



# MIDWEST RAKE®

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## Lake Rake Assembly Instructions

### Tools Needed for Assembly:

- 7/16" wrench (two)

### Parts Shipped with Unit:

- Lake Rake head
  - 8" Quick connect splice
  - 50' Polypropylene rope
  - Poly float (color may vary)
  - Velcro cinching strap (2)
  - Wrap-around brace (set of 2)
  - Bolt bag
  - Aluminum slotted handle with black cap (not shown)
  - Aluminum handle with green vinyl grip (not shown)
- (Please note that the Poly float looks like a "Pool Noodle" and will vary in color)

### Assembly Instructions:

1. Identify handle with slotted end. Insert head rib into slotted end of handle. Align holes and insert one middle-size bolt. Do not tighten nut.
2. Align holes of flat end of braces with holes in rake head. Insert the two shortest bolts. Do not tighten nuts.
3. Align holes of wrap-around end of braces with handle. Insert longest bolt. Do not tighten nuts.
4. Once all bolts are inserted, tighten nuts, being careful not to over-tighten. This product is engineered to have a tight fit. Tightening nuts before all bolts are inserted may result in improper fitting.
5. Align float on front of rake head, as shown, and secure with Velcro cinching straps.

### Use of Lake Rake without Extension Handle:

1. Insert eyebolt through hole in top of handle. Secure with nut being careful not to over-tighten.
2. Tie rope onto eyebolt. Suggestion: Secure knot with a flexible, water-resistant tape (i.e. electrical tape).
3. Clearing the area of people and watercraft, the Lake Rake may now be thrown, from a standing position, to skim water surface weeds.

### Use of Lake Rake with Extension Handle:

1. Wearing gloves, depress snap buttons on one end of splice while inserting splice into the end of the handle, opposite the head just attached.
2. Gripping powder-coated blue surfaces, depress snap buttons on other end of splice and insert splice into gripped handle, snapping into position.

**If you wish to rake the lakebed, we suggest removing the float.**

#### FULL WARRANTY

All Midwest Rake products carry a full warranty against manufacturer defects in quality and workmanship. Products which have been abused or worn out from normal use are excluded from this warranty. We reserve the right to replace or issue credit on an individual basis.

## REPLACEMENT PARTS LIST

See Reverse Side

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## **LAKE RAKE REPLACEMENT PARTS**

SP10007	Head – 36"
VP20027	Handle – 66" blue powder coated aluminum (lower)
SA20030	Handle – 66" blue powder coated aluminum w/green vinyl grip (upper)
SA30001	Braces-wrap around (set)
SP50066	Velcro Cinch Strap
SP50064	Poly Float
SA30018	Quick Connect Splice
SP50065	Poly Rope – 50'
SA60059	Bolt bag: 4 bolts, 1 eyebolt, 5 loc nuts
SP50020	End cap - 1" black vinyl
SP50003	Grip – 6" green vinyl