Time on your side

Your Christopher Ward watch has been designed in Britain and engineered in Switzerland by highly talented craftspeople. This ensures not only accurate and precise timekeeping, but also brings a real pride of ownership that only watches of the highest quality standards can hope to deliver.

You have made an investment, a good one, and the aim of this manual is to help you make the most of that investment in what we hope will be a lifetime of ownership.

Chris, Mike and Peter
(Co-founders)
Welcome to the evolution

If there’s a watch that epitomises the progress of Christopher Ward, look no further than the C60 Trident. Modestly introduced in 2009, the original C60 Trident Automatic was a dive watch indebted to the look and feel of the Rolex Submariner, whilst incorporating an aluminium bezel and 300m water resistance.

Yet the largest waves can start with the smallest ripples; a trickle of orders soon became a tide. The launch of a Mk 2 edition in 2015 saw a new premium Pro 600 model swap circular indexes for rectangular ones, double its water resistance and introduce a ceramic bezel into the equation. Since then, the Trident Collection has grown exponentially – think different case materials, movements and colours – cementing itself as a cornerstone of the brand.

But it’s more than just a bestseller: each update has become symbolic of the advancements made by the brand as it reaches adolescence. So when the collective minds between CW’s Maidenhead and Biel HQs began to turn to the thought of a Mk 3 update, it’s not an understatement to say that there was quite a pressure to make this Trident series the best one yet.
If the transition from Mk 1 from Mk 2 was a full-on revolution in both technicality and design, Trident Mk 3 takes the best elements from its predecessor and refines them further. This is an evolution rather than a revolution; and it stems from both a greater knowledge gained over the five years since the Mk 2 first surfaced, as well as the comments of our customers.

From higher quality materials – Trident Mk 3 answers the call to upgrade the lume found across our dive range – and finer levels of detail through to finessed design, they all culminate here.

With Trident Mk 3, it’s the commitment to the smallest details that ultimately make the biggest impact.
How do you update the most successful CW release of all time?

It’s a challenge that our Maidenhead and Biel teams could have approached with a fair degree of trepidation; but no. On the tenth anniversary of the Trident range, we saw it as an opportunity to make our bestselling watch even better.

Following customer feedback – regarding topics like legibility, for example – the C60 Trident Pro 600 Mk 3 has been comprehensively recrafted to address these; the wavy guilloche dial of old has been replaced with a shiny lacquered finish, while the quality of lume has been drastically improved. Until now a feature previously reserved for few high-end watches, the numerals and indexes of the Mk 3’s zirconia ceramic bezel have also been filled with Grade X1 GL C1 Super-LumiNova®; the same lume has also been liberally applied to the dial’s newly multi-faceted indexes and redesigned hands.

Elsewhere, the introduction of our signature case design, complete with slimming ‘light-catcher’ lines, transforms the Mk 3 into a dive watch that is both graceful and resilient. Aspects such as the action of the bezel and internal threading of the crown have been improved, ensuring that each is a pleasure to use; another subtle change arrives in the shape of our series’ trident. Found upon the Mk 3’s backplate and seconds hand counter-balance, its revised form is a change some may not even notice, but it’s indicative of the no-stone-left-unturned approach to revisiting every aspect of this watch in the search to make it the best Trident yet.
How to operate your C60 Trident Pro 600

Display and control buttons

Your C60 Trident Pro 600 has a maximum power reserve of 38 hours when fully wound. To re-power the watch after a period of non-use, simply wind the crown for approximately 20 revolutions. Normal wearing will very quickly allow the rotor to start re-powering the watch over time after putting it on your wrist.
Features

- Swiss made
- Self-winding mechanical movement
- 38-hour power reserve
- Date calendar
- Central hacking seconds
- Anti-shock system
- Marine-grade, stainless steel case
- Embossed screw-in crown
- Unidirectional, polished ceramic bezel filled with Super-LumiNova®
- Anti-reflective sapphire crystal
- Black or blue polished dial
- Diamond polished and Super-LumiNova® filled indexes and hands
- Signature Trident counter-balance on seconds hand
- Screw-down deep-stamped 3D backplate
- Unique engraved serial number
- Luxury presentation case and owner’s handbook
- Marine-grade stainless steel bracelet or hybrid rubber strap, both with quick release mechanism
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Setting the time and date

For a superior water resistance your crown is of the screw-in type. The crown should sit flush to the case (position 1) in order to maintain water resistance.

- First unscrew the crown anti-clockwise from the case to position 2 for winding in power. Wind in a clockwise direction to re-power the watch. Your C60 Trident Pro 600 has a maximum power reserve of 38 hours when fully wound. Normal wearing will allow the rotor to start re-powering the watch over time after putting on your wrist.

- Pull gently into position 3. For rapid date correction, turn in a clockwise direction.

- Pull gently into position 4. This position is used for handsetting and stopping of the second hand. For precise time setting it is recommended to pass beyond the desired minute and to set the hand backwards.
Unscrew and then pull

1. Crown screw-in position
2. Manual winding
3. Date setting
4. Time setting

**PLEASE NOTE:**
Date correction should not be carried out between 20.00 hr and 02.00 hr as the watch gearing will already be aligning itself to change the date. The crown should always be pushed in after adjustment, and it is best to do so from position 3 to avoid advancing beyond the desired date. You must always ensure the crown is fully tightened before any use in water.
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Diving with your watch

If using the bezel for a dive and let’s say the recognised maximum “no-stop time” is 55 minutes, then in this example (shown right) the time at the surface immediately before the dive is 10.10am. However the bezel marker is at the 12.00 hr position.

