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Congratulations on your purchase of an original Bredemeijer® teapot!

For the best use of this Bredemeijer® quality product please carefully read the following instructions.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE AND CARE

Before first use, wash the inside and outside with hot soapy water, rinse and dry. Before making tea always rinse the ceramic pot with a little boiling water to pre-warm it. Fill the pot with boiling water and either add loose tea leaves in the separate tea strainer or place a teabag into the pot. The strength of the tea is then determined by the quantity of tea and the time the tea is left to steep. After using the teapot and filter simply rinse with warm water and dry.

CLEANING

The interior of the teapot is enameled and can be cleaned with a soft cloth. Do not use an abrasive cleaner, chemicals, steel wool or scouring pad to clean the cast iron exterior nor the enameled interior. The inside of the teapot will gradually turn dark brown, which will enhance the flavour of your tea. Please note the enamel on the inside can break due to sudden temperature changes (so always warm your pot first) or by dropping the teapot.

RUST

It is not uncommon for any cast iron teapot to eventually start to rust, mainly around the lid and the spout. If you want to prevent this normal rusting you can grease the outside and edge of your teapot with a cloth using salad oil or similar. Do not apply any oil to the enameled interior of the teapot. After using the teapot, rinse with warm water and preferably dry with a soft cloth rather than air dry. Store the teapot without the lid as this helps prevent rusting. Placing a paper towel between the lid and the teapot will help to absorb any moisture.

HEAT SOURCES

- Cast iron teapots can be used on all heat sources except a microwave oven. The time it takes to boil water depends on the type of heat source used.
- Before placing the teapot on the stove please fill it with water/liquid.
- If placed on a gas hub or on open fire keep the flames low making sure they do not touch the teapot sides.
- Never allow the teapot to boil dry.
- Be aware that during boiling the teapot and handle can become hot.
- Warming an empty teapot on a heat source could cause changes of colour not covered by the warranty.
- For keeping your tea warm for a longer period we suggest using a tea warmer with tealight.

WARRANTY

Bredemeijer® provides a 2-year warranty on this product against any manufacturing defects, to be determined at their discretion and subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The product must be returned to us in accordance with our terms of return.
- 2. The warranty is only valid if the product was used in accordance with the instructions provided with the product and if no attempt has been made to repair it. Accidental damage is not covered

WARNING!

When using this teapot, remember that it is filled with hot or boiling water. Incorrect use of this teapot can result in severe burns and/or other injuries. Never place a warm teapot directly on the kitchen counter, tabletop or other surface as the heat could cause damage and stains, use a teapot stand or trivet. Keep out of reach of children.

We hope you enjoy your Bredemeijer® teapot!

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