THE TOP 5 WAYS TO STOP BUFFERING ON YOUR STREAMING DEVICE

- *First, verify whether it's 1-3 channels or all. If it's 1-3 channels, text us the network name and the issue, and we will fix it.
- 1. <u>Check your Wi-Fi spee</u>d. The Download Speed Must be 10 Mbps or higher.
- A. <u>Firestick</u>: Click Home(on Remote), go to Settings>Network, and Run A Speed Test.
- B. Onn Box: Click Settings button(remote), arrow down to Wi-fi, click on your Wi-fi name, and make sure it says Excellent or Good.
- 2. <u>Clear your Cache</u>. Do this 3x a week. A. <u>Firestick</u>: Click Home(on Remote), go to Settings>Applications>Manage Installed Applications, then find and select Blackbox Xtreme. Arrow down and select Force Stop> then Clear Cache 3x, arrow up and select Launch Application.
- B. Onn Box: Click Settings button(remote), select All Settings, arrow down, click on Apps>See All Apps, arrow down to Blackbox Xtreme, over and select Force Stop, OK>, down and select Clear Cache 3x-Click Ok, then Arrow up and select Open.

- 3. Refresh your Channels Daily. From the Blackbox Main Menu screen, arrow to the left side Menu and select the Rotating Arrow icon(3rd from bottom). Close=click Center Button(on Remote), OK=click Back Arrow(on Remote).
- 4. Spectrum Customers-<u>Turn off Security</u> Shield from the My Spectrum App.
- A. Open the My Spectrum app and locate and select the Services tab. Scroll down to find Security Shield Settings and click on your Router. Locate the Security Shield section and click View All.
- **B.** Locate Security Shield in the center of page, **move slider Left** to **OFF**.
- 5. Reset your Device. Unplug your device(not the TV) from the wall for 10mins. After 10mins, plug back in and refresh again. Go back to Xtreme.
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 *If none of those steps decrease your
 issues, that is a sign your internet provider
 is throttling your wifi network. Call them
 and tell them you are having issues with
 several streaming apps and want them to
 clear all blocks linked to your devices(Onn
 Box. Firestick).

If all else fails, another great solution; install a VPN on each device. This will prevent them from blocking your account. Several options are listed below.

What is VPN? bit.ly/vpn-explained

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PAY PLAN VPNS: Surfshark.com. NordVPN.com