



TAKTIKTM TENNIS

INTERACTIVE TETHERBALL LIKE NO OTHER

INSTRUCTION MANUAL



PATENT PENDING



8+
YEARS



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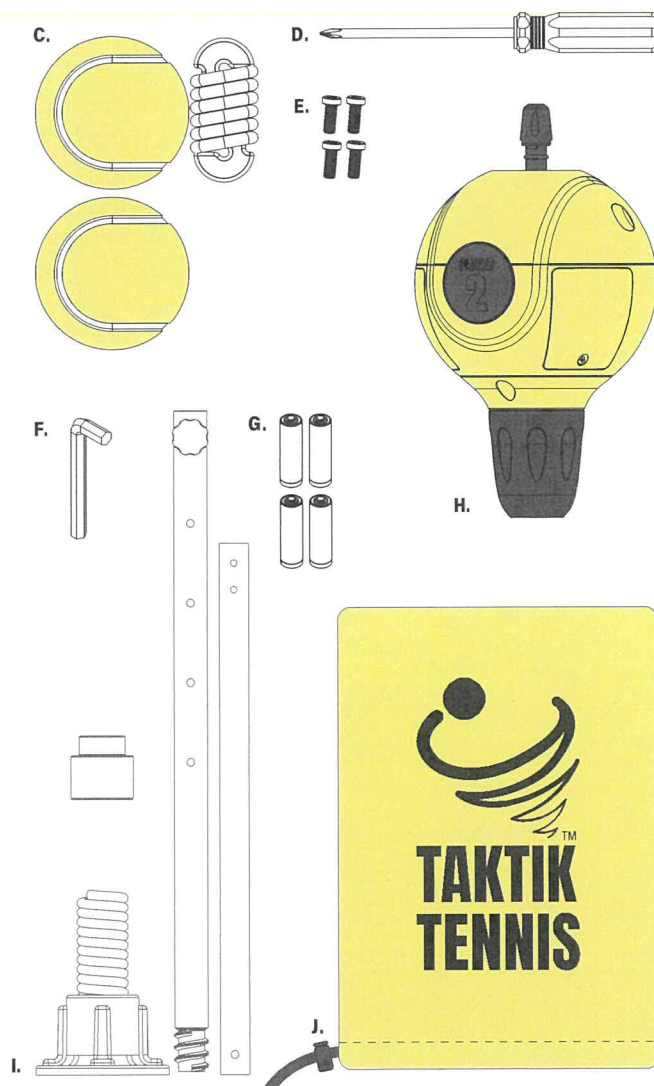
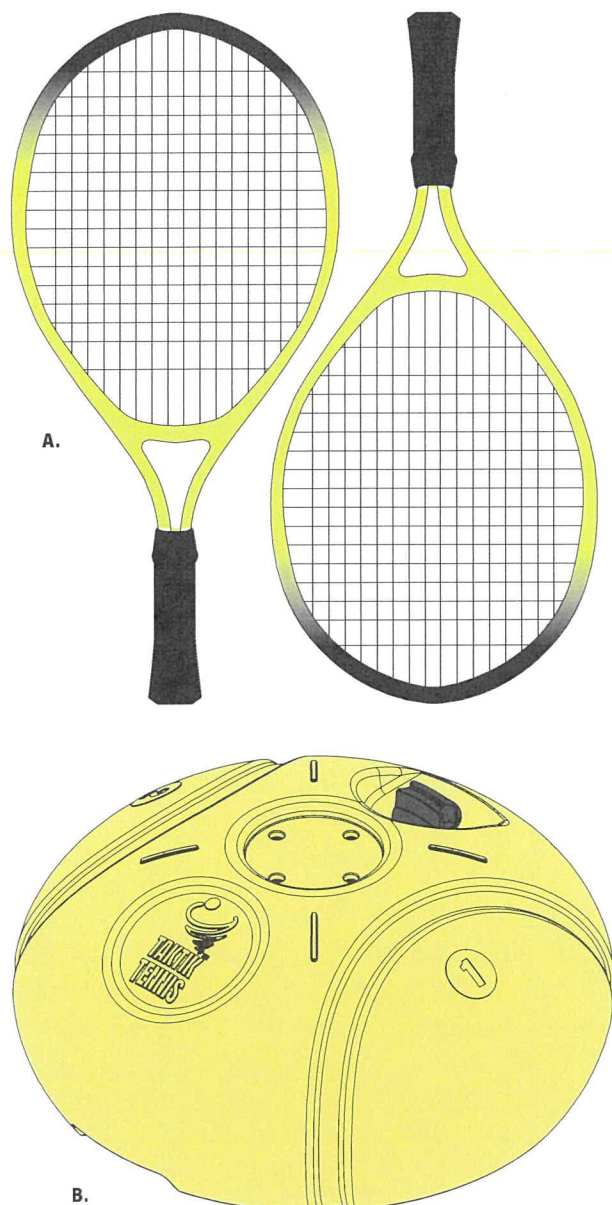
CONGRATULATIONS YOU ARE ABOUT TO HAVE GREAT FUN PLAYING TAKTIK TENNIS™ THE INTERACTIVE TETHERBALL GAME LIKE NO OTHER. GET READY...

BUT FIRST THINGS FIRST.

REMOVE THE TAKTIK TENNIS BAG FROM THE SHIPPING CARTON. (KEEP THE CARTON AND PACKING MATERIALS SAFE UNTIL YOU HAVE CHECKED THE UNIT FULLY)

OPEN THE TAKTIK TENNIS NYLON CARRY BAG AND CHECK YOU HAVE ALL THE ITEMS INCLUDED:

- A. 2 X 19" NYLON STRING TAKTIK TENNIS RACKETS
- B. 1 X TAKTIK TENNIS BLOW MOULDED BASE
- C. 2 X TAKTIK TENNIS BALL WITH 1.5M NYLON CORD
- D. 1 X CORD ADJUSTER
- E. 1 X PHILIPS HEAD SCREW DRIVER
- F. 4 X M10 BOLTS
- G. 1 X ALLEN KEY
- H. 4 X AA BATTERIES
- I. 1 X TAKTIK TENNIS HEAD PACKED SECURELY IN ITS PROTECTIVE BAG AND FITTED INTO THE DEDICATED RECESS IN THE BLOW MOULDED BASE. (THIS IS WHERE IT SHOULD BE PACKED WHEN NOT IN USE OR WHEN CARRYING ABOUT.)
- J. 1 X TAKTIK TENNIS ADJUSTABLE SPRING POLE (4 PIECES) IN PROTECTIVE BAG
- K. ALL-WEATHER COVER
- L. TAKTIK TENNIS INSTRUCTION MANUAL (THIS BOOKLET) & QUICK SETUP GUIDE



