

The ^{Un}official Manual of the Chipley Custom Machine SS-25 and Series 6 Prototype Pump Markers

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V. Safety and Handling:

A Paintball Marker is not a toy. Any of the tools in this manual are not toys. Tools and paintball markers should be used only by adults or with adult supervision. Respect other peoples' property and when using any paintball marker, obey all local, state and federal laws. When entering a paintball field, become aware of their rules and regulations.

It is very important to have the proper paintball protection before going to the paintball field for play. This includes and is not limited to eye, head, throat, and body protection. All protection used should be designed for the sport of paintball, e.g. eye gear designed specifically for paintball usage.

Always have a barrel plug in place and keep the safety ON when handling your marker. When repairing or cleaning your marker first remove barrel and gas cylinder, then depressurize your marker by pointing in safe direction and dry firing. Always treat the paintball marker as if it were loaded.

When handling the marker, always keep your fingers or any other objects away from the trigger assembly to avoid accidental discharges. Make sure, when carrying or transporting the marker, to keep the muzzle pointed downward with a barrel-blocking device in place.

Before transporting your marker through public areas, such as airports, or bus and trains stations, call ahead for regulatory information regarding the carrying and transporting of such an item.

Remember, any paintball marker should never be pointed or fired at anyone, and should only be used at a supervised, licensed and insured paintball field.

VI. Quick Start Guide:

- 1. Screw barrel onto marker if your SS-25 or S6 Prototype does not come with a barrel use a barrel with Autococker® threads.
- 2. Place barrel blocking 'Barrel Bag' device properly onto the marker

CAUTION: Always wear paintball approved eye and face protection when dealing with a pressurized paintball marker.

- 3. Pull the cocking rod back until it latches into place. You will hear a click when this happens.
- 4. Connect the air source to the ASA (air system adapter.)

Note: Make sure to always get air cylinders filled by authorized, skilled and knowledgeable technicians for the correct fill limits of each cylinder.

Do not try to refill cylinders by yourself. Do not use cylinders that have not been properly maintained or that are damaged. It is very important that caution be exercised when refilling or attaching cylinders.

5. Attach the loader to the feed port of the marker. The SS25 and S6P comes with a clamping feed neck. This feed neck either has a lever style clamping feature or an Allen bolt. This bolt takes a 5/32 Allen key. Clockwise tightens the band to your hopper.

Note: Use only 0.68 caliber paintballs in your CCM® Markers. Do not modify the paint in any way. If I hear you were freezing paint – we are going to come to your town, find you, bunker you, and then bonus ball you.

Before field use, ensure the velocity is in compliance with field safety guidelines. General field velocity limits are usually between 250 fps to 300 fps (fps = feet per second.) Your paintball markers velocity should never exceed 300 fps. Observe and abide by all local laws, regulations and field safety guidelines pertaining to use of paintball markers.

VII. A Brief Description of the workings of the SS 25 and Series 6 Prototype (S6P).

When you pull the trigger a sear is lowered which releases a hammer (inside the bottom tube of the marker). This hammer is under spring pressure (you load a spring when you pull back the cocking rod or pump the marker). The hammer strikes a valve, which allows gas to flow through the valve, up through the bolt, and down the barrel, propelling a ball (if loaded) out of the barrel.

You must then manually cock this marker. With your finger off the trigger, grasp the handle under the barrel and move it back toward the rear of the marker. Pulling the pump rearward forces the pump arm back. The pump arm is attached to the back block, which moves the bolt and the cocking rod back as well. The bolt, when it clears the chamber, allows another paintball to fall into the chamber of the marker. The ball is temporarily held in place by the detent or detents installed in your CCM marker (on the S6P they are hidden under the little caps on the side of your marker that say S6). When the cocking rod (attached to the hammer) allows the hammer to clear the sear, the sear will catch (with a click). At this point, move the pump forward (away from the rear of the marker). This will move the bolt forward, which will push the ball past the detents and into the breach / barrel of the marker.

This is one full cycle the CCM marker.

