

A person wearing a black wetsuit and a black helmet is carrying a large red kayak on a wooden ramp. The kayak has a white circular logo with a stylized bird or wave design. The person is walking up the ramp, which is made of wooden planks. The background is a bright, sunny outdoor setting with a body of water and a rocky shore.

WAVE SPORT

CORE WHITEOUT OUTFITTING ADJUSTMENT MANUAL



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READ OWNER'S INFORMATION PACKAGE PRIOR TO USING PRODUCT.

The user of this product acknowledges both an understanding and an assumption of the risk involved in paddlesports.

TOOLS REQUIRED

- 4mm Hex Allen Wrench
- Standard Phillips Head Screwdriver

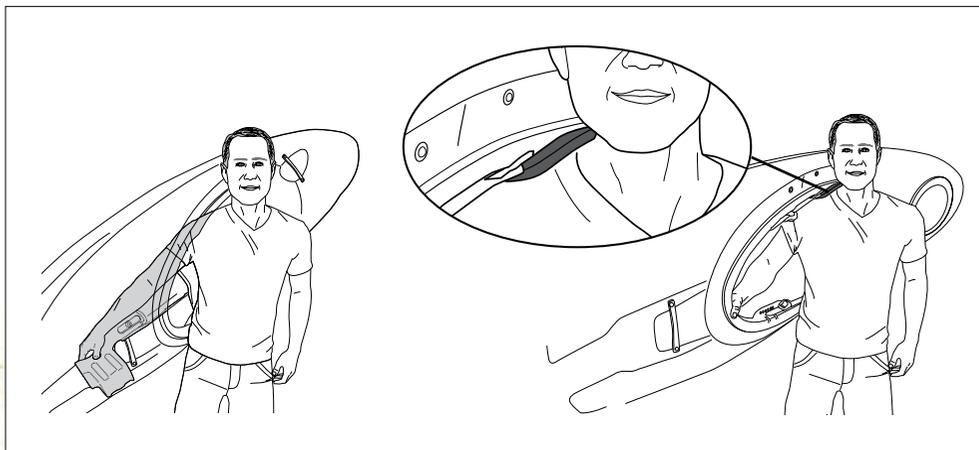
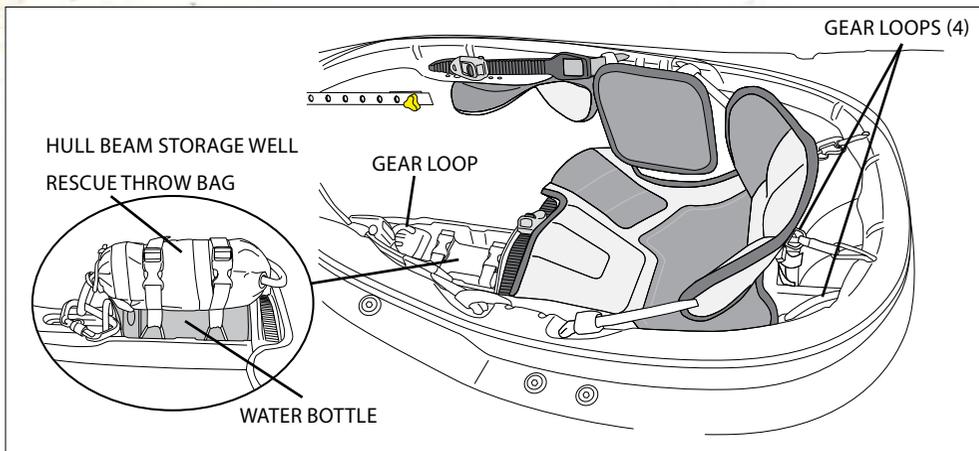
STORAGE OVERVIEW

