



WINTER HIBERNATION CHECKLIST

BASICS:

- Fill up fuel tank (for vehicles that do not yet have a plastic tank); note that winter diesel is used at petrol stations from mid-October onwards
- Charge and disconnect the on-board battery as well as the living area battery, recharge every 4-6 weeks if necessary (Please note: On vehicles with central locking, some doors can only be locked via the central locking system. This is no longer possible if the batteries are disconnected. In addition, the remote functions of the HYMER Connect App fail when the batteries are disconnected).
- Close gas taps
- Allow gas to escape from the lines, disconnect the hoses from the gas bottles and fit safety caps on the bottles
- Empty all water tanks and boilers and, if necessary, clean them with a suitable special cleaning fluid
- Drain shower heads, pumps and siphons, leave taps open, if the water system is empty, flush the toilet again, that the solenoid valve of the toilet is also empty
- Check and top up the windscreen washer system
- Park the vehicle on a dry and firm surface
- Engage a gear and release the handbrake on level ground

EXTERIOR:

- Clean the entire vehicle including wheel arch covers and underbody
- Touch up paintwork damage, seal with protective wax
- Treat locks, hinges and seals with oil or silicone spray
- Increase tyre pressures by half a bar
- Jack up the vehicle
- Protect the vehicle against theft
- Fold out the windscreen wipers so that they are not resting on the windscreen surface

INTERIOR:

- Empty the refrigerator, defrost, wipe down, leave open
- Remove all food from the vehicle
- Seal off all vents, e.g. for the refrigerator and heating system, with caps
- Clean the bathroom, kitchenette and cooker
- Detach and/or remove electronic devices
- Clean furniture gently, leave cupboards open
- Shake cushions, place upright on furniture
- Open bed drawers, raise mattresses
- Clean heaters/heating boxes
- Remove any textiles and carpets that may become damp
- Set up a room dehumidifier with dry granulate