Emergency Equipment



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Safety

The purpose of this safety summary is twofold. First, it is to help ensure the safety and health of persons performing service and maintenance on, or operation of, this Blue Bird product. Second, it is to help ensure protection of equipment. Before performing any service, maintenance or operating procedure on this product, individuals should read and adhere to the applicable warnings, cautions and notes located throughout this Blue Bird Service Manual.

Warnings

Warnings apply to a procedure or practice that, if not correctly adhered to, could result in injury or death. Particular attention should be paid to sections of this manual where warnings appear.

Cautions

Cautions apply to a procedure or practice that, if not correctly adhered to, could result in damage to or destruction of equipment.

Notes

Notes are used to explain, clarify, or otherwise give additional insight for a given subject, product or procedure. Please note that on occasion, notes too may advise of potential safety issues.

Introduction

The **First Aid Kit** is mounted in the front of the bus body above the right-hand windshield.

The **Fire Extinguisher** is located left of the driver's seat, or the right-hand side of the hood ledge near the stepwell.

The **Fire Axe or crowbar** is located on the electrical panel access cover, to the left of the driver's seat.

The **Flare Kit** is mounted on the left-hand side panel, behind the driver's seat.

The **Triangular Warning Device** for states requiring warning devices is located in the driver's compartment above the windshield.

Buses with optional locking emergency equipment in the front upper panel above the windshield have equipment behind the access door, and are labeled with a list of equipment.

The door locking mechanism is connected to a buzzer system. The buzzer sounds when the ignition is turned on, and the compartment is locked.

The Rear Engine models have emergency equipment located in the front of the bus body, in the center compartment at the floor, depending on the options.

First Aid Kit

Inspect contents weekly to ensure that all contents comply with applicable state specifications. Figure 1—First Aid Kit and Flares Above Right Windshield.

Flare Kit

- 1. Inspect contents of the flare kit every thirty (30) days.
- 2. Inspect the mounting fasteners every thirty (30) days to ensure fasteners are

tight. Figure 1—First Aid Kit and Flares Above Right Windshield.

Fire Extinguisher

Your bus may be equipped with a 2-3/4, 4-1/2, 5- or 6-pound extinguisher. Figure 2—Emergency Equipment Located Left of Driver's Seat.

Inspect the pressure every thirty (30) days to ensure the extinguisher is fully charged. Inspect mounting fastener weekly to make sure they are tight.

Fire Axe or Crowbar

Inspect installation mounting fasteners every thirty (3) days to ensure that the installation is accessible, unobstructed and tight. Figure 2—Emergency Equipment Located Left of Driver's Seat.

Triangular Warning Device

1. Inspect contents of kit every thirty (30) days.

2. Inspect mounting fasteners every thirty (30) days. **Figure 3—Triangular Warning Device Positioning.**

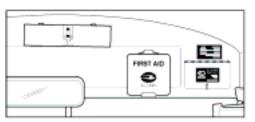


Figure 1—First Aid Kit and Flares Above Right Windshield

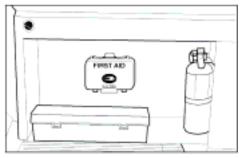


Figure 2—Emergency Equipment Located Left of Driver's Seat

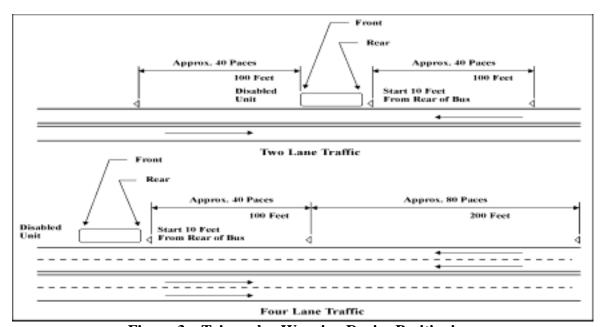


Figure 3—Triangular Warning Device Positioning

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