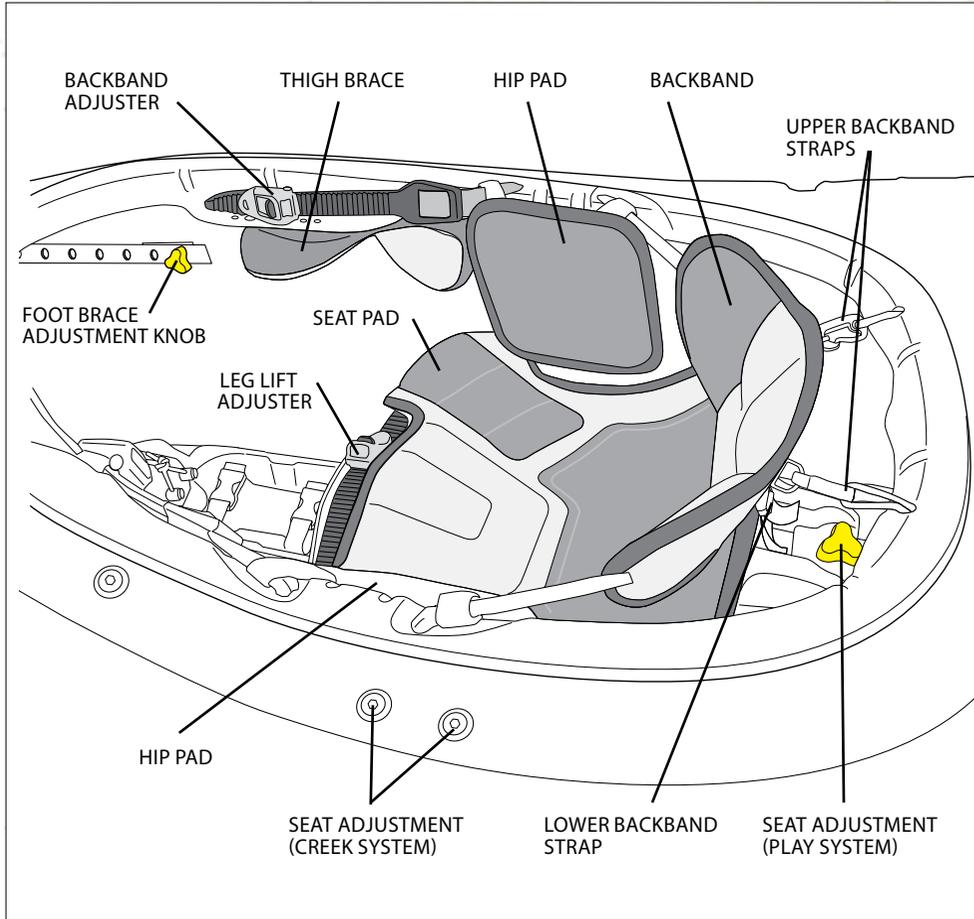
1. Your Wave Sport CORE WhiteOut seat system has multiple gear attachment and storage points located across the system.
2. A strap and buckle gear system is located at the bow position of the hull beam. Secure your gear in the storage well and buckle the straps together. Adjust the straps to desired fit. Additional tension can be created in the bow storage system by adjusting the cord lock and bungee at the hull beam tray.
3. Multiple gear loop attachment points with quick clip access can be found throughout the system.
4. Disconnect both upper backband connectors for greater access to stern storage.
5. Space under the leg lifter can be utilized for additional storage.

PRO TIP - Use the bow storage straps for water bottles, rescue throw bags, sponges, or small dry bags.

CARRYING OVERVIEW

1. Use the built-in hand grip to carry your Wave Sport Creek Boat.
2. Flip out the hip pad to protect your shoulder when carrying the Ethos Kayak.





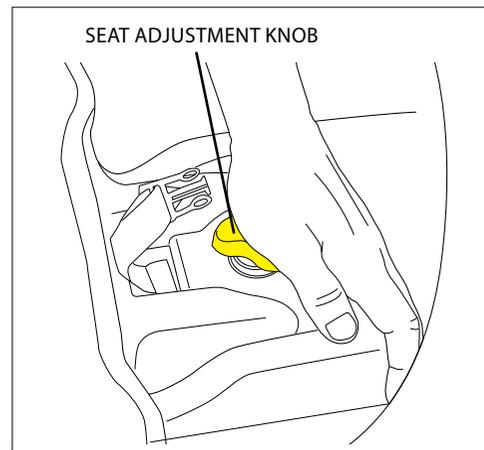
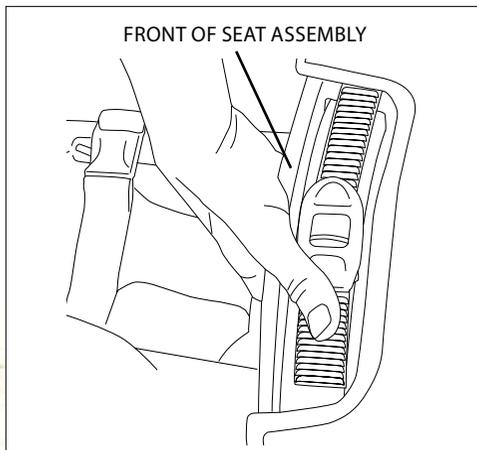
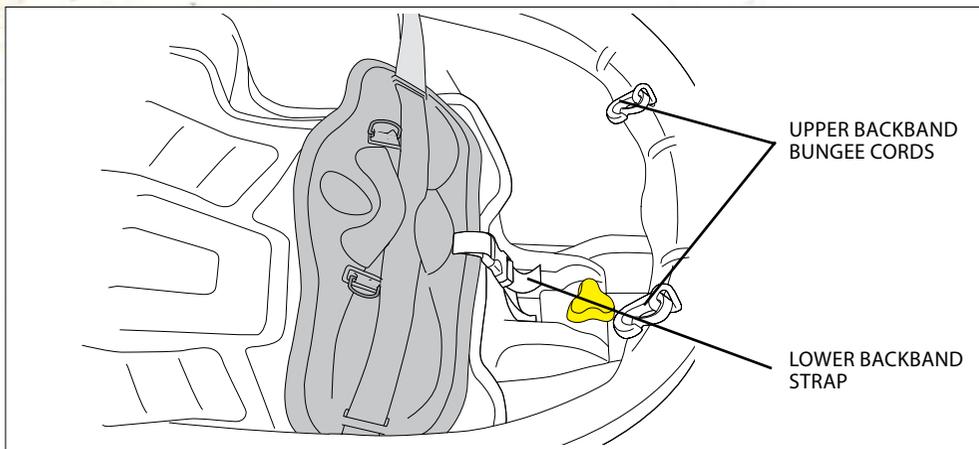
SYSTEM ADJUSTMENT OVERVIEW