NOTE: VARIOUS REPLACEMENT PARTS ARE AVAILABLE ONLINE

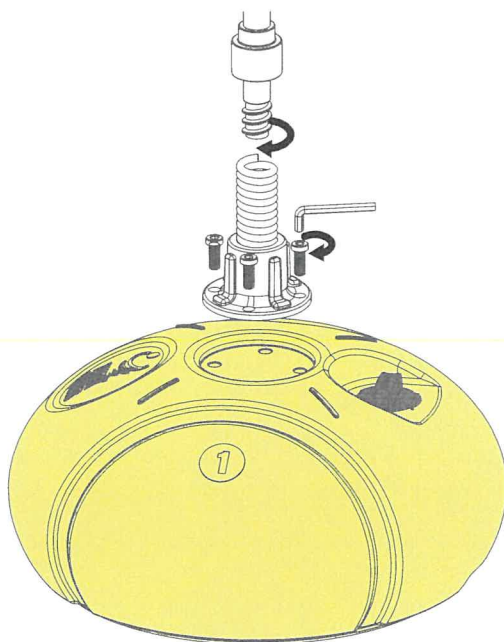
BEFORE USING TAKTIK TENNIS PRODUCTS OR SERVICES PLEASE READ TERMS AND CONDITIONS ON OUR WEBSITE IN PARTICULAR ASSUMPTION OF RISK (2.1 AND 2.2). ALWAYS EXERCISE SOUND JUDGEMENT WHEN USING THE PRODUCTS AND SERVICES AND PROVIDE ADULT SUPERVISION FOR CHILDREN AT ALL TIMES.

2. SETUP

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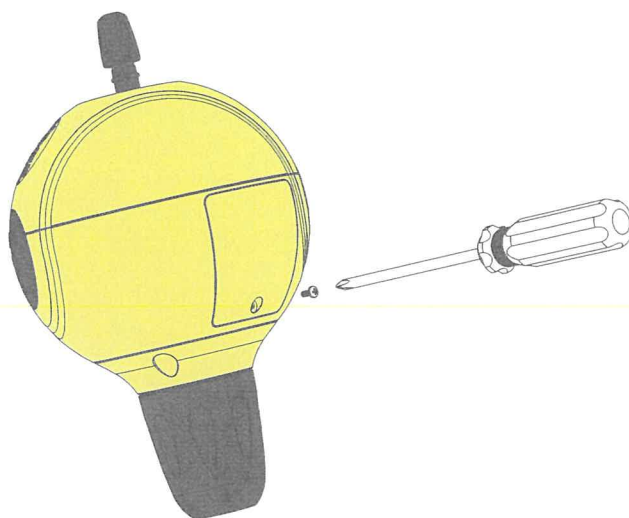
ASSEMBLE THE SEGMENTS OF THE T-FORCE SPRING POLE. FIT THE SPRING POLE TO THE BASE USING THE 4 X M10 BOLTS - TIGHTEN WITH THE ALLEN KEY PROVIDED.

DO NOT USE A DRILL AS THIS MAY CAUSE DAMAGE.



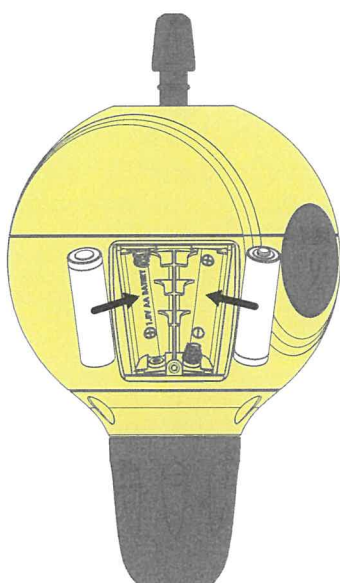
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REMOVE THE BATTERY COVERS ON THE TAKTIK TENNIS HEAD BY UNSCREWING THE BLACK SCREWS USING THE SCREWDRIVER PROVIDED (BE CAREFUL NOT TO LOSE THEM BUT IF YOU DO SPARES ARE PROVIDED IN THE ZIP POCKET AT THE BACK OF THE NYLON CARRY BAG).



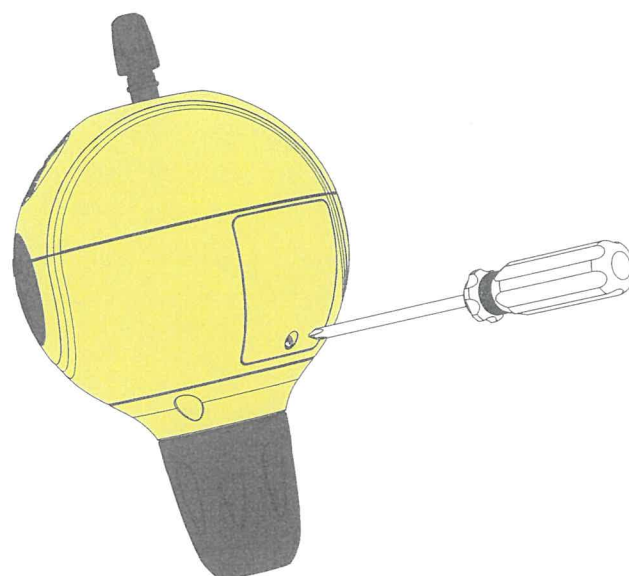
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INSERT 2 X AA BATTERIES INTO THE BATTERY HOLDER RECESS IN THE CORRECT ORIENTATION AS SHOWN BY MARKINGS ON THE PLASTIC. INSERT THE OTHER 2 X AA BATTERIES IN THE RECESS ON THE OTHER SIDE OF THE TAKTIK TENNIS HEAD.



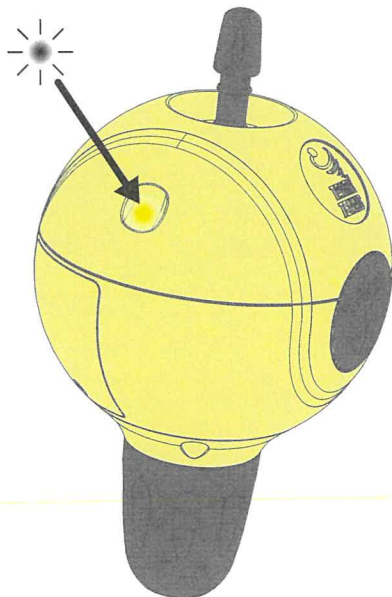
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REPLACE THE BATTERY COVERS AND SCREWS.