Note: This marker comes with an 'auto-trigger'. The auto-trigger allows the user to hold down the trigger and pump the marker – firing the marker every time the pump is returned to the starting position. With practice, the user can fire his CCM marker over six balls per second with accuracy.

The auto-trigger is simply a cam that does not allow the trigger to fire until the pumping cycle is complete. The cam, behind your trigger, is attached to the pump arm (via a bolt – that takes a 1/8th Allen key). This allows for the proper timing of the auto-trigger.

VIII. Velocity:

CAUTION: Industry approved protective gear (for face and eyes) must be worn at all times while operating and performing adjustments on this marker.

- Do not insert objects into the space between the cocking block and the main body of the marker at any point in time. Improper marker treatment may result in damage to the marker and serious injury to the operator.
- Prior to beginning any work on your marker, check to make sure that all excess pressure has been released by pointing the marker in a safe direction and pulling the trigger. This is a necessary precaution because the marker may still contain pressure even after the removal of the gas source.
- If you are uncertain, unable or do not know how to perform work on the marker, have adjustments and repairs made by a qualified technician.

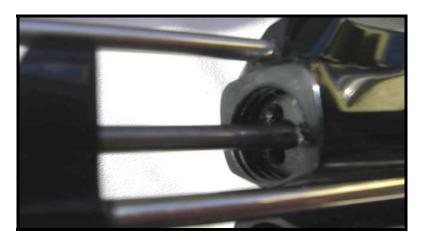
To adjust velocity:

- 1. The inline regulator should be set at 375 400 PSI. This may not be the case with your CCM® marker. You may want to skip to the portion of this manual titled "Setting up your CCM Marker". However, you also may simply want to go out and play. If the latter is the case here is how to adjust your velocity.
- 2. Pump the marker to the most rear position and hold it there.
- 3. Insert the short end of a 1/8" Allen wrench into one of the three holes in the IVG (Internal Velocity Governor). Turning the Allen wrench clockwise will increase the velocity while counterclockwise will decrease velocity.
- 4. Movement of the wrench quarter turn in either direction will approximately yield a 10-15 fps. change.

IX. Setting up the SS 25 or S6P:

If you have not played with your CCM® marker and have just pulled it out of the box – skip to #3 of this section. For those that have already been playing with their marker - start at #1.

- 1) Back out your regulator adjustment screw (3/16th) until the marker starts hissing down the barrel when you pull the trigger. Turn it up until this leak stops. Your marker will most likely be shooting about 250 260 FPS.
- 2) Use a 1/8th Allen key to set the IVG in two full turns from the back of the marker. In other words, set the IVG flush with the back of the body and then turn it in two full rotations of the IVG.



- 3) Shoot your maker (wearing proper safety equipment) over a Chronograph perhaps three times and not the average of the string.
- 4) Turn up your marker by using the regulator until either you achieve 300 FPS in this manner (if this is case skip to Step 7) or the FPS will plateau and after a few more turns starts to decrease again. This is because you have now given the valve too much pressure and it is closing faster than it should.
- 5) Remember the point where it plateaued and set the regulator at this point. With almost every CCM® marker I have owned the 3/16th screw is nearly flush with the bottom of the regulator.
- 6) Use the IVG to set the FPS the rest of the way if your regulator adjustments did not allow you to reach 300 fps.

This is the most efficient setting for your marker.

7) (Optional) If your regulator reached 300 fps before it plateued you could go to a weaker main spring and re do this procedure in order to have the most efficient marker. A heavier valve spring would accomplish the same thing. However, a

weaker main spring would lighten your pump stroke. I find the CCM® main spring is VERY light and I do not adjust my springs.

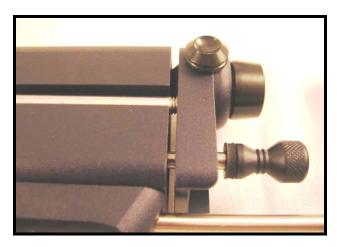
I have found that 375 PSI is a great place to start with the SS-25 or S6P. In fact, I used a Pressure Testing Gauge to set my Pressure at 400 PSI and then experimented to sweet spot my regulator. The most efficient setting was at 400 PSI.