- **SEAT ADJUSTMENT**
Allows for comfortable seat positioning (creek or play style seats).
- **FOOT BRACE ADJUSTMENT KNOBS WITH TETHER (L/R)**
Allows for comfortable, positive foot position adjustment (see p. 8 for freestyle foot brace).
- **THIGH BRACE (L/R)**
Adjusts for comfort against the thighs for increased boat control.
- **HIP PADS (L/R)**
Adjust for comfort to prevent excess movement.
- **LEG LIFT ADJUSTER**
Adjusts leg lifter beneath the thighs for comfortable leg positioning.
- **BACKBAND**
Adjustable for comfort and support.
- **BACKBAND STRAPS**
Adjustable for fine tuning backband comfort.
- **BACKBAND ADJUSTER (L/R)**
Adjusts backband for comfort and support against the lower back.

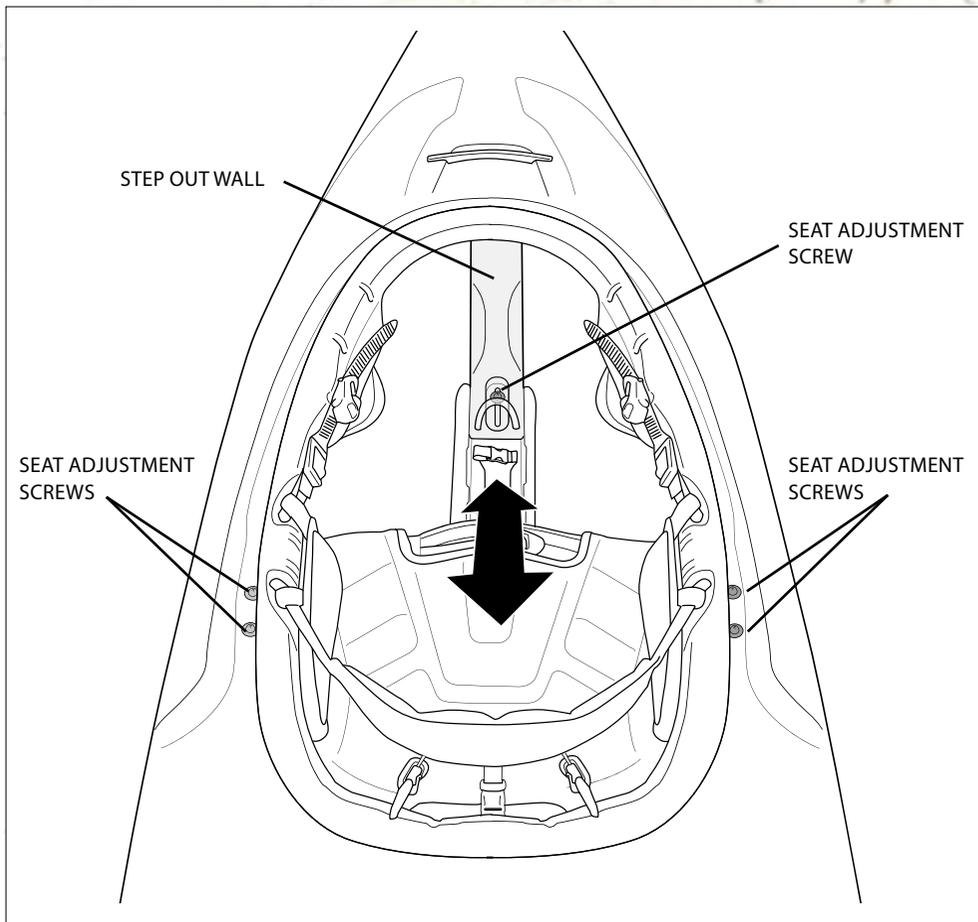
PRO TIP - The adjustments are listed in the recommended order to ensure proper fit.

PLAY SEAT ADJUSTMENT

1. Unfasten the upper backband bungee cords.
2. Loosen the seat adjustment knob by turning five to six times but DO NOT remove it.
3. With both hands positioned as shown, press straight downward on the rear adjustment knob and slide the seat assembly fore or aft to the desired location.
4. **Tighten the adjustment knob securely.**
5. Fasten the lower backband strap and the upper backband bungee cords.



PRO TIP - Always test your adjustments on calm water!