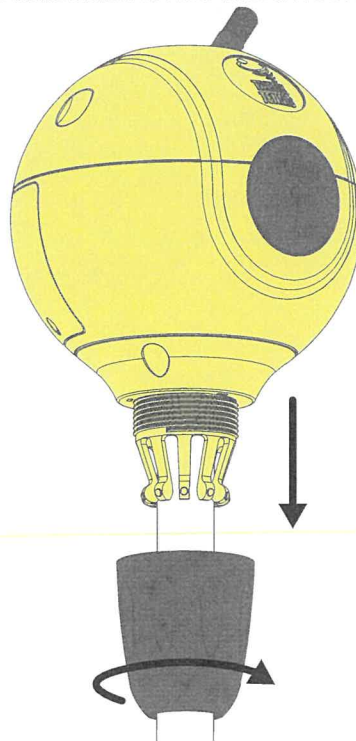
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PRESS THE FINGER RECESS ON THE HEAD TO TEST THE SYSTEM. MAKE SURE THE LED LIGHT STARTS FLASHING (IF NOT CHECK THE BATTERIES YOU INSERTED AGAIN).



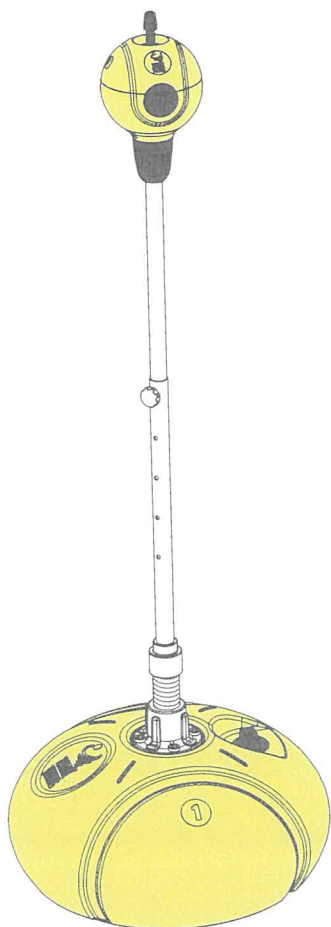
2.6A

PLACE THE FIXING NUT OVER THE POLE THEN PUSH THE TAKTIK TENNIS HEAD UNIT FIRMLY ONTO THE POLE ENSURING THE POLE FITS ALL THE WAY INSIDE THE PLASTIC. TIGHTEN THE FIXING NUT INTO POSITION AND MAKE SURE IT IS TIGHT ENOUGH TO STOP ROTATION.



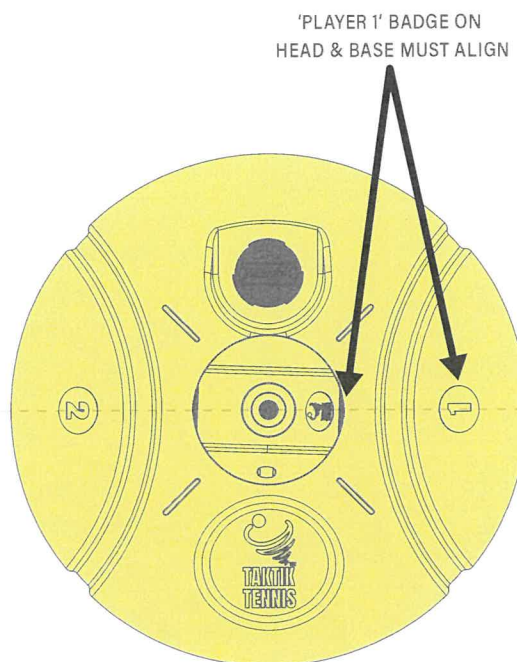
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THIS IS HOW THE UNIT SHOULD LOOK AT THIS STAGE



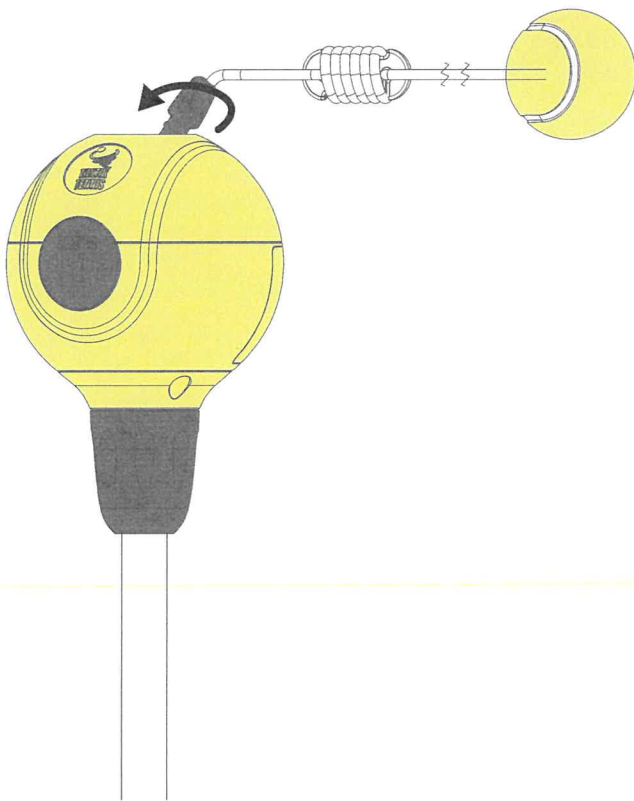
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ORIENTATE THE PLAYER POSITIONS ON THE HEAD UNIT WITH THE PLAYER POSITIONS ON THE BASE.



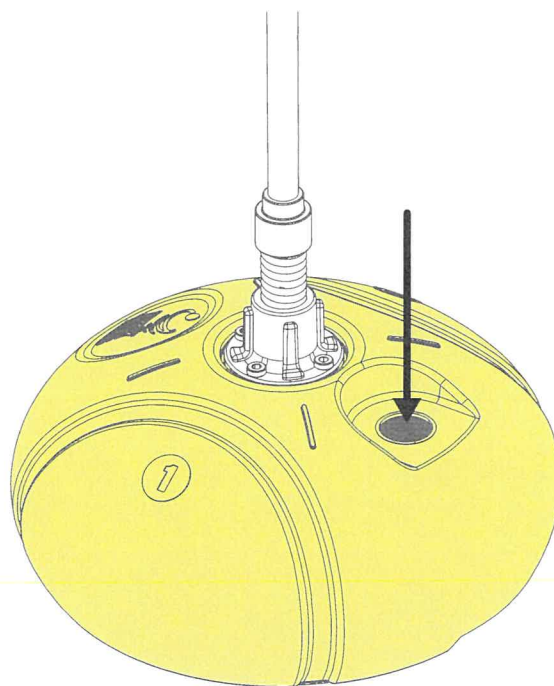
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TIGHTEN THE TENNIS BALL FIXING NUT ONTO THE PIVOT BALL. MAKE SURE YOU TIGHTEN IT FIRMLY AND CHECK REGULARLY.



