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OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

MUST BE READ PRIOR TO OPERATING THIS MACHINE



HAY RAKE

Ref: EHR

DESCRIPTION

The EHR is the successor of our HR19 hay rake. As standard, the EHR is supplied with nineteen einboch style tines, which are ideal for removing hay from wild flower meadows.

The SCH hay rake has been specifically designed to collect hay which has been cut with a drum or a sickle mower.

SPECIFICATIONS

Overall width	2000mm (79")
Working width	1400mm (55")
Wheels	400 x 8 pneumatic
Tow Bar	Rise & fall clevis as standard, 50mm ball hitch optional

SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

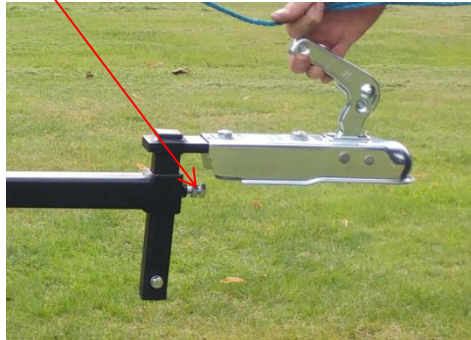
- Never leave your hay rake where someone could trip or walk into it.
- Always make sure that the rake is firmly fixed to the towing vehicle when in use.
- Ensure the rise & fall hitch, and jack leg locking bolts are secure.
- Never allow people to ride on the frame.
- Be aware of your surroundings and do not use the rake in close proximity to other people.

If in doubt, please call the SCH customer help line at **01473 328272**.

SETTING THE RISE & FALL HITCH

This operation is best performed with two people. Care should be taken to avoid trapping fingers when the hitch is being adjusted.

1. Hitch the rake to your towing vehicle.
2. Loosen the bolts securing the rise & fall hitch, to allow for height adjustments.



3. Raise or lower the hitch, so that the top of the hay rake is horizontally level, and parallel with the floor.



4. Tighten the bolts to secure the hitch in the correct position.

SETTING THE RAKE TINES

After adjusting the rise & fall hitch as shown in the previous steps, the rake tines should be perpendicular to the ground when in the working position.

The height must now be set so that the tines are just tickling the surface.

1. Loosen the 'T' bolt so that the jack legs can be raised and lowered.



2. Turn the handle at the top of the jack legs to raise or lower either side. The height should be adjusted so that the tines are tickling the surface



3. After adjusting both screw jacks so the tines are tickling the surface, and won't catch/dig into the soil, tighten up the 'T' bolts to lock the height in place.

OPERATION

The unit has a pull cord which can be used to raise the tines from the ground. This cord can be tied to the cleat on the tow bar to secure it whilst travelling to and from the storage area.



When ready to work -

1. Untie the rope from the cleat and let the tines drop, allowing the tines to be placed into the work position.
2. Drive forward slowly to collect the hay.
3. After collecting hay on the tines, stop the vehicle and **reverse approximately ½ meter to release pressure on the tines and locking mechanism.**
4. With the vehicle stationary, pull on the rope handle to raise the tines and release the hay. This action can be performed from the driver's seat.
5. Drive forward until you have cleared the dropped hay, then release the rope to allow the tines to lock into the work position again.

SPARE PARTS

Description	Quantity
Einboch hay rake tines	19
Wheel 400 x 8 pneumatic	2
Adjustable clevis hitch	1
Adjustable 50mm ball hitch	1
Pull Cord	1

Please contact us for help with spare parts.

WARRANTY

Your hay rake is guaranteed for 12 months from the date of purchase. This guarantee covers faults which may occur from defective parts or manufacture.

Damage caused by inability to follow instructions will void warranty.



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