CREEK SEAT ADJUSTMENT

1. Loosen, but DO NOT remove, five seat adjustment screws.
2. With both hands, slide the seat assembly fore or aft to the desired location.
3. **Tighten five adjustment screws securely.**

PRO TIP

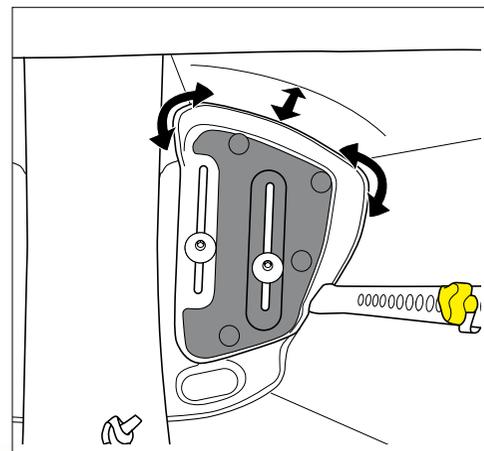
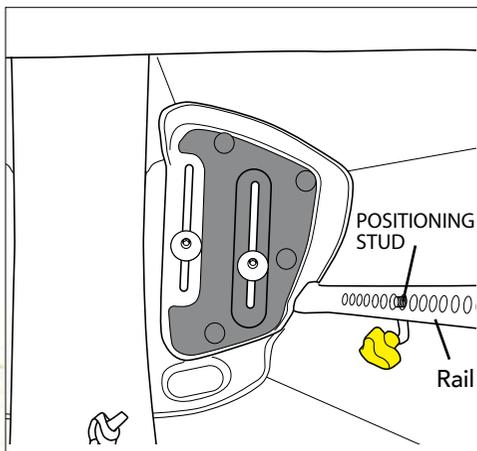
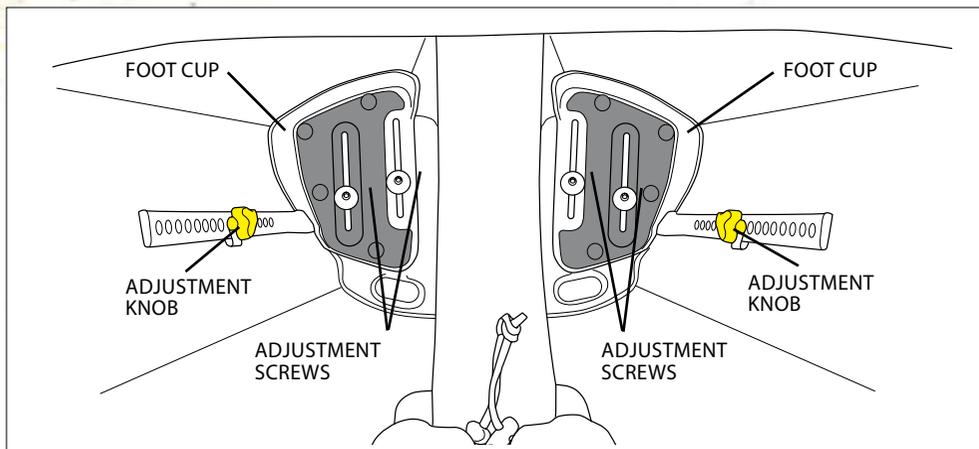
- Once loosened, the seat adjustment screws may require a good smack from the top to loosen the assembly.
- Safety step outs save lives! In the result of a pin, use the step out wall to assist in exiting the kayak.
- The step out wall has an integrated gripping handle and thumb locator for comfort and control when shouldering your kayak.

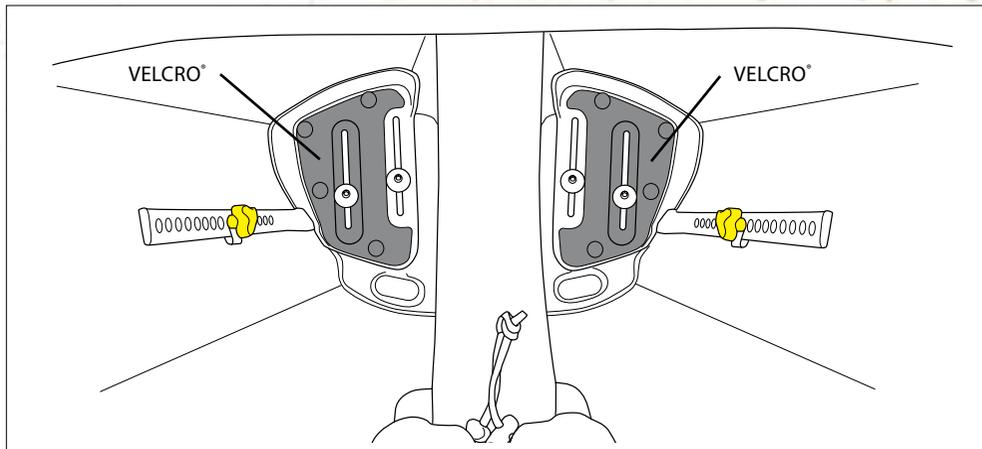
FOOT BRACE ADJUSTMENT

TO ADJUST BULKHEAD AND FOOT CUPS

1. Remove both adjustment knobs.
2. Remove both rails from the positioning studs and re-position to the desired location based upon your comfort. Note: Make sure you have outfitted the foot braces with the desired level of foam padding and are wearing preferred paddling gear to attain proper final positioning.
3. Loosen all four foot cup adjustment screws with a 4mm Allen Key.
4. Adjust each foot cup so that its top is flush against the underside of the deck. **IMPORTANT:** Do not leave any space between the top of the foot cup and the underside of the deck where your feet can become entrapped.
5. **Tighten all four foot cup adjustment screws securely.**
6. Fasten both adjustment knobs securely.

