

## Firewood hot tub - Advice for lighting the fire.

The stove is very effective, however it can be difficult to start in the beginning. Lay a fire of dry and good firewood in the bottom of B. Spray with lighter fluid or place in rolled newspapers so that the fire spreads easily. **DO NOT LIGHT B YET.** It is important to build the fire under chimney A first. Take away chimney A, place a few rolled newspapers there, put in a burning newspaper. Replace chimney A immediately. Smoke should now be coming out of the chimney. Now quickly light the fire in B. Close the lid afterwards so that oxygen only comes in through C. This is so that C does not become a chimney before a fire has built in A. When there is fire in B begin to open the lid totally or partially to allow oxygen into B. This gives a large effect and the fire will roar when at best. Fill B to the top with wood, this will sink down as there is fire at the bottom. 38 degrees is a suitable temperature for the water. Replace the lid if you do not want the water to become any hotter.

**NB** Be careful with the open stove lid as flammable gas can blaze up; do not put your face over the open stove! Be careful with lighter fluid. Do not use explosive fluids or petrol. Fire and sparks can fly out from the chimney so the tub should not stand beside a house or near flammable trees.

Avoid wood which gives off a lot of sparks (such as spruce) if there is the risk that falling sparks may cause fire.

ABOVE IS ONE WAY OF LIGHTING THE STOVE. THERE ARE OTHERS.