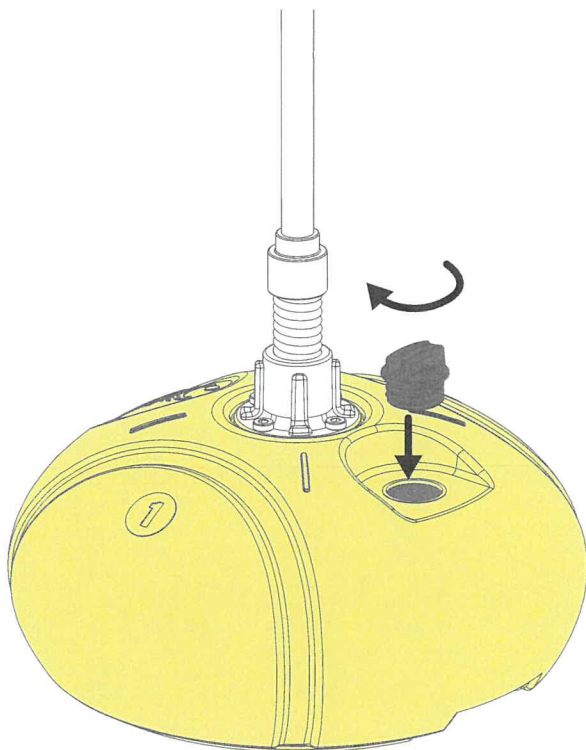
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REMOVE THE CAP AND FILL THE BASE WITH WATER OR SAND. YOU DON'T NEED TO FILL IT ALL THE WAY TO THE TOP.



2.8B

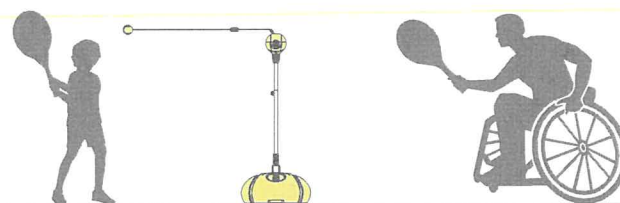
REPLACE THE CAP. MAKE SURE THE 'O' RING IS IN PLACE, THEN TIGHTEN SECURELY.



3. STRING LENGTH & POLE HEIGHT



ALWAYS ADJUST THE POLE AND STRING LENGTH TO SUIT PLAYERS INDIVIDUAL HEIGHT AND SKILL LEVELS. THIS CUSTOMISATION ALLOWS PEOPLE OF VARYING AGES AND ABILITIES TO ENJOY THE GAME.



4. SMART DEVICE APP

4.1

USING YOUR SMART DEVICE, DOWNLOAD & INSTALL THE TAKTIK TENNIS APP.

EITHER GO TO THE APP STORE

OR

SCAN THE QR CODE BELOW

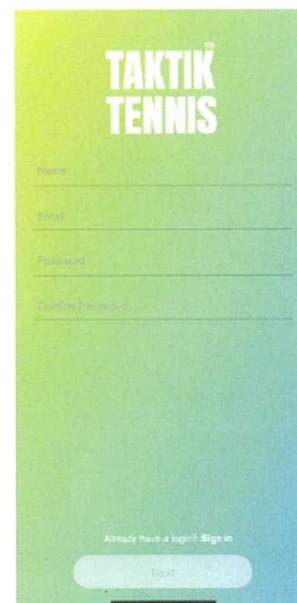


4.2

OPEN THE TAKTIK TENNIS APP. FOLLOW THE STEPS TO REGISTER. SAVE YOUR PASSWORD



LOADING SCREEN

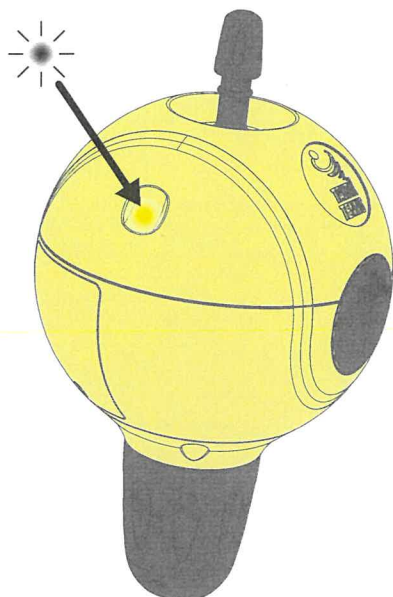


5. READY TO PLAY

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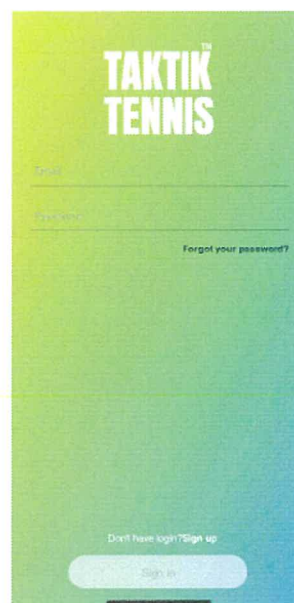
PRESS THE START BUTTON RECESS ON THE HEAD AND WAIT FOR THE LED TO FLASH.

NOTE: THE LED LIGHT WILL FLASH DURING PLAY, AND AUTOMATICALLY TURN OFF 5 MINS AFTER YOU STOP PLAY.



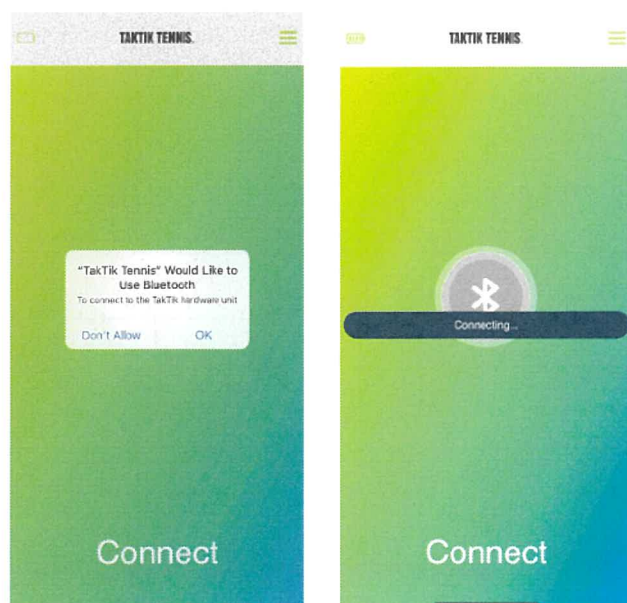
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SIGN IN TO THE APP ON YOUR SMART DEVICE.