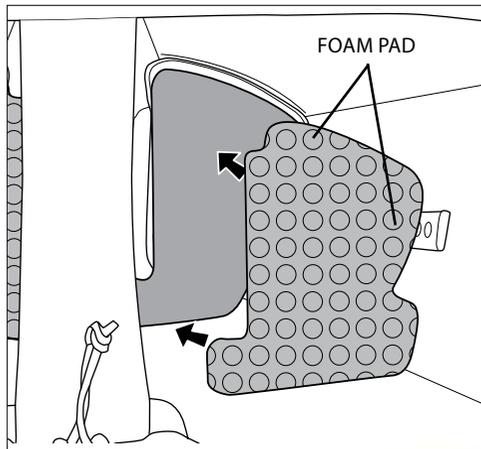
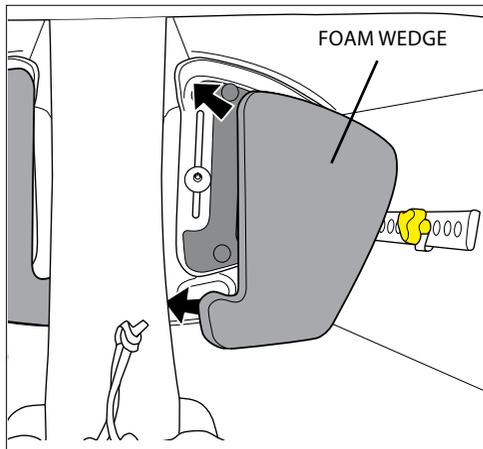
PRO TIP - Safety first! Always adjust your spring-loaded plates to eliminate gaps and be sure to **LOCK THEM IN PLACE** by tightening securely.





FOOT BRACE OUTFITTING

1. Position the foam wedge over the Velcro® pad on the foot brace. Note: Make sure the thick end of the wedge is positioned toward the hull surface of the boat.
2. Using the template (visit WaveSport.com to download) and a cutting tool, trim the foam pad to fit over the foam wedge.
3. Make sure the foam pads fit properly then reveal the adhesive strips and press into place.



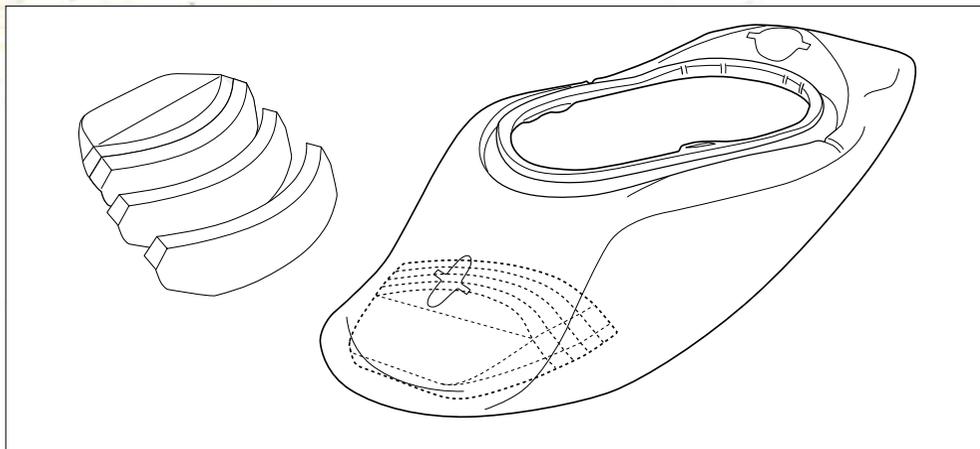
PRO TIPS

- Test fit all foam components with proper paddling shoes and gear prior to final placement!
- Use as much foam padding as possible to ensure comfort and protection for the feet and ankles during an impact.

FREESTYLE FOOT BRACE

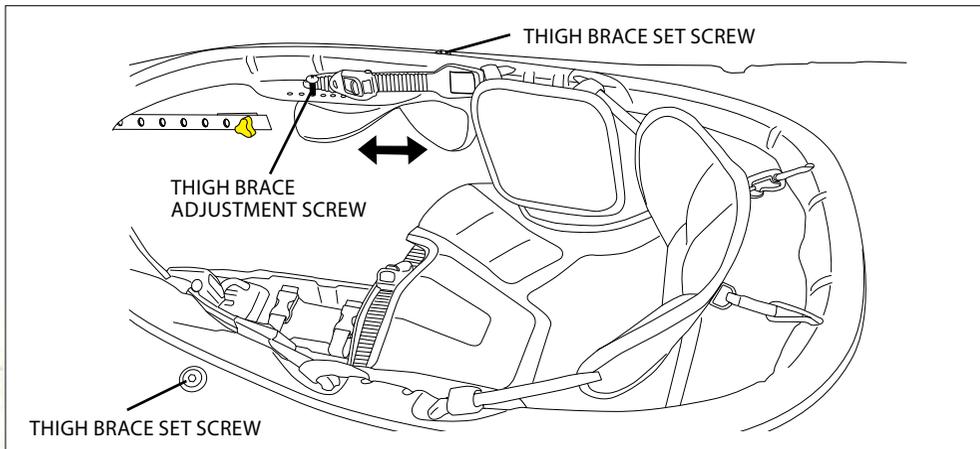
1. Add/remove foam shims to achieve desired comfort.
2. Place in boat and check for comfort and fit.