X. Additional Adjustments to the CCM Marker:

Sear / Lug:

The lug height controls how far the trigger must be depressed in order to fire the marker. If this lug is set too high, the marker will not cock because the sear does not come into contact with the lug. If the lug is set too low – the marker will not cock or will not fire because the lug is dragging on the grip frame or the sear cannot drop far enough to release the hammer.

Make sure that when setting your Lug you properly set it for auto triggering. To do this properly, adjust the lug so that the marker fires (with the trigger depressed) with a 1/8th inch gap (see picture below) between the back block and the body of the marker. This will allow for proper firing of the marker and good air transfer from the valve to the bolt.



A CCM® Series 5 Basic is shown above. The setting is the same for the S6P and SS 25.

To Adjust the Lug:

Insert a 1/8th Allen Key into the top of the marker where you see a hole. This is an access hole to allow the adjustment of the lug on the bolt. Insert the Allen key until you feel it stop. If you have air in the marker the Allen Key should fall (with a little wiggling) directly into the lug. If you do not have air in the marker, you will need to pull the cocking rod toward the rear of the marker to allow the Allen key to fall into the hold of the lug.



Turn the Allen key clockwise to *lower* the lug (allow the marker to fire with a longer trigger pull – or during auto trigger – later in the cycle) and to the anticlockwise to *raise* the lug (allow the marker to fire with a shorter trigger pull - or during auto trigger - earlier in the cycle).

Undertravel Screw:

The undertravel screw (marked by the screwdriver in the picture below) is essentially only there to stop the Auto trigger and Cam from coming out of the grip frame.



Pump the marker until you hear the sear 'click'. Holding the pump in this position adjust the undertravel screw until it touches the trigger.

This should set the undertravel screw to the proper position.

The undertravel does allow you to make your trigger pull shorter – but if you attempt to set this too short, you will cause drag on the rear most portion of your trigger pull. This is because the cam has rotated and is now dragging on the trigger itself.

Pump Arm:

Ensure that the bolt that attaches the Auto Trigger to the pump arm is perfectly perpendicular to the pump arm or else you will get binding and marring of the Auto Trigger arm.

Cocking Rod:

Set the cocking rod so that when you pump the marker the bolt just clears the chamber (looking down the feedneck) when the marker cocks. In other words, when you hear the click of the sear catching on the lug the bolt should have just cleared the chamber allowing another ball to enter the chamber. If this is not this way, or if the sear catches well beyond this point, adjust the cocking rod properly.

The cocking rod will be Loctited® (Red). Make sure you have a non-marring vice and some heat in order to loosen the setscrew that allows you to adjust the cocking rod. In reality, the factory setting is usually proper. If it is close to being as described above – leave it alone.

Pump Guide Rod's

One thing to double check when setting up you marker is that the guide rods of that the pump rides on are perfectly parallel to each other. I have noticed that from time to time the bottom smaller guide rod can get bent slightly and cause drag on the pump. You just need to use your hand to tweak these guide rods and double check to make sure that the pump is moving smoothly over them.



XI. Regular Cleaning.

CAUTION: Always make sure you and everyone around you wears protection when you clean the marker or check it for paintballs.

This is the cleaning I perform after every day of play.

- 1. Remove air source and ensure that all air has been released from the marker.
- 2. Remove the barrel. Spray a mix of rubbing alcohol, a little dish soap, and water down the barrel and run a pull through squeegee down it. Finish off with a swab.
- 3. Lightly spray marker down with the cleaning mix and then wipe down with a soft terry cloth. Be careful to clean off the pump guide rods, trigger, and anything that moves or has parts moving on it.
- 4. Remove bolt and clean it off. I check to see if there is wear on the bolt. The delrin bolt can get marred when grit gets into the marker. If this is case I use a very fine sand paper (1000 grit or above) to lightly take out these scratches. Let this bolt dry. Do not lubricate the bolt.
- 5. Remove cocking rod and quickly wipe down.
- 6. Run a pull through squeegee through the top tube, now empty, of the marker and finish off with a swab. Use your cleaning mix if a ball was chopped.
- 7. If I had chopped a ball, I remove the detents and clean those. These are Spyder® detents (on the S6P) and can be purchased at any competent pro shop.
- 8. Reassemble marker.
- 9. Every 4-5 days of play I place 3-4 drops of KC Concepts® oil in the ASA, air the marker up, and dry fire it 10 20 times to move the oil through the marker.

