



DANSHA FARMS

TROUBLESHOOTING TIPS

- -Battery Powered Pump Will Not Charge
Or You Can Not Get A Vacuum

"PURGE YOUR PUMP"

- Sometimes milk, foam or milk vapor gets into the pump and slows it down

- Start by disconnecting the black vacuum line from the clear line at the pump. Turn on your pump and run a small amount of water into the inlet of the pump while it is running. You will see water spitting out of the exhaust. Shut off the water and let the pump run and purge itself for a minute
- The one gallon Milker Bottle will take 15 to 20 seconds to produce a vacuum. Keep the inside of the one gallon lid and the threads lubricated so you can get a good seal with the glass milker bottle. You can use vegetable oil on all parts. Don't Over tighten
- If you have a manual pump(the old faithful) make sure you tighten the gauge with a wrench or you will lose vacuum
- Animal Will Not Let Milk Down Place the animal in a calm environment. Give her food. Loud noise will make the animal skittish and she will close off her milking production.
- The animal must get used to the milker.
- Milk her by hand and milk her with the milk machine and so on. This will let her know that milking with the machine and hand milking are the same.
- Start off by milking only one teat cup at first. It is easier for the animal and you until you both get used to the milker.
- Milk at the same time every time you milk. Let the animal see the kid (but not get to mom).
- Avoid Temperature Extremes, Temperatures above 95 degrees and below 35 degrees Fahrenheit. Keep the milker out of direct sunlight
- Keep your milker pump inside or in a closed bucket. This will keep insects out.
- Animal Kicks & Bucks Take a front left or right leg and bend it up at the knee, then tie so she is on three legs that will stop her from kicking and bucking. You can do this only to smaller animals like goats and sheep.

Keep Milker From Cold or Hot Extremes
Keep your parts Lubricated You can use vegetable oil

-Cannot Strip Her Out (Remove All Her Milk) Gently pull down on the teat cup(s). That should remove most of the milk. It is not advisable to remove all the milk from her by hand (refer to milking recommendations).

-Blood in the Milk this could be from Mastitis or too much vacuum.

You should only apply enough vacuum to see milk flow.

- Please watch our demonstration videos on www.danshafarms.com Please feel free to contact me.

-I will do everything I can to help you keep milking your animals.

If a part breaks or wears out, please contact me. I will do my best to fix and repair for you at little cost.



-Our Dansha Farms™ Milkers are quality control tested. Contact me at

850- 464-2881 so I can help.

Thank you and happy milking,

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