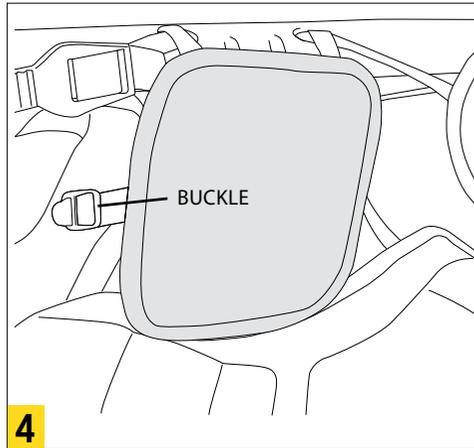
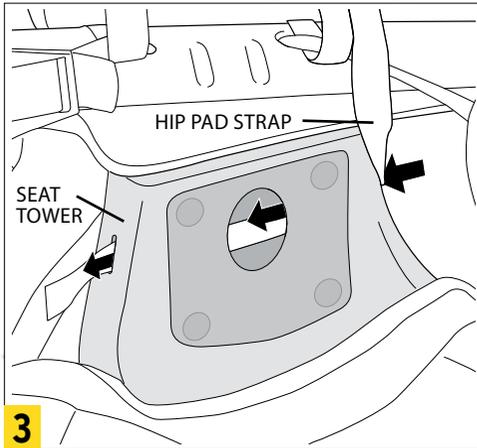
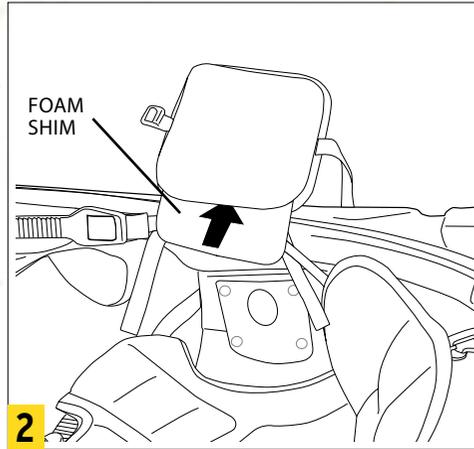
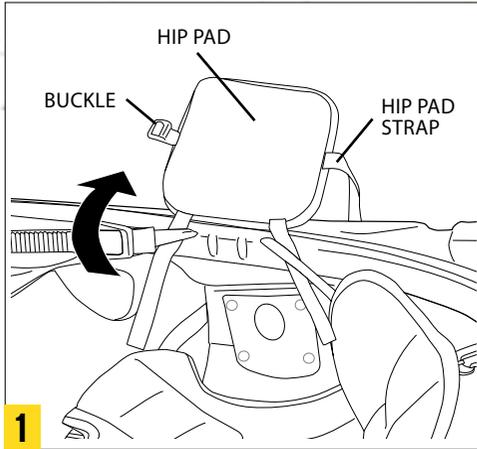
PRO TIP - Use a foam rasp or coarse sandpaper to shape the foam to customise your foot position.



THIGH BRACE ADJUSTMENT

1. Climb into the cockpit and get comfortable.
2. Using a 4mm Allen Key, remove the thigh brace adjustment screw for each thigh brace.
3. Loosen, but **DO NOT** remove, the thigh brace set screws for each thigh brace.
4. Position both thigh braces comfortably against your thighs sliding fore or aft.
5. **Install and securely tighten all screws.**