- Move the bezel marker anti-clockwise so that it aligns with the 10 minute position.
- You can now read that the 55 minute no decompression limit will occur at 5 minutes past the next hour.

PLEASE NOTE:
It is always useful and best practice to make a note on a dive slate before entering the water and to carry a set of dive tables should the dive plan change during the course of a dive. A safety stop for 3 to 5 minutes at 15ft is recommended at the end of all dives. A safety stop for 3 minutes at 15ft is required any time you come within 3 pressure groups of a no decompression limit, and for any dive to a depth of 100ft or deeper.
Bezel marker

No decompression limit

Start of dive
Straps and bracelets

As you would expect, we place as much emphasis on the quality of our straps and bracelets as we do our watches. We only use the finest materials in our straps, with quick-release pins also included for your convenience.

The following guidelines explain how easy it is to use, adjust and replace your Christopher Ward strap or bracelet.

Using the quick-release pins on your strap

1. Locate the quick-release pin on your strap. Pull the pin to the side to detach your strap.

2. To reattach your strap, align the pins to the lug holes and click the strap into position. Repeat for the other side.
How to use the micro adjustment on your bracelet

1. Press buttons to release

2. Pull open the clasp

3. There are five micro adjustment positions, which allows for a maximum extension of 8.4mm. To extend, pull the lever to unlock and simultaneously pull on the bracelet into the desired position.

4. To shorten, simply push the bracelet back into the clasp.
Water resistance

Although your watch has been through vigorous static pressure testing, it is worth remembering that there are many variables that can affect the water resistance of your watch. For instance, arm movements during swimming and the sudden impact of diving and water sports will drastically increase the pressure the watch is under.

Wearing your watch in the bath, shower, or sauna can also have an effect as a rapid increase in temperature can cause seals to expand and in extreme cases, malfunction or create condensation.

For these reasons, the water resistance rating of your watch (as shown) should only ever be considered a guideline and we strongly recommend they are always adhered to.
1 ATM (10 metres)
Safe to wear your watch while washing your hands with tap water

3 ATM (30 metres)
Washing your car and/or general hose pipe usage

5 ATM (50 metres)
Water resistant to most household shower units

15 ATM (150 metres)
Safe to use while snorkelling in open water

30 ATM (300 metres)
Ideal for experienced divers and those practising scuba-diving

60 ATM (600 metres)
Professional divers, experiencing prolonged exposure underwater

100 ATM (1000 metres)
Professional deep sea diving
Our watch care programme

60|60 Guarantee

Your watch is constructed from the finest components and materials available including one of Switzerland’s finest mechanical movements. As with all watches of this quality, with the right care and attention, your new Christopher Ward watch has the potential to become an heirloom piece giving further joy to future generations.

It’s for this reason we have created our industry leading approach to after-sales care, starting with our famous 60|60 Guarantee which remains the most comprehensive guarantee in the world of watchmaking.

60 Day Free Returns
Our success depends on you being completely happy with your new Christopher Ward watch. You have up to 60 days from despatch to return your watch, with free shipping, and receive a replacement or full refund, for which the watch must be in perfect, unworn condition and accompanied by all its original packaging and paperwork.

60 Month Movement Guarantee
Your watch has a top-quality precision engineered Swiss movement – but if it develops a movement fault within 5 years, and has been serviced by us at the recommended interval (within a maximum of 4 years from date of despatch), we will repair it for free under warranty. Not all mechanical problems or quartz battery replacements are
considered movement faults and your watch will need to be sent to us for diagnosis and service history checks, before processing a repair under warranty.

**Servicing and Repairs - the Christopher Ward way...**

Our innovative approach to service and repair means that having your watch attended to doesn’t mean months of waiting followed by an exorbitant bill. We have developed a quick, easy and affordable expert service and repairs process that doesn’t cost the earth and has the watch back where it belongs – on your wrist – in reasonable time.

We recommend you service your watch at intervals of 3-4 years to keep it in peak condition and to maintain your 60 month guarantee. If your watch develops an issue within 60 months of despatch, we will first check its service history before progressing a repair. If you have not had your watch serviced at the recommended interval, we will not cover the cost of the repair under warranty, and will recommend a maintenance service in addition to any repair work due.

christopherward.co.uk/cservices/60-60-guarantee
Keeping in touch with Christopher Ward

From small beginnings just 15 years ago (our first workshop was actually a refurbished chicken shed!), Christopher Ward has won a worldwide following and can justifiably claim to manufacture the most affordable luxury watches in the world. For many, the philosophy behind the brand, of trying to put luxury watches within the reach of everyone, is as smart as the watches themselves. The very open approach of the business sees Chris, Mike and Peter, as well as the rest of the team, spending lots of time communicating personally with customers – listening to feedback which helps us continually improve as we grow. As the owner of a Christopher Ward watch, if you ever need to get hold of us we are at your service. There is always something new on our website, across our social media communities and on the Christopher Ward Forum – informative and fun, these are the best places to join the conversation about the latest new releases, news and offers in the world of Christopher Ward.