

Silverton Soapbox Candle Burning Instructions

When burned properly, you will be able to enjoy a long lasting, clean burning, fragrant soy candle. When you light your candle for the first time, it is very important to allow approximately one hour of burn time per inch of surface diameter, or until your candle has a complete melt pool, before extinguishing. (A melt pool is when your candle melts from edge to edge of your jar) It will keep your candle from tunneling down the middle.

TRIM YOUR WICKS

If you do not keep the wicks trimmed, problems can occur. All candle wicks can "mushroom" at the top, causing excessive flickering and/or smoke. Keeping your wicks trimmed keeps this to a minimum and also makes your candle safer. Trimming also prevents your wick from curling back into the wax. Use a sharp wick trimmer or scissors to trim the wick. Using a dull tool will split the threads causing the wick to 'mushroom' excessively. Our Soy candles are designed to be trimmed to 1/4" before each burn. By keeping your wick trimmed, it will prolong your candle life.

(Times may vary depending on room temperature and environment.)

WEAK FLAME ~ WICK WAS TRIMMED TO SHORT

If you trim your wick to short, or it has broken off at the base of your candle, your flame may be weak or may drown out. Don't fret, extinguish the flame and pour off some of the excess liquid wax into a safe container then relight. Your flame will come back to life and you will be able to continue to enjoy the wonderful aroma of you candle!!

HIGH FLAME

If the flame becomes too high or flickers repeatedly the candle is more than likely burning in a draft or it's time to trim the wick. If you do not keep the wick trimmed and out of drafty areas, your candle will soot.

Be sure to extinguish the candle before trimming or moving.

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