Unless your marker is filthy, this is all that needs to be done after a normal day of play. If your marker is dirtier than this, or the regulator, valve, or other portion needs to be cleaned – no more cleaning is necessary.

XII. Maintenance:

From time to time, it may be necessary to clean or replace worn parts within the marker. For this, you will need to break down the marker further than the regular maintenance lists above. This section will be broken into subsections: The Grip Frame, the Chassis, and the regulator. I will assume the marker has been degassed, the barrel has been removed and the marker checked for residual air and paint. Be SAFE!

Tools Needed:

A full set of American Allen Keys.

Autococker® Valve Tool

Spanner (Crescent Wrench)

Q-Tips©

Needle Nose Pliers

Small Socket Set (optional)

Wooden Dowel $-\frac{3}{4} \times 8$ inches.

Quality Lubricant – I use KC Concepts® Blue oil and Dow® 55 Grease.

NOTE: All of the reference photos currently show the Series 5 Basic. The premise is the same on the S6

Grip Frame Disassembly and Maintenance:

1. Remove the screw (5/64th) that attaches the auto trigger arm and cam to the frame.



2. Remove the grip panels screws (4 - 5/64th) and the grip panels.

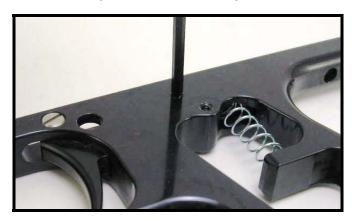


3. Remove the screws (2 1/8th Allen Screws for the SS 25 and one 1/8th and one 3/32nd for the S6P) that attach the frame to the marker chassis. The screws on the Series 6 are submerged and thus can be simply loosened a turn or two and the frame slid to the rear of the marker and removed. The Series 6 screws are of two different lengths – ensure you replace these properly when reassembling. Set the chassis aside.



4. Remove the Auto Trigger Arm and Cam from the .45 frame. Sometimes you can simply rotate the AT arm to remove it - if it feels stuck you will most likely have to back out the undertravel screw (see below).

- SS-25 Pictured Carefully (the sear is under slight spring tension) remove the sear retention pin. Simply push out the pin using a punch or a small Allen key.
- 6. **Step Four (S6P Frame Not Pictured):** Carefully (the sear is under slight spring tension) remove the sear retention pin. There is a small grub screw to remove and then a small pin can be used to push out the sear retention pin.



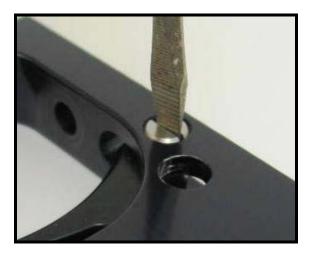
7. The Sear, Sear Retention Pin, and Spring will come out.



8. Inspect the Sear to see if it has wear where the lug catches. (Notice the slight wear on this sear.) Wear can cause the marker to 'skip' (not recock from time to time) or be VERY hard to time the auto trigger. Replace this if wear is evident or malfunctions are occurring. This should not need to be done often and perhaps will never need to be replaced on your marker.



9. Remove the Trigger Shoulder Bolt (Flathead Screw Driver on SS 25 and 1/8th Allen on S6P) and slide the trigger from the frame. Also, remove the Trigger Undertravel Screw (shown with the bottom Allen key) - it must be removed from the top of the frame. Use Blue Loctite® on these screws upon reassembly. Be sure not to over tighten the Trigger Shoulder Bolt. Over tightening can cause drag on the trigger.



10. Your trigger frame is now completely disassembled. Clean thoroughly and reassemble.

Chassis Disassembly and Maintenance:

- 1. Remove the Bolt Pin, Bolt, and Cocking Rod.
- 2. Remove the back block by spinning it anti clockwise. Note how many turns it took. This will ease reassembly.