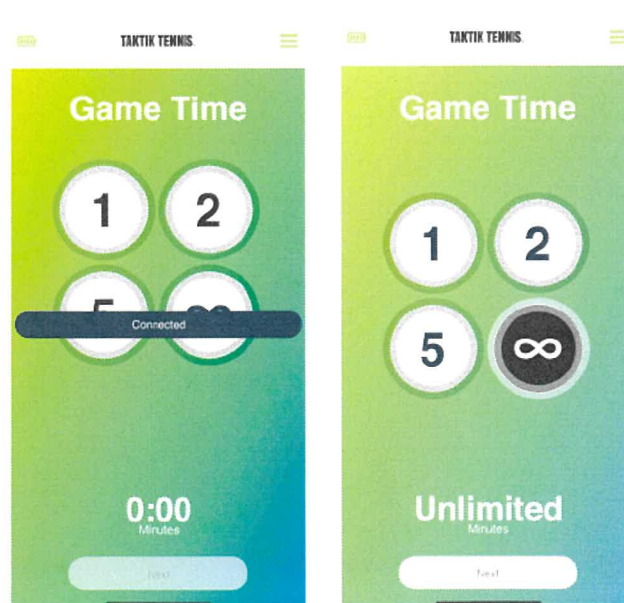
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THE APP WILL PROMPT YOU WITH A REQUEST TO ACTIVATE BLUETOOTH AND A MESSAGE SAYING 'CONNECTED' WILL APPEAR ACROSS THE SCREEN. THE BLUETOOTH ICON WILL TURN BLUE. BLUETOOTH RANGE IS APPROXIMATELY 10 METERS.



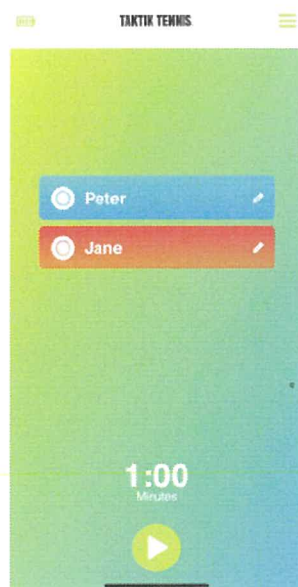
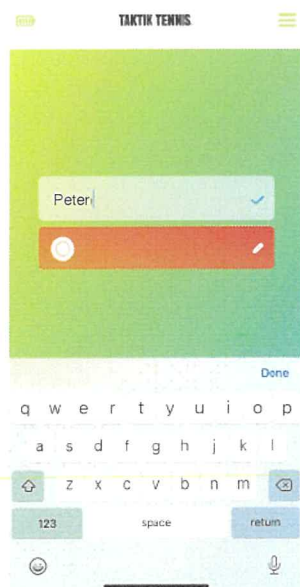
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SELECT THE DURATION OF TIME FOR YOUR FIRST GAME AND HIT NEXT



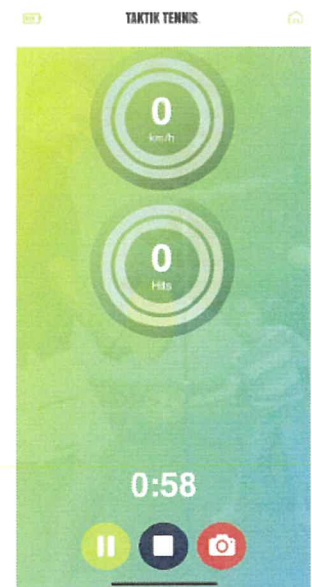
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ENTER THE NAMES OF PLAYERS AND SELECT WHO WILL BE PLAYING THIS ROUND (SOLO OR DOUBLES).



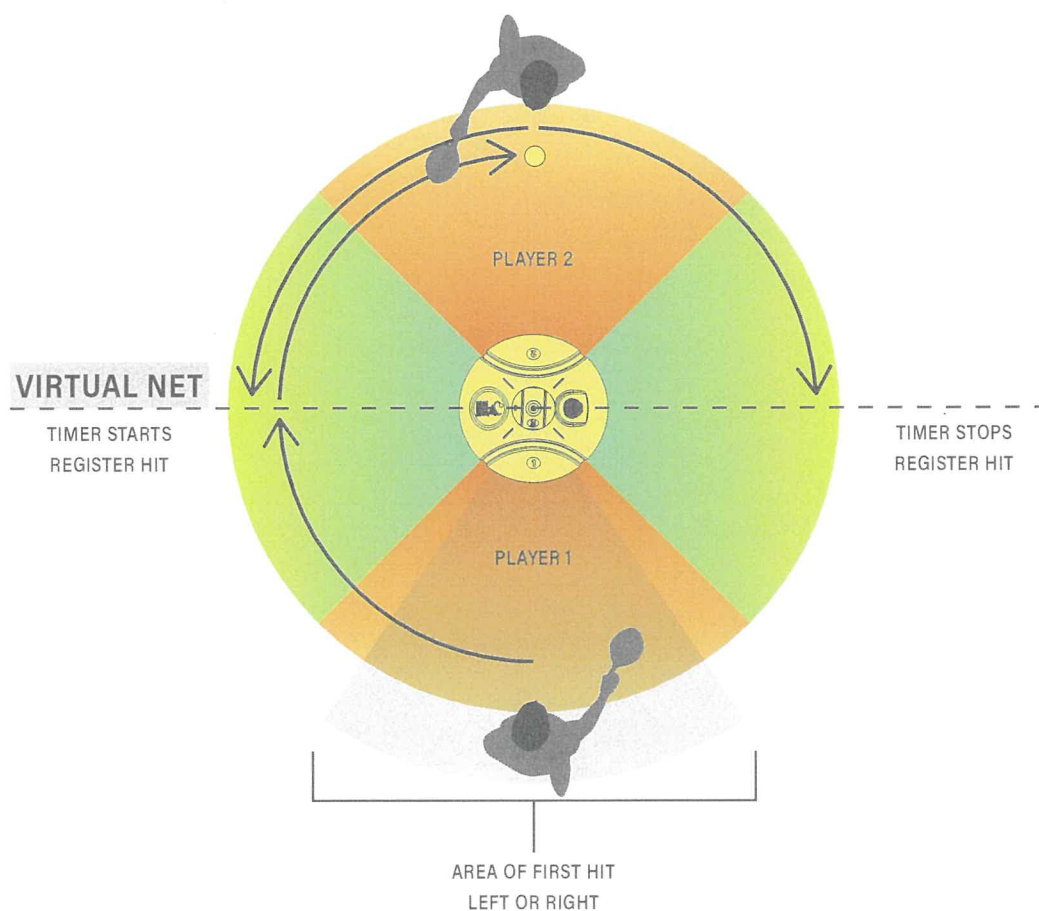
5.6

LISTEN FOR THE COUNTDOWN, THEN START HITTING.



5.7

MAKE SURE YOU STAND IN FRONT OF THE NO 1 POSITION AND SERVE LEFT OR RIGHT.
(NOTE: IT DOESNT MATTER WHO STARTS)



6. HOW TO WIN - SINGLE PLAYER

IT IS YOU AGAINST THE CLOCK. EACH TIME YOU HIT THE BALL (FOREHAND OR BACKHAND) AND THE BALL TRAVELS PAST THE MID LINE (VIRTUAL NET), YOU REGISTER A HIT.