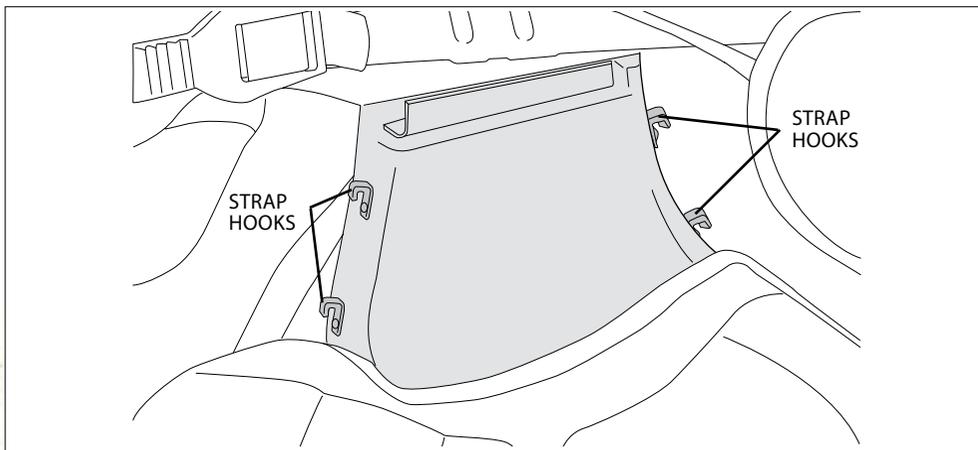
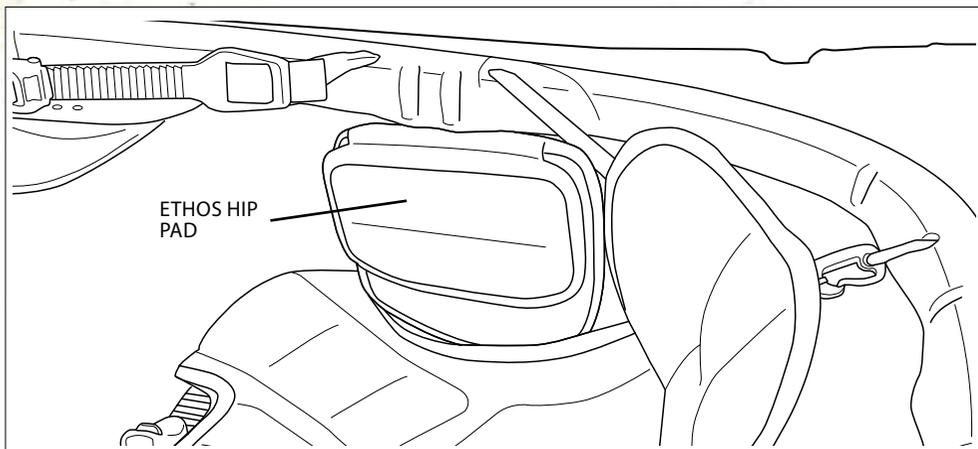
HIP PAD ADJUSTMENT

1. Disconnect hip pad strap from buckle.
2. Swing hip pad upward.
3. Insert foam padding into the pocket on the back of the hip pad.
4. After you have inserted as much foam padding as desired, reseal and lower hip pad, Velcro® in desired position.
5. Thread the hip pad strap through the seat tower, as shown, connect to the buckle and tighten the strap.
6. Stow the strap by wrapping it back behind the buckle and fastening to the Velcro® tab.
7. Adjust the Velcro® strap on hip pad to set desired height of hip pad on seat.

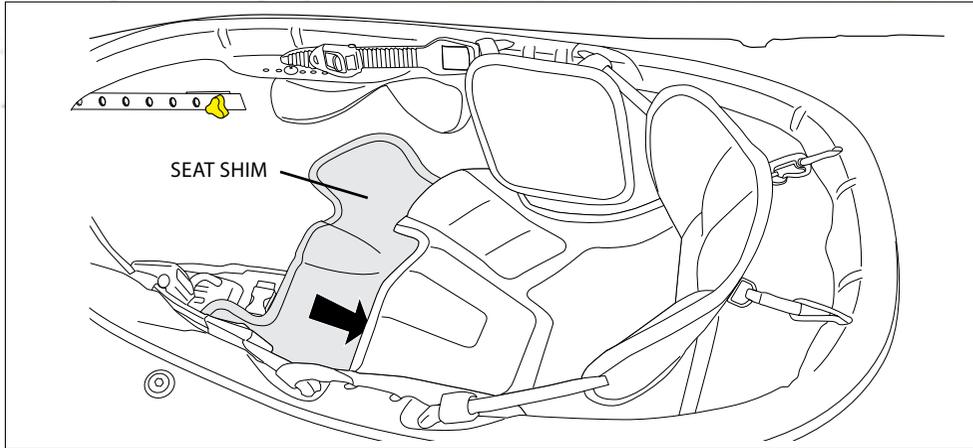
PRO TIP - Use the wedge shaped shims with the thick end at top to create a "hook" over the hip and thigh area. Avoid direct pressure of the hip pads to the hip joint to prevent fatigue or discomfort.

ETHOS HIP PAD ADJUSTMENT

1. Disconnect the hip pad straps from the buckles.
2. Remove hip pad.
3. When installing hip pad, make sure to place the upper strap beneath the upper strap hooks and the lower strap beneath the lower strap hooks so the hip pad stays in place.



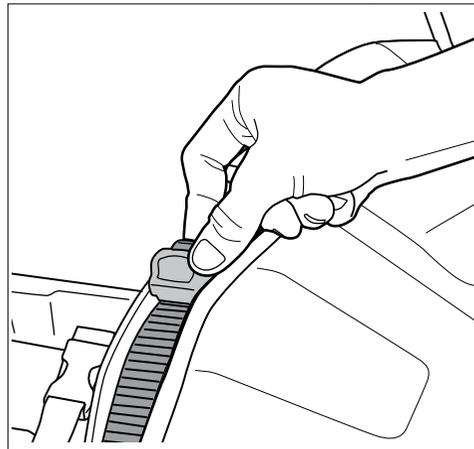
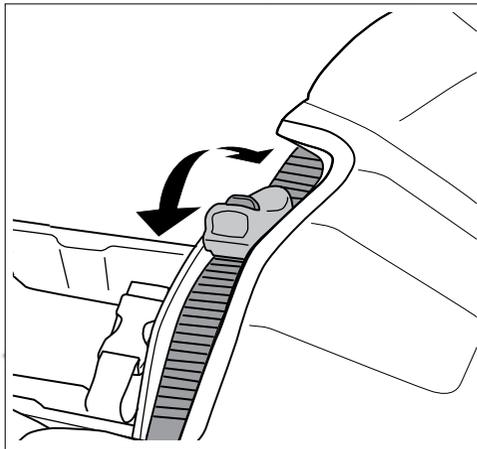
PRO TIP - ETHOS hip pads are designed to make the cockpit more roomy and comfortable for carrying. Ethos hip pads can be replaced with traditional Wave Sport hip pads for a tighter fit. Contact your dealer for more details.