- 3. Slide the Pump Handle and Pump Arm off the marker.
- 4. Use a 3/32 screw to remove the Front Block Retaining Screw.



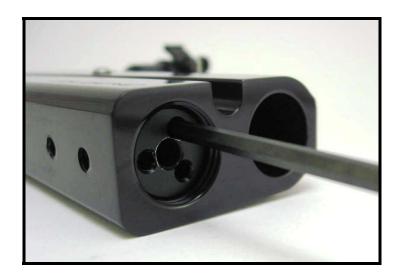
5. Slide the front block out of the marker use great care. There are two orings on the shaft of the front block that can be damaged by the two screw holes they must pass by. When you get the front block out – the valve pin and spring will come out the front.



6. Note the depth of the Lug before disassembly. You want to replicate this depth upon reassembly. It will make timing the marker much easier.



7. Remove the IVG from the marker (1/8th Allen Key) noting its depth from flush to the rear of the body. About 2 full turns or 2.5 turns are normal. The main spring will also come out at this point.



8. Insert a 1/8th Allen key into the Timing Hole (on the top of the marker) and turn the lug until it is flush with the hammer. This allows for the removal of the hammer.



9. Remove the Valve Retaining Screw 5/32 from the bottom of the marker. This screw has an o-ring that I would apply Dow 55 to upon reassembly.





10. Insert the wooden dowel into the rear of the marker and slowly push the valve out of the front of the marker. Again, this valve body has two o-rings on it that can be damaged. Go slow and be careful.



11. Set aside the bottom tube set and carefully inspect the o-rings on both the Valve Body and the Front Block. Replace as necessary.



This is the CCM® SS25 and S6P internals set. From left to right – top to bottom: Main Spring, Hammer Assembly, Valve Assembly, Valve Body, IVG, Valve Body Retentions Screw, and Valve Spring. .

12. Inspect the Valve Seal. If it appears damaged – replace it. These can last a very long time, but dirt and other debris can cause them to fail. If your marker is leaking down the barrel (and the cause is not the pressure of the marker being too low) it may be a bad Valve Seal.



The valve seal is a modular unit that can be taken apart and only the o-ring needs to be replaced. The Valve Pin and Valve Base (Top Hat) are held together with Blue Loc-tite and heat may assist in disassembly. Use Blue Loc-tite upon reassembly.

- 13. Check to see that the hammer lug has enough tension when you adjust it. If it does not have enough tension it could vibrate loose during play and change your timing. There is a nylon screw in the base of your hammer (past the Cocking Rod) that can be adjusted. Take the Sear Lug completely out of the hammer. Turn the screw (3/32) in until you see it protrude into where the Sear Lug goes. At the reinsert the lug and tighten it past the nylon screw. This will give tension to the Sear Lug.
- 14. Use a 1/16th Allen Key to remove the Wire Detent Screw (SS 25) or both screws that retain the Detent Covers (S6P). Inspect the rubber detents (S6P) and replace if necessary. These are Spyder® Detents and can be found at any competent pro-shop.
- 15. Clean these parts completely and reassemble.

NOTE: When reassembling the Valve and Front Block – lubricate these o-rings with Dow 55 and slide them carefully into the bottom tube. A small flathead to assist all of the o-rings past the threaded holes of the bottom tube. This will prevent these from being cut or nicked. Be very careful – most leaks occur with damaged o-rings at this point.

Stock Class Feed Disassembly:



If you are lucky enough to have a Stock Class Feed Assembly, congrats because they are rare. The whole assembly only has three screws and two threaded parts. All three screws ar 5/64th.

1. Remove the visible screw on top of the feed port plug.



2. Remove both of the hidden screws that attach the feed to the body of the SS 25.





Disassembled Stock Class Feed

Regulator Disassembly and Maintenance:



Assembled Regulator

(CCM® has had various models of this regulator – the internals have not changed.)



