**Leaf Blower/Vac Petrol – Instructions for use**

**OPERATION:**

* Place the unit on the ground so that it is secure.
* Make sure you have a firm footing: Hold the unit firmly with your right hand on the housing and press down.
* Hold the starter grip with your left hand.
* Pull the starter grip slowly until you feel it engage and then give it a brisk strong pull.
* Do not let the starter grip snap back. Guide it slowly back into the housing so that the starter rope can rewind properly.

**Using the Blower**

* Your blower is designed for one-handed operation.
* It must be carried by the control handle in the right hand.
* Always hold the power tool firmly in your hand.
* Walk slowly forwards as you work – observe the nozzle outlet at all times.

**Using the Vacuum**

* Your vacuum shredder is designed for two-handed operation.
* Hold and operate the unit with your right hand on the control handle and your left hand on the assist handle.
* Wear the catcher bag shoulder strap over your left shoulder, not across your chest. This enables you to quickly remove the power tool and catcher bag in an emergency.

**STOPPING AND AFTER USE:**

* Move the stop switch to **0** – the
* engine stops – the stop switch springs back to the on position.

**SAFETY PRECAUTIONS:**

* Watch out for small animals when using the blower on open ground, in yards and gardens.
* Do not walk backwards – risk of stumbling.

**REQUIRED SAFETY EQUIPMENT:**

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