SEAT SHIM ADJUSTMENT

1. Disconnect the retaining bands beneath the front corners of the seat pad.
2. Slip the seat foam shim beneath the seat pad. Reveal the adhesive strips to keep it in place.
3. Re-connect the retaining bands beneath the front corners of the seat pad.

PRO TIP - Use the seat booster shim on waves to gain leverage over the boats carving rails. Use it in holes to provide more reach and improve rotation in overcoming the boats deck volume.



LEG LIFTER ADJUSTMENT

1. Climb into the cockpit and get comfortable.
2. Ratchet the leg lifter adjustment until the leg lifter is at desired height.
3. To loosen the adjuster, squeeze the release lever, as shown.

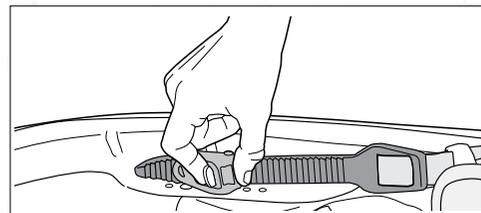
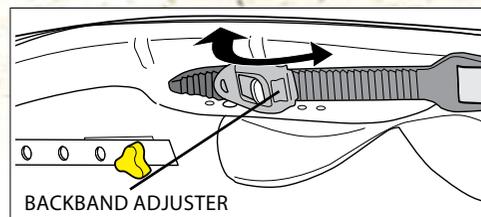
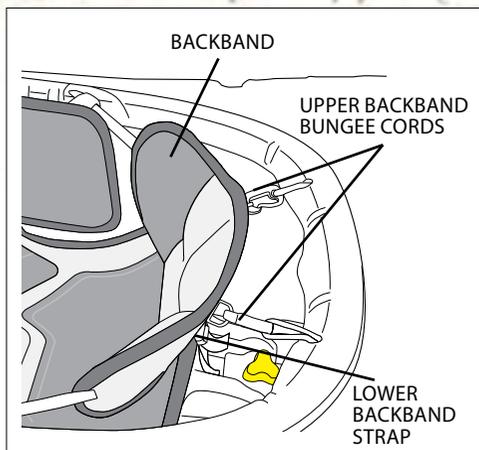
BACKBAND ADJUSTMENT

PRIMARY BACKBAND ADJUSTMENT

1. Disconnect both upper backband bungee cords.
2. Pull the lower backband strap until backband is positioned at the small of the back.
3. Fasten both upper backband bungee cords.

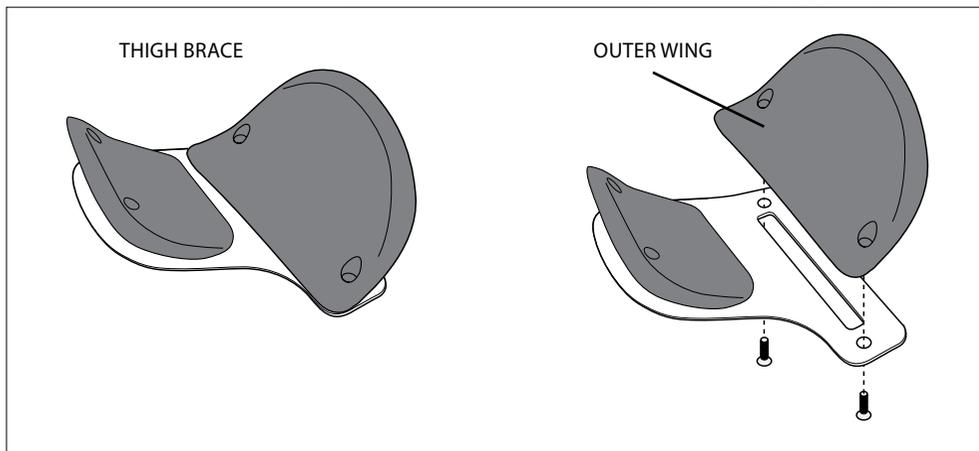
SECONDARY FINE TUNE ADJUSTMENT

1. Ratchet both backband adjusters until backband is at desired firmness.
2. To loosen the adjuster, squeeze the release lever, as shown.



THIGH BRACE WING REMOVAL

1. Remove the set and adjustment screws and each thigh brace from the kayak.
2. Remove the fabric cover from each thigh brace.
3. Remove two screws and the outer wing from each thigh brace plate.
4. Re-install each thigh brace.



PRO TIP - The thigh brace outer wing provides improved support and control. Remove it from each thigh brace only when your thighs need additional room.