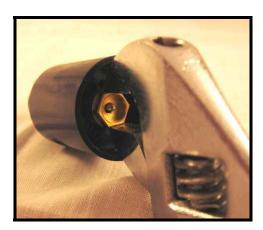
Disassembled Regulator

(From Right: to Left: 3/16th Adjustment Screw, Regulator Housing Bottom, Spring Seat Plate, Spring, Regulator Piston and O-Ring, Poppet Nut, Poppet Seat, Poppet Pin, Poppet

1. Spring, Regulator Housing Top, O-Ring.)Unscrew the halves of the regulator. CCM® has machined flats into the bottom of the regulator to assist in disassembly however, this is often not necessary to use. If you do, use some sort of protection so that you do not mar the anodizing.



2. Use a spanner (or a 3/8th inch socket) to remove the Regulator Pin Retainer.



3. Carefully dump out the rest of the pieces from the top of the regulator.



- 4. Clean (use your Q-tips® in all the appropriate places on the regulator top) and replace the regulator Pin O-Ring if necessary. Apply a light coat of oil to these parts and replace them.
- 5. Use your Needle nose pliers to pull out the Regulator Piston and O-ring (marring the cone portion of the regulator piston is okay just do not mar where the regulator pin touches the regulator piston). You can also take the Velocity adjustment screw out of the bottom and use an Allen key to push the assembly out the top. However, if your regulator is very dirty this may push dirt into the assembly.



- 6. Carefully dump out the Spring and Spring Seat (this may take a few taps on your hand or a non-marring surface).
- 7. Unscrew the 3/16 adjustment screw from the bottom.
- 8. Clean the bottom portion and replace the Regulator piston or Regulator Piston O-Ring if necessary.

- 9. CCM® packs the lower portion in clear grease. I have found no grease is necessary here and simply apply a coat of KC Concepts® oil on all the parts. I have also used Dow® 55 on the Piston and Piston O-Ring.
- 10. Put the regulator bottom back together and screw in the 3/16th screw flush with the base of the reg.
- 11. Reassemble the regulator and check it. I use a simply pressure testing kit. Set the Regulator at 350 PSI. If not simply follow the set up instructions above.

XIII. Pimpin' Your 'Ride':

There is very little one can do to either of these markers to improve their performance. Both come with delrin bolts, polished and lightly sprung internals, and a good pump kit. However, I have experimented with trying to squeeze a little more performance out of both since I have owned them. I will start with what is a waste of money and time and then move on to the few modifications that seem to work.

What Not To Buy:

Regulator:

The regulator that comes with the CCM® is essentially a Torpedo® style regulator. It is a tried and true design and I have had very few problems with my CCM® regulators. I have used a CCM® regulator for over two years without changing a seal and perform maintenance every few months as described above.

Barrel:

I have found that the stock barrel is a very good and accurate barrel. It comes stock with a 2" control bore at .690 Inner Diameter that opens up to .695 at the tip. If you want to match paint and have a greater flexibility in a barrel you may want to purchase additional backs for your CCM® marker. The two inch control bore, in my opinion, may not be the most efficient but it is accurate and very high quality.

A Low Pressure Tank:

I have used both 450 psi output tanks and 800 output tanks on my CCM® markers for a few years and see no difference in performance. I rarely even need to adjust my regulator to compensate for the slight difference in output from the secondary regulator when switching from tank to tank. The CCM® regulator is a 50 to 1 regulator and thus switching from a low pressure tank to a high pressure tank will only result in an 8 psi output difference at the secondary regulator. This will not make that much difference in FPS over the chronograph.

Some may argue that your regulator will work much less hard by using a high pressure tank – but I don't think with a pump that really matters. With that said, however, I do use a low pressure tank. This is simply because I already had it when I bought my first CCM® .

Agitating Hopper:

I have found that the fastest any pump with an auto trigger can be fired tops out at about 7 balls per second. Due to the rocking motion inherent in the pumping process, a good feeding gravity hopper will work just fine. I have had no issues with a VL 200, an Empire® Hopper, or even an Ammo Box during high rates of fire. I currently use a modified Sportshot Hopper that feeds great at about 6 to 7

bps that I can achieve in rapid fire. I find that an agitating loader simply adds weight and is unnecessary.

