

Re-pairing Your Android Device with the Bluetooth PowerLift Command Box

For readability, the PowerLift Command Box is abbreviated to PLCB! Please remember, that Bluetooth is a wireless computer network. The maximum distance between devices is stated as 30 feet, and that is subject to interference and other devices nearby. Please follow these steps:

1. Please verify that the PowerLift Command Box (PLCB) is turned on. Sometimes, it is beneficial to cycle the PLCB: turn the power off to the PLCB, let it sit for approximately one minute, then turn the power on to the PLCB.
2. Verify that the green LED on the front of the PLCB is on and flashing.

Step 1 – Reset the Android Tablet Bluetooth

1. On the Android Tablet (or device of your choosing) you need to go into the Settings. On the MLCS Android Tablet, the Settings is on the main screen, and has a gear as its icon.
2. Tap the Settings icon.
3. Once you enter the settings, locate the Bluetooth section, this is typically the very first thing you will see.
4. Tap on the word “Bluetooth”, this will take you into the Bluetooth pairing screen.
5. There are little slider switches that control the on/off state of the Bluetooth hardware.
6. If the Bluetooth is off (gray block with a white circle), slide the switch to the on position (blue block with a white vertical line in it). If the Bluetooth was already turned on, slide the switch to the off position, wait 15 seconds, and slide the switch to the on position.
7. These steps ensure that the Bluetooth pairing is “clean”.

Step 2 – Check for Prior Pairing

1. You will initially see a set of numbers with colons between them, and after approximately five seconds, it will switch to “MLCS-PowerLift-Pro”.
2. On the far right from the words “MLCS-PowerLift-Pro”, you may see an icon that looks like three horizontal lines with staggered dots on the lines.
3. If there is NO ICON, continue to **Step 3 - Establish a Pairing** below.
4. If there IS AN ICON, you must unpair the prior connection.
5. Tap the icon that looks like three horizontal lines with staggered dots.
6. A menu will then appear with the word UNPAIR. Tap the word UNPAIR, and the prior Bluetooth connection is removed.
7. To be 100% certain, please go back to **Step 1 - Reset the Android Tablet Bluetooth** and perform all the instructions and steps.
8. This will verify that your Bluetooth is “clean” and ready for a new connection!

Step 3 – Establish a Pairing

1. Tap the word “MLCS-PowerLift-Pro”, this will begin the pairing sequence.
2. Once the Bluetooth pairing is established, a PIN is required, enter 1234 and tap OK.
3. If the pairing is successful, you will see the paired indicator which is to the far right from the word “MLCS-PowerLift-Pro” and appears like three horizontal lines with staggered dots.
4. If the pairing is unsuccessful, please start over and repeat these steps starting from **Step 1 - Reset the Android Tablet Bluetooth. NOTE: if this continues to fail repeatedly, there may be a hardware failure in either the Android Tablet or the PLCB. Reboot the Android Tablet as a precautionary step.**
5. Press the Home button. This button is in the bottom middle of your Android Tablet display and looks like a “house”. It will take you to the main screen, which is also called the Home screen.
6. Tap the MLCS PowerLift App and the app will launch. You will see a Bluetooth connections screen, with a swirling blue circle as the Bluetooth connects.
7. Once the connection is established, you will be taken to the PowerLift App main screen!
8. The PowerLift App works in both portrait (tablet is vertical) and landscape (tablet is horizontal). Many of our customers prefer the portrait view, as you can see more of the preset buttons!
9. The camera, which is a small opaque circle in the middle of the black border, is a good way to know which way is “up” for the tablet!
10. You are now ready to enjoy your PowerLift Pro BT!