

Camping stoves

Camping is a favorite activity among many families and groups. It is a way for people to get in touch with nature. It is amazing how the equipment for camping has advanced. The old camping stoves made cooking a real challenge. First you had to fill the camping stoves with liquid gas, which could really be a hassle if you forgot to bring the funnel. It was also very dangerous if done close to the open camp fire. Next you had to twist the rod that extended into the gas tank that attached to the camping stoves on the outside, just the right way so that you could pump the tank. This involved covering the hole on the end of the rod and pumping until you could no longer get any more air into the tank. Then you had to twist the rod the right way to get it to lock back into the tank. This was to get the first burner going on the old camping stoves, the process needed to be repeated if the second burner needed lighting. The fuel tanks on the camping stoves were not very large, so often times they needed to be refilled during the cooking process. This could cause even the hardest of camper to turn to cold cereal for breakfast.

The new camping stoves are quite different. There is a very large selection of camping stoves ranging from the old models described above, to stoves that are turned on as easily as your kitchen range. The newer models of camping stoves have many burners that can be used simultaneously. These camping stoves do not require the pumping and twisting like the old models. The fuel sources have also changed in the new camping stoves. Most are now in closed disposable canisters so you do not have to be handling highly flammable liquids while you are in the process of cooking. The fuel tanks come in a variety of sizes also so you do not have to worry about running out of fuel in the middle of making a meal.

There are camping stoves that have ovens attached so you can bake on your camping trip. There are so many helpful pieces of equipment for camping, that the food preparation no longer needs to take up as much of your time. Instead of cooking on the old camping stoves for over an hour to prepare each meal, you can go explore the camp grounds, go swimming or hiking. Convenient camping stoves help free up your time and make preparing a meal in the great outdoors fun.