Drop Forward:

This may be a matter of opinion on my part but I think that due to the risk of the bolt smacking you in the mask when you re-cock the marker a straight rail is probably the best option when mounting your tank. I have used the CCM® straight rail and even there small drop (mounted in reverse) with great success. I find it allows me to go off hand a little easier and lessens the chance of me getting lens bite.

What To Do:

Besides sweet spotting the regulator, buying fresh high quality paint, getting a fast feeding hopper, and a quality tank and tank regulator – you can polish the guide rods, the hammer and lug, the cocking rod, and the sear.

I use a polishing wheel (simply a polishing wheel attached to one side of a bench grinder) and I start with Non-Ferrous Rouge and finish with Jewelers' Rouge. Non-Ferrous Rouge is gray in color and can be aggressive. Go slow and pay attention. Both markers come fairly well polished so a little can go a long way. When you get the stainless parts very shiny clean the wheel and change to the Jewelers' Rouge (which is deep red in color).

After achieving a mirror finish on these parts – reassemble the marker and test them out. You will notice a bit more smoothness – it won't be miraculous – but it will be a bit faster. I touch these parts up from time to time to keep them very smooth.

CCM® also makes acrylic, colored, and clear pumps and triggers that can be purchased as well. These will add no performance but for those that like to accessorize – they are there for you.

XIV. Troubleshooting:

My velocity is very erratic.

This is most often caused by inconsistent paint sizing. See if your paint fits your barrel well and consistently. If not, try better paint.

I have good paint and my velocity is still erratic.

Clean your regulator. If this still is happening – replace the seals inside the regulator.

I have good paint, my regulator is working fine, and my velocity is still erratic.

Clean the bottom tube and hammer. If some sludge builds up on the hammer it can cause drag and cause the valve to open inconsistently.

Marker leaks down the barrel when I air it up but stops once I cock it.

This is normal and caused by CCM's use of a very light valve spring. This is a good thing overall and all you need to do is simply cock the marker *before* you air it up.

Marker leaks down the barrel after I pull the trigger but stops once I cock it again.

This is most likely caused by your Regulator Pressure being too low. Follow the set up instructions above and this should solve this problem, or set the regulator at 300 PSI and it should stop this leak.

Marker leaks down the barrel no matter what I do.

This is probably caused by a bad Valve Seal (Cup Seal). Replace this part. Sometimes you can get this leak to stop by running oil through the marker. Try this first and then replace the Valve Seal.

I pulled the bolt and replaced it out and now the marker won't shoot at all and is very quiet when I pull the trigger.

You have your bolt upside down. Reverse it.

My trigger is fine but when I lean my marker to the left (as I am shooting it), the trigger either won't move or gets very sticky.

Adjust the undertravel screw on the frame. Follow the set up instructions above. This screw stops the cam from being able to slide out of the grip frame.

I am chopping paint or getting a lot of barrel breaks.

If you are chopping paint, the most common cause of this is that your paint is too tight for the barrel of your marker. It is not causing your paint to chop it causing it to break in the barrel. Use a properly sized barrel or properly sized paint.

Your paint could simply be too brittle. I have found the CCM® markers tolerate brittle paint very well. Drop a few paintballs on the ground. If they break very easily – this is most likely your culprit. Get a more robust shelled paint.

Another common cause is that your detents are bad and you are double feeding paint. Again, you are not chopping paint but causing one ball to hit the other and break in the barrel. Replace your detents.

If you are indeed chopping paint – it is either user error (you are simply closing the breach on a ball), feed issues (your hopper is not keeping up) or your paint is horribly out of round and not fitting in the breach. Practice, get a better feeding hopper, or better paint.

The marker does not fire when I am using the auto-trigger or skips shots.

Lower the lug. Follow the setup procedures. If this does not solve the problem, it could be a worn sear. Replace the sear.

Trigger is very sticky.

Check to see that you have not over tightened the Shoulder Bolt that retains the trigger. This can cause drag on the trigger against the frame. In addition, this can be caused by simply having a dirty trigger frame.

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XVI. Additions and Changes:

We will be making changes to this manual periodically as we find out more and add more information.

Please feel free to contact <u>TF@Pumpenstein.com</u> with any additions, corrections, or changes.