



# USE & CARE INSTRUCTIONS

## NOT INTENDED OR WARRANTED FOR COMMERCIAL USE

Please read all information provided below before using the Bagel Blade. The blade is extremely sharp. Even though the Bagel Blade makes bagel cutting safe, quick and simple, practice caution when using this tool.

## DIRECTIONS FOR USE

1. Grasp the top of the handle portion of the Bagel Blade with one hand holding down on the base to separate the blade from the base.
2. Place the bagel into the base (See illustration #1)
3. With the blade pointing downward, position the handle of the Bagel Blade directly over the base. The handle portion will cover the base as you push straight down. Do so until the handle portion touches the base. (See illustration #2)
4. Lift the handle portion up while holding the base securely with one hand. Remove your perfectly divided bagel from the base. (See illustration #3). If the bagel sticks while removing the handle portion, use a utensil to push down on the bagel from above the blade



## RECOMMENDATIONS

- Slicing frozen or stale bagels will dull the blade on your Bagel Blade. Make sure to thaw frozen bagels completely before slicing or slice them before freezing.
- Bagels may compress or become squashed during slicing if they are too moist, sticky or steamy (such as freshly baked bagels). To ensure the easiest slicing, moist and sticky bagels can be toasted for a few seconds prior to slicing. It is advised to allow freshly baked bagels to cool off before slicing.
- Flavored bagels (everything, blueberry) may leave a sticky residue on the blade. To ensure your Bagel Blade works at maximum efficiency, clean it regularly. Ingredients containing acid may cause staining. Occasional staining or scratches will not affect the performance of your Bagel Blade.

## CLEANING INSTRUCTIONS

- To clean your Bagel Blade by hand, use warm soapy water and a bottle brush. The blade is very sharp; never reach into the handle portion. Do not use metal pads, steel wool or abrasive cleaners to scour the blade.
- Place on the top shelf when cleaning in the dishwasher. Use caution when removing from the dishwasher, so that you don't hit the blade.
- Keep out of reach of children. The Bagel Blade is not a toy. It should never be used by children of any age without adult supervision.