

# Casa 1

## Instructions: Operation of Electronics

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We have just upgraded to the latest Dish equipment. You now have a clear High Definition picture on all the TV's. In addition to hundreds of Dish's top channels, you can now stream many programs including Netflix. All total you have thousands and thousands of movies and shows to watch. You also can record all Shows/Movies to watch later, *when you want to watch them!* Simply browse the Dish guide for any future programming, select it and then select "record". (Please delete all shows you may have recorded before leaving.) You can record 6 or more shows at the same time! To watch your recorded shows, select "DVR".

**To Stream Dish:** There are several ways to stream MANY shows/movies select.

- 1) Press "Menu" then "Prime Time Anytime". It will have all of the top shows that you can watch anytime.
- 2) Press "Menu" then "Apps" then select "More Video Services" to see more choices. Choose between the top "ABC" shows, "Freeform" or three different "Disney" options, "Free Form" is a unique bold mix of favorites Movies, holiday specials and original series, where you can "bing watch" all episodes of you want. Check it out

**FYI - Note:** This is Mexico and a lot of the channels do NOT stream in Mexico (license agreements), but Netflix does work and is very popular and has a huge library of shows and movies to watch. We have paid for this premium service for you. Enjoy.

## Library

**There are several devices/boxes** (some behind the wooden doors under the TV)

- **Pyle Receiver** all speakers are connected to it.
- **Dish** control box (controls Satellite TV).
- **TS6** speaker control box (each button turns speakers around the home on or off).
- **Speaker volume** White knob controls the volume for the front 2 speakers in that room on the front wall by the ceiling

### **Watching TV in the Library**

1. Make sure TV source/input is set to "HDMI1"
2. On the Dish remote press the silver TV power on the very top right, or the power button on the lower right side of the TV. (Television should come on).
3. Make sure the dish box is on. Press the left silver power button on the very top of DISH remote. (A green light, should activate on the DISH control box)
4. Control the volume and change channels by using the Dish remote.

**DVD player** is available upon request. Contact Ben

## **Watching Roku (Many streaming channels includes NetFlix)**

1. On the TV make sure source/input is set to “HDMI2”

## **Listening to your MP3 player**

1. On top of the Pyle receiver amp there is a cable to plug in your player. Make sure the input is MP3. To change the input push the input button just left of the large volume knob

## **Listening to Music Channels (Sirius/XM channels found on channel 99)**

We subscribe to Sirius/XM premium satellite radio. They provide over 70 Sirius/XM commercial free music stations. Choose from a fabulous variety of contemporary, classic and genre-specific music channels, including Pop,

Rock, Country, Hip-Hop, R&B/Urban, Dance/Electronic, Jazz Classical channels. This music can be played throughout the home



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1. Basically the same steps as watching TV above except you will play the TV channel throughout the home (see **Additional Tips** for playing Music throughout the home later in this guide)
2. Turn on (as indicated above) and set the volume for the TV off or very low.
3. Turn on the Pyle receiver/amp by selecting the power button on the remote or by pushing the power button on the left side of the receiver.
4. Make sure the receiver/amp “input” is set “DVD/CD” To change the input push the input button just left of the large volume knob
5. All buttons are to be pushed in on the **TS6** speaker control box (each button turns speakers around the home on/off).
6. Control the overall volume using the large volume control knob on the receiver/amp.

7. **Sound zones** There are 6 numbered buttons on the front of the **TS6 speaker control box**

Zone 1 is the front speakers in the library

Zone 2 is the speakers outside the library by the outside fireplace

Zone 3 is the speakers in the great room

Zone 4 is the speakers in the Master bedroom

Zone 5 is the outside covered patio ceiling speakers

Zone 6 is currently not used

- Please note individual **Volume Control** knobs are on the walls in various rooms/zones. The volume control for the library speakers (zone 1) is located inside the cabinet under the TV. Each knob controls the speaker volume in the immediate

area/zone...remember, the speakers only work if the corresponding button on the **TS6** control box in the library is pushed in.

- Remember there are outside speakers. Be thoughtful of the neighbors

## **Master Bedroom**

### **To watch Dish TV in Master:**

1. Both the Akai TV and the Dish box have to be on
2. The Akai TV input “source” is set to “HDMI”. To change the source use the Akai remote or to manually press the source button on the Tv, then the up/down arrows and the finally the volume + (right arrow)
3. To turn on the Dish press the top center Red Power button, or press the power button on the dish box.
4. To turn on the TV press the top center Red “TV” Power button, just below the Dish power button, or press the “standby” button on the right front of the TV
5. Use the Dish remote to control everything

### **Watching Roku (Many streaming channels includes NetFlix) in Master:**

1. The Akai TV has to be on and input “source” is set to “AV”. To change the source use the Akai remote or to manually press the source button on the Tv, then the up/down arrows and the finally the volume + (right arrow)
2. Use the Roku remote and press home (top right)

## **Tips and Troubleshooting**

### **A few tips and understanding the basic components**

- If things aren't working correctly, start over, being very careful to follow every step.
- **DO NOT** unplug any wires or change any wiring configuration. (you will be charged if any are changed and we have to rewire)
- Make sure the dish satellite box power is on.
- Make sure the TV source is set to “HDMI1”. If not it will indicate “no signal”
- Make sure you have the correct Dish remote. There is one for the library, one for the 4<sup>th</sup> bedroom and one for the Master bedroom
- If you think the batteries are dead, try twisting the batteries so they make a new connection. If you need new batteries contact Ben
- Too much volume for the library (zone 1)? Turn down the white speaker control next to the **TS6 speaker control box**. Also make sure the TV volume is turned all the way down.