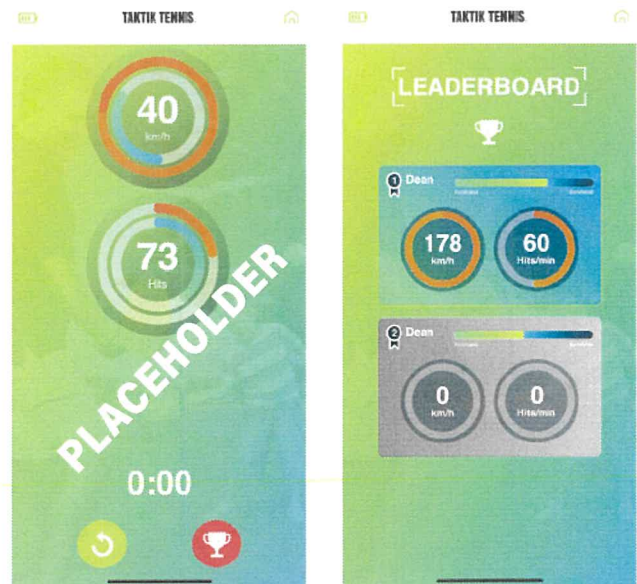
THE GAMEPLAY SCREEN DISPLAYS THE SPEED OF EACH HIT IN REAL TIME AND RECORDS THE NUMBER OF SUCCESSFUL HITS SO FAR. THE COLOURED RINGS SHOW FOREHAND AND BACKHAND HITS.

HIT THE BALL AS OFTEN AS YOU CAN, AND AS FAST AS YOU CAN.

WHEN THE TIMER RUNS OUT, PRESS THE TROPHY ICON TO REVIEW THE LEADERBOARD. YOUR BEST MINUTE OF PLAY (WITH THE MOST HITS/HIGHEST SPEED) WILL BE DISPLAYED ON THE LEADERBOARD. YOU GET A RANKING FROM 1-6 AND EACH GAME THAT IS PLAYED WILL UPDATE TO SHOW YOUR PERFORMANCE OVER ALL. TRY TO BEAT THE TOP SCORE ON THE LEADERBOARD FOR THE NUMBER 1 POSITION

THE LEADERBOARD ALSO DISPLAYS A BAR GRAPH SHOWING WHAT PERCENTAGE YOU ARE HITTING FOREHAND AND BACKHAND.

IF YOU MISS A HIT OR HIT IN THE SAME DIRECTION, IT WILL STILL REGISTER AS A HIT; HOWEVER THE OBJECTIVE OF THE GAME IS TO HIT FOREHAND/BACKHAND REPEATEDLY TO BUILD YOUR SKILL AND COORDINATION.



7. CAPTURE & SHARE

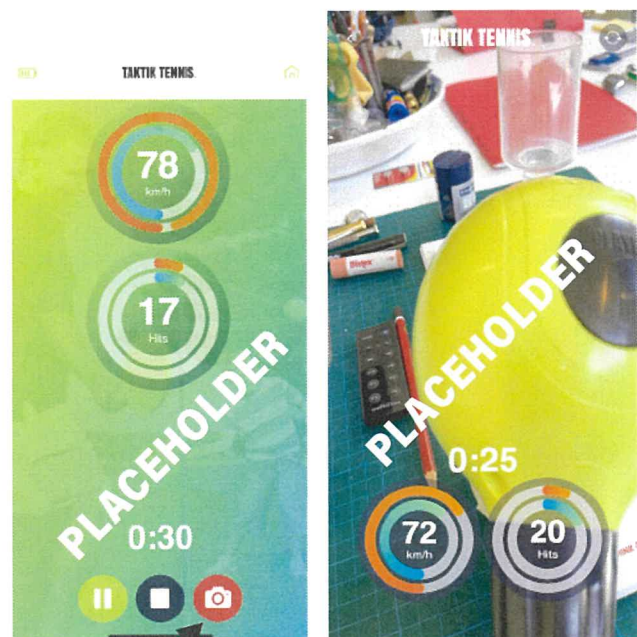
CAPTURE A PHOTO OF YOU PLAYING TAKTIK TENNIS TO SHOW YOUR FRIENDS AND FAMILY.

AT ANY TIME YOU LIKE DURING THE GAME, YOU CAN HIT THE CAMERA BUTTON AT THE BOTTOM OF THE GAMEPLAY SCREEN, THEN JUST TOUCH THE SCREEN TO CAPTURE A PHOTO. YOU COULD ASK A FRIEND TO TAKE A PHOTO OF YOU WHILE YOU PLAY, OR YOU CAN USE THE BUTTON ON THE TOP RIGHT OF THE SCREEN TO REVERSE THE CAMERA AND TAKE A SELFIE - AND SHOW SOME REAL ACTION.

YOU CAN TAKE PHOTOS MANUALLY AS ABOVE, OR GO TO GAME SETTINGS AND PROGRAM YOUR SMART DEVICE CAMERA TO TAKE SHOTS AT EVERY WINNING POINT, OR SET A TIME INTERVAL TO SUIT.

THE PHOTO WILL DISPLAY THE SPEED OF YOUR MOST RECENT HIT, AND HOW MANY HITS YOU'VE HAD SO FAR THIS GAME. SAVE YOUR PHOTOS, SEND THEM TO YOUR FRIENDS TO SHOW THEM HOW FAST YOU CAN HIT, OR SHARE THEM ON SOCIAL MEDIA.

DON'T FORGET TO TAG US ON INSTAGRAM @TAKTIKTENNIS AND USE THE HASHTAG #TAKTIKTENNIS



8. HOW TO WIN - DOUBLES

ENTER TWO PARTICIPANTS' NAMES IN THE APP, DECIDE WHO IS PLAYER 1 AND 2, SELECT HOW LONG YOU WOULD LIKE TO PLAY FOR, THEN START YOUR GAME.

