

Selecting the Alarm Week Mode

Your SmartSet® clock radio allows you to select from three different alarm week modes for each alarm. The Alarm Week Modes are:

- **Everyday** - the alarm will turn on all 7 days
- **Weekdays only** - the alarm will only turn on Monday through Friday
- **Weekends only** - the alarm will only turn on Saturday and Sunday
- If all 7 indicators are 'On', the Everyday mode is selected.
- If only the MON (Monday) through FRI (Friday) indicators are 'On', the Weekdays only mode is selected.
- If only the SAT (Saturday) and SUN (Sunday) indicators are 'On', the Weekends only mode is selected.



Checking the Wake Up Times and Alarm Week Mode

To check the wake up time or the alarm week mode settings, press either the **AL1** or **AL2** button. The display will change from current time to wake up time and the DAY OF WEEK indicators will show you the alarm week mode which is currently selected. It will return to the current time display in 3 seconds after showing the wake up time.

Activating and Deactivating the Alarm

- Press and release the **AL1** or **AL2** button continuously to turn On your desired Alarm Mode: Wake to Radio, Wake to Buzzer, or Off.
- When the '1 ♣ / 2 ♣' indicator glows, the wake up to Radio alarm will be On.
- When the '1 ♣ / 2 ♣' Indicator glows, the wake up to Buzzer alarm will be On.
- To completely turn Off the alarm, press and release **AL1** or **AL2** button continuously until the Radio '1 ♣ / 2 ♣' indicator or the Buzzer '1 ♣ / 2 ♣' indicator is Off.

Snooze Alarm

When the alarm comes On, press the **SNOOZE** button to pause it for 9 minutes.

Alarm indicator will flash during Snooze Alarm mode. To turn off Snooze Alarm, press the **ON/OFF** button once.



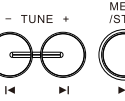
Note: If not turned off, the Snooze Alarm will only be active for one hour.

10 Listening to the Radio

- 1.) Press the **ON/OFF** button to turn the radio 'On'. The frequency of the tuning frequency will show for a few seconds on the display.
- 2.) Press the **M (Mode)** button repeatedly to select **AM** or **FM** as desired, the **KHz** or **MHz** indicator turns 'On', and the radio station frequency displays.
- 3.) Set the **VOLUME** by pressing the **VOL+** or **VOL-** button to a level that suits your needs.
- 4.) Select your desired station with the **TUNE+** or **TUNE-** button.
- 5.) When you finish listening to radio, press the **ON/OFF** button to turn the radio 'Off'.

Receive your desired station with the TUNING control:

- Press the **TUNE+/TUNE-** button briefly, the receiving frequency will increase / decrease by one step.
- Press and hold the **TUNE+/TUNE-** button for 3 seconds then release, Auto Station Seeking will be engaged, the receiving frequency will increase / decrease automatically until a station with acceptable reception is found.



Storing and Recalling Radio Station Memory Manually

When you have a few favorite radio stations to listen to, you may like to save them in specific memory locations and pick one of them in a few seconds without the need of searching it each time. Our digital tuning technology allows you to do this easily by following the steps listed below:

Storing Station to the Memory

- Turn the unit On and select Radio mode (**KHz** or **MHz** indicator 'On').
- Tune in the desired station by the TUNING control as described.
- Press and hold the **MEM./STO.** button (for 2 seconds) until 'PXX' blinks, indicating the memory location to store the station currently tuned in.
- While 'PXX' is blinking, press the **►** or **◄** button can change the memory location from 1 through 20. For example, 'P 03' means the current listening station is about to be stored into the 3rd location of the memory.
- After deciding the memory location, press the **MEM./STO.** button again, the currently listening station is then stored accordingly.
- The display will show the frequency of the station, and after a few seconds, it will restore the current time.

Recalling Station from the Memory

- Turn the unit On and select Radio mode.
- Press the **MEM./STO.** button, 'PXX' shows on the display, and the station according to the memory location will then be tuned in.
- Repeatedly pressing the **MEM./STO.** button or the **►** / **◄** button will change change the memory location from 1 through 20, and the station stored in the location will then be tuned in once the memory location is selected and all buttons released.
- The display will show the frequency of the station, and then returns to the current time after a few seconds.

