside your Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights by using a standard AA 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 AA batteries before use.

#### Replacing the batteries:

After several years use you may need to replace your batteries if you notice that your lights aren't performing as well as they used to. You can replace your batteries by unscrewing the plate on the underside of the solar panel and gently removing the batteries inside. Replace it with the batteries recommended below and then replace the plate before screwing it securely back into place. Depending on how many bulbs your Solar Fairy Lights have, replace it with the following batteries which is available from most shops including supermarkets, news agents and petrol stations. **Please recycle your old batteries rather than throwing it in the bin!**

**50 LED Bulbs:** 2 x AA 1000mAh NiMH rechargeable batteries

**120 LED Bulbs:** 1 x AA 2000mAh NiMH rechargeable batteries

**It is important that you only replace the batteries in you Blingstring Solar Fairy Lights with rechargeable NiMH batteries. Using other types of rechargeable batteries or standard non-rechargeable batteries can damage your lights and invalidate your warranty!**

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