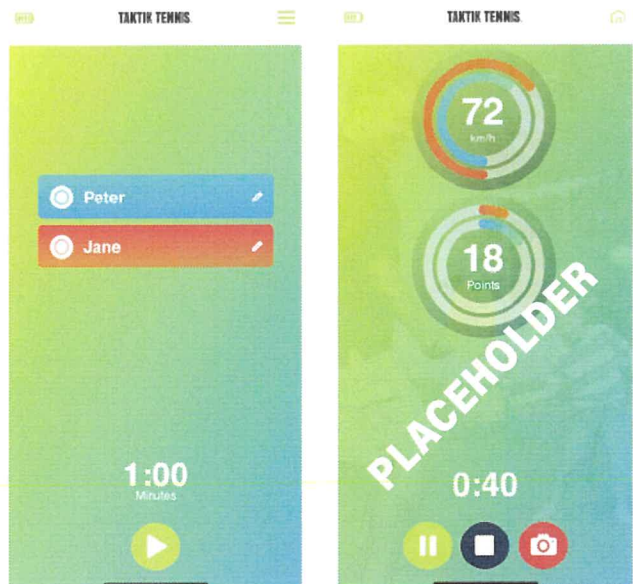
IF YOUR OPPONENT MISSES A HIT, YOU WIN A POINT AND OF COURSE YOUR HIT SPEED COMES INTO IT ALSO. SO THE BEST ALL AROUND PLAYER WILL WIN, AND BE SHOWN ON THE LEADER BOARD AFTER THE GAME WITH TOP SPEED AND POINTS/MIN. FOR EXAMPLE:

2 PLAYERS PETER (BLUE - P1) AND JANE (ORANGE - P2) START A GAME.
GAME 1: PETER WINS 41 TO 10 - THE LEADERBOARD WILL SHOW PETER AS RANKED NUMBER 1 (BLUE) AND JANE (ORANGE) RANKED NUMBER 2

PETER AND JANE DECIDE TO PLAY AGAIN.

GAME 2: PETER WINS 75 TO 31 - THE LEADERBOARD NOW SHOWS:
RANK 1 PETER WITH 75 POINTS IN BLUE (CURRENT GAME SCORE)
RANK 2 PETER WITH 41 POINTS IN GREY (PREVIOUS GAME RECORD)
RANK 3 JANE WITH 31 POINTS IN ORANGE (CURRENT GAME SCORE)
RANK 4 JANE WITH 10 POINTS IN GREY (PREVIOUS GAME RECORD)
BOTH PLAYERS IMPROVED ON THEIR PREVIOUS SCORES, BUT JANE HAS NOT YET BEATEN PETER'S SCORES. TIME TO PLAY AGAIN!

THE COLOURED RINGS IN DOUBLES MODE SHOW A COMPARISON OF WHICH PLAYER HAS THE HIGHEST SPEED AND THE MOST POINTS/MIN. YOU CAN HAVE LONG RALLIES BACK/FORTH BUT YOU WILL ONLY WIN A POINT WHEN YOUR OPPONENT MISSES THE BALL - JUST LIKE THE REAL GAME OF TENNIS.



SELECT PLAYERS TO PARTICIPATE

GAMEPLAY SCREEN
SCREEN UPDATES AFTER EACH HIT

9. END OF PLAY

ALWAYS PROTECT YOUR TAKTIK TENNIS HEAD WITH THE 'ALL WEATHER PROTECTION COVER'. THIS WILL PREVENT ANY ISSUES WITH SUN, DUST OR WATER DAMAGE WHEN NOT IN USE OR WHEN STORED IN THE BASE.

IN CASE YOU FORGET AND LEAVE TAKTIK TENNIS IN THE RAIN, DON'T WORRY IT'S WATER RESISTANT, JUST REMOVE THE HEAD FROM THE POLE AND SHAKE UPSIDE DOWN. THIS WILL REMOVE ANY EXCESS AND KEEP YOU HITTING HARD.

BE SURE NOT TO DIRECT A HOSE ON TO THE HEAD AS THIS MAY RESULT IN DAMAGE.



LEADERBOARD SCREEN SHOWING
THE METRICS OF PETER'S VICTORY

LEADERBOARD SCREEN SHOWING
THE METRICS OF PETER'S SECOND
VICTORY. PAST RECORDS ARE
SHOWN IN GREY.



10. CASTING TO A SCREEN

YOU CAN CAST YOUR DEVICE SCREEN ON TO A TELEVISION SO EVERYONE CAN WATCH THE GAME SCORING IN REAL TIME.

FOR APPLE DEVICES:

- CONNECT YOUR DEVICE TO THE SAME WI-FI NETWORK AS YOUR APPLE TV OR AIRPLAY 2-COMPATIBLE SMART TV.
- OPEN CONTROL CENTRE
- TAP 'SCREEN MIRRORING'
- SELECT YOUR APPLE TV OR AIRPLAY 2-COMPATIBLE SMART TV FROM THE LIST.

FOR ANDROID DEVICES:

- MAKE SURE THAT YOUR DEVICE IS ON THE SAME WI-FI NETWORK AS YOUR CHROMECAST DEVICE
- OPEN THE GOOGLE HOME APP
- TAP THE DEVICE FOR WHICH YOU WANT TO CAST YOUR SCREEN
- TAP 'CAST MY SCREEN' 



11. MENU & SETTINGS

ACCESS THE MENU BY TOUCHING THE 'BURGER MENU' ICON ON THE TOP RIGHT OF THE SCREEN. USE THE MENU TO CHECK THE LEADERBOARD, CHANGE YOUR ACCOUNT & PHOTO SETTINGS, AND CHANGE YOUR UNIT SYSTEM FROM METRIC TO IMPERIAL AS NEEDED.

LEADERBOARD

YOU CAN CHECK THE LEADERBOARD AT ANY TIME. YOU MIGHT WANT TO REMIND YOURSELF OF THE TOP SCORE TO BEAT, OR MAYBE YOU WANT TO COMPARE YOUR TOP SCORES WITH A FRIEND.

ACCOUNT SETTINGS

PHOTO SETTINGS

SET YOUR SMART DEVICE TO TAKE PHOTOS AT EVERY POINT OR AT REGULAR INTERVALS THAT YOU CHOOSE

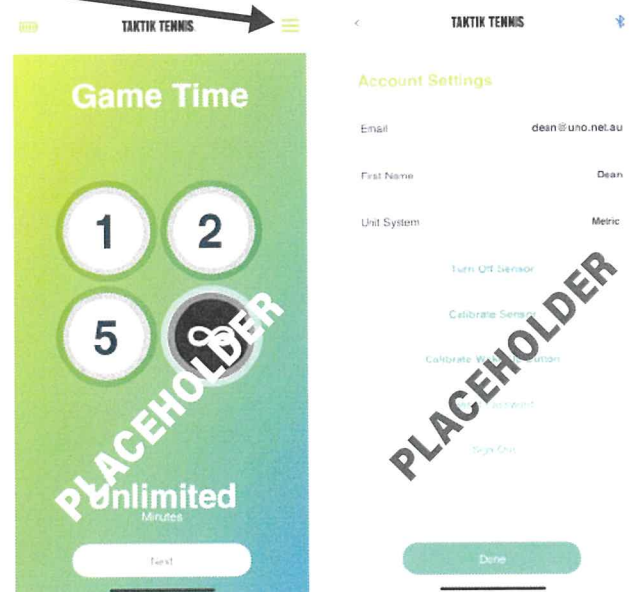
CALIBRATE WAKE UP BUTTON

IF THE UNIT IS NOT TURNING ON/WAKING UP WHEN YOU TOUCH THE SENSOR, THEN USE THIS BUTTON TO RECALIBRATE THE SENSITIVITY. YOU WILL NEED TO REMOVE ONE OF THE BATTERIES AND THEN PUT IT BACK IN AGAIN. RECONNECT THE APP, GO TO THE SETTINGS MENU, TAP THE "CALIBRATE WAKE UP BUTTON" AND PLACE YOUR FINGER ON TOUCH SENSOR GROOVE.