11 Listening to Bluetooth Speaker

- Press the **ON/OFF** button to turn the unit **ON**.
- Press the **M (Mode)** button to select Bluetooth(bt) mode (BT indicator 'Flashes' for pairing).
- Enable your Bluetooth device and select **CKS8888** from its Available/ Paired device list. If pairing successful, the unit will prompt and BT indicator will become solid.
- Automatic connection with your Bluetooth devices is possible if they have been paired successfully with this unit before.
- After paired, you can play your music through this Bluetooth Speaker.
- Press briefly the **►** button can pause or resume playback streaming over your Bluetooth device.



Note:

- If pairing unsuccessful, all previously paired Bluetooth devices around should be disconnected first by pressing and holding the **►** button until it prompts, or turn Off their Bluetooth connection, in order to avoid making any auto reconnection between them. Then, set this unit to Bluetooth mode, and tap the Bluetooth switch on your phone/device Off and back On again to refresh/search any nearby **CKS8888** for pairing.
- When it connects to an iOS device via Bluetooth, the clock time will be automatically synchronized with the time of the connected device.

12 Sleeping to Music Timer

Press the **ON/OFF** button to turn ON the unit, and press the **M (Mode)** button to select either Bluetooth or Radio mode to play music or listen to radio



- Press the **SLEEP** button. The display will show the sleep timer.
- Press the **SLEEP** button repeatedly to choose your desired sleep timer (10-90 minutes or OFF). When sleep timer is counting down, the SLP indicator turns On.
- Note:** When you change the sleep timer from the 10-minute default timing to a different setting, this new setting becomes the default timing.
- To display the sleep timer during count down process, press the **SLEEP** button.
- To cancel the sleep timer during count down process, press the **ON/OFF** button to shut Off the unit.

13 Multi-Color 2-Level LED Décor

Press the **LED** button to turn night LED on when needed.



- Press the **LED** button repeatedly to change the color of **LED** lights in the following cyclical manner:
Red → Orange → Yellow → Green → Cyan → Blue → Purple → Color Auto Change → Mixed Color
- Press the **SNOOZE/DIMMER/SLEEP** button within 3 seconds after **LED** button being pressed to adjust the brightness level (Dim or Bright) of the LED lights
- Press and hold the **LED** button to turn the LED lights off.

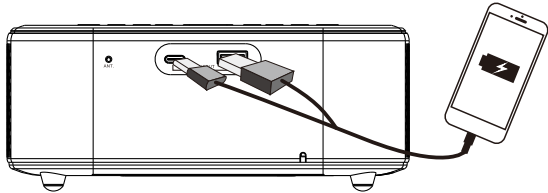
Notes:

- 1.) The LED lights with last memory function, it will automatically follow the last played status when next time playback for both Radio and Bluetooth mode.
- 2.) The LED lights will be rhythmic to the beats when the unit is playing music via Bluetooth

14 USB for Charging

This clock radio has two USB (Type A / Type C) port at the back, which can provide up to 5V 2.1A to charge devices like smartphone, tablet etc. via a USB cable (not provided).

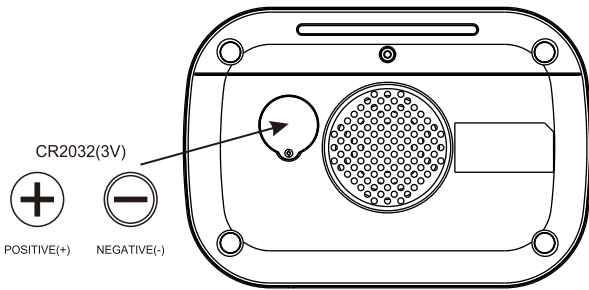
Note: Electrical energy drawn from the USB port may vary due to different charging cable condition, battery characteristic or power management system of your device being charged.



15 4-Level Control DIMMER

Press the **SNOOZE / SLEEP / DIMMER** Button while in Standby mode and select any of the four levels.

16 Changing the Lithium Battery



The lithium backup battery needs replacement when the LOW BATTERY indicator flashes, otherwise, the time and alarm settings will be lost/reset after a power outage.