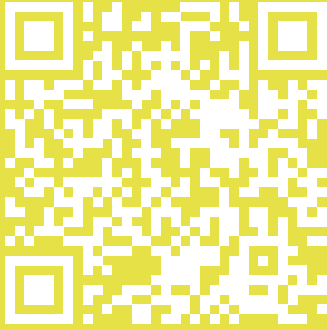
CALIBRATE SENSOR

IF YOU NOTICE THAT THE APP IS NOT COUNTING ALL OF YOUR HITS THEN YOU WILL NEED TO RECALIBRATE THE POSITION OF THE SENSOR.

GO IN TO THE SETTINGS MENU AND USE THE 'CALIBRATE SENSOR' BUTTON TO RESET IT. HIT OR THROW THE BALL WHEN THE APP SAYS 'START ROTATING' AND ALLOW THE BALL TO DO SEVERAL FULL 360 DEGREE REVOLUTIONS. CALIBRATION IS COMPLETE WHEN THE APP SAYS "CALIBRATION DONE".



NOTE: THE BLUETOOTH ICON AT THE TOP RIGHT WILL TURN BLUE WHEN CONNECTED.



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THIS DEVICE COMPLIES WITH PART 15 OF THE FCC RULES. OPERATION IS SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TWO CONDITIONS: (1) THIS DEVICE MAY NOT CAUSE HARMFUL INTERFERENCE, AND (2) THIS DEVICE MUST ACCEPT ANY INTERFERENCE RECEIVED, INCLUDING INTERFERENCE THAT MAY CAUSE UNDESIRE OPERATION.

CAUTION: THE USER IS CAUTIONED THAT CHANGES OR MODIFICATIONS NOT EXPRESSLY APPROVED BY THE PARTY RESPONSIBLE FOR COMPLIANCE COULD VOID THE USER'S AUTHORITY TO OPERATE THE EQUIPMENT.

NOTE: THIS EQUIPMENT HAS BEEN TESTED AND FOUND TO COMPLY WITH THE LIMITS FOR A CLASS B DIGITAL DEVICE, PURSUANT TO PART 15 OF THE FCC RULES. THESE LIMITS ARE DESIGNED TO PROVIDE REASONABLE PROTECTION AGAINST HARMFUL INTERFERENCE IN A RESIDENTIAL INSTALLATION. THIS EQUIPMENT GENERATES, USES AND CAN RADIATE RADIO FREQUENCY ENERGY AND, IF NOT INSTALLED AND USED IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE INSTRUCTIONS, MAY CAUSE HARMFUL INTERFERENCE TO RADIO COMMUNICATIONS. HOWEVER, THERE IS NO GUARANTEE THAT INTERFERENCE WILL NOT OCCUR IN A PARTICULAR INSTALLATION. IF THIS EQUIPMENT DOES CAUSE HARMFUL INTERFERENCE TO RADIO OR TELEVISION RECEPTION, WHICH CAN BE DETERMINED BY TURNING

THE EQUIPMENT OFF AND ON, THE USER IS ENCOURAGED TO TRY TO CORRECT THE INTERFERENCE BY ONE OR MORE OF THE FOLLOWING MEASURES:

- REORIENT OR RELOCATE THE RECEIVING ANTENNA.
- INCREASE THE SEPARATION BETWEEN THE EQUIPMENT AND RECEIVER.
- CONNECT THE EQUIPMENT INTO AN OUTLET ON A CIRCUIT DIFFERENT FROM THAT TO WHICH THE RECEIVER IS CONNECTED.
- CONSULT THE DEALER OR AN EXPERIENCED RADIO/TV TECHNICIAN FOR HELP.

THIS EQUIPMENT COMPLIES WITH FCC'S RF RADIATION EXPOSURE LIMITS SET FORTH FOR AN UNCONTROLLED ENVIRONMENT. THE ANTENNA(S) USED FOR THIS TRANSMITTER MUST BE INSTALLED AND OPERATED TO PROVIDE A SEPARATION DISTANCE OF AT LEAST 20 CM FROM ALL PERSONS AND MUST NOT BE COLLOCATED OR OPERATING IN CONJUNCTION WITH ANY OTHER ANTENNA OR TRANSMITTER. INSTALLERS MUST ENSURE THAT 20CM SEPARATION DISTANCE WILL BE MAINTAINED BETWEEN THE DEVICE (EXCLUDING ITS HANDSET) AND USERS.

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THIS DEVICE CONTAINS LICENCE-EXEMPT TRANSMITTER(S)/RECEIVER(S) THAT COMPLY WITH INNOVATION, SCIENCE AND ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT CANADA'S LICENCE-EXEMPT RSS(S).

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L'EXPLOITATION EST AUTORISÉE AUX DEUX CONDITIONS SUIVANTES :

- 1.L'APPAREIL NE DOIT PAS PRODUIRE DE BROUILLAGE ;
- 2.L'APPAREIL DOIT ACCEPTER TOUT BROUILLAGE RADIOÉLECTRIQUE SUBI, MÊME SI LE BROUILLAGE EST SUSCEPTIBLE D'EN COMPROMETTRE LE FONCTIONNEMENT.

THIS EQUIPMENT COMPLIES WITH CANADA RADIATION EXPOSURE LIMITS SET FORTH FOR UNCONTROLLED ENVIRONMENTS. THIS EQUIPMENT SHOULD BE INSTALLED AND OPERATED WITH A MINIMUM DISTANCE OF 20CM (MAY BE ADJUSTED ACCORDING TO ACTUAL CALCULATION RESULT) BETWEEN THE RADIATOR AND YOUR BODY.

THIS TRANSMITTER MUST NOT BE CO-LOCATED OR OPERATING IN CONJUNCTION WITH ANY OTHER ANTENNA OR TRANSMITTER.

DÉCLARATION D'IC SUR L'EXPOSITION AUX RADIATIONS:

CET ÉQUIPEMENT EST CONFORME AUX LIMITES D'EXPOSITION AUX RADIATIONS DÉFINIES PAR LE CANADA POUR DES ENVIRONNEMENTS NON CONTRÔLÉS. CET ÉQUIPEMENT DOIT ÊTRE INSTALLÉ ET UTILISÉ À UNE DISTANCE MINIMUM DE 20 CM ENTRE L'ANTENNE ET VOTRE CORPS.

CET ÉMETTEUR NE DOIT PAS ÊTRE INSTALLÉ AU MÊME ENDROIT NI UTILISÉ AVEC UNE AUTRE ANTENNE OU UN AUTRE ÉMETTEUR.