- Leave the AC adapter connected to your AC outlet to retain memory while the original battery is removed.
- Unscrew the battery cover from the cabinet with a small screwdriver and insert a new battery with the same CR2032 or equivalent type into the slot the same way, observing the positive (+) polarity before putting the cover back into the slot. The LOW BATTERY indicator should then be Off.

BE CAREFUL NOT TO LOSE THIS SMALL SCREW!

17 Care and Maintenance

Care Of Cabinets

If the cabinet becomes dusty, wipe it with a soft cloth. If the cabinet becomes smudged or dirty, clean it with a soft, slightly dampened cloth. Never allow water or any liquid to get inside the cabinet. Never use any abrasive cleaners or cleaning pads as these will damage the finish of your radio.

Lithium Battery Precautions

- Dispose of the old battery properly. Do not leave it lying around where a young child or pet could play with or swallow it. If the battery is swallowed, contact a physician immediately.
- The battery may explode if mistreated. Do not attempt to recharge it or disassemble it. Do not dispose of the old battery in a fire.

18 IC Information

This device complies with Industry Canada Licence-exempt RSSs. Operation is subject to the following two conditions:

- (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and
 - (2) this device must accept any interference, including interference that may cause undesired operation of the device.
- Le présent appareil est conforme aux CNR d'Industrie Canada applicables aux appareils radio exempts de licence. L'exploitation est autorisée aux deux conditions suivantes :
- (1) l'appareil ne doit pas produire de brouillage, et
 - (2) l'utilisateur de l'appareil doit accepter tout brouillage radioélectrique subi, même si le brouillage est susceptible d'en compromettre le fonctionnement.

19 LIMITED WARRANTY

Emerson Radio Corp. warrants this product to be free from manufacturing defects in original material, including original parts, and workmanship under normal home use and conditions ("manufacturing defect") for a period of ninety (90) days from date of original purchase in, and if used in the United States. Should service be necessary under this warranty, Emerson will provide the following at our Return Repair Facility provided the manufacturing defect is verified along with the date of purchase:

- * **Repair service for ninety (90) days from date of original purchase at no charge for labor and parts.**

To Receive Authorization to Return a Defective Item, please contact Emerson Customer Service at 1-800-898-9020 or at <http://www.emersonradio.com/service/return-policy>. Have your Model number, Serial Number and dated Proof of Purchase with you when you call.

In the event the product must be returned to Emerson:

- * Pack the unit in a well-padded heavy corrugated box. Please insure the item is well padded to avoid damage while in transit back to our facility. **If the item incurs damage, it will NOT be replaced and the consumer will be responsible for return freight costs to receive their same unit back.**
- * Enclose your check or money order payable to Emerson Radio in the amount of \$10 to cover return shipping and handling costs.
- * Enclose a note with your name, address, phone number, Return Authorization number and brief reason for returning the unit.
- * Enclose a copy of your proof of purchase (warranty service will not be provided without dated proof of purchase).
- * Ship the unit prepaid via UPS or parcel post (SHIP INSURED and obtain a tracking number).
- NOTE:** This warranty does not cover:
 - (a) Damage to equipment not properly connected to the product.
 - (b) Cost incurred in the shipping of the product to and from Emerson's Return Facility.
 - (c) Damage or improper operation of unit caused by customer abuse, misuse, negligence or failure to follow operating instructions (including cleaning instructions) provided with the product.
 - (d) Ordinary adjustments to the product which can be performed by customer as outlined in the owner's manual.
 - (e) Signal reception problems caused by external antenna or cable systems.
 - (f) Products not purchased in the United States.
 - (g) Damage to product if used outside the United States.

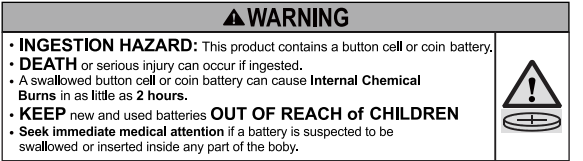
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The serial number can be found on the back cabinet. We suggest that you record the serial number of your unit in the space below for future reference

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