

## HOW TO PAIR YOUR BLUELINK BLUETOOTH RADIO ACCESSORIES

### Pairing BlueLink to your radio:

1. Attach your BlueLink adapter to your two way radio; keep radio turned off for now.
2. For BlueLink-BSM or BlueLink-LP Mic: Hold the power button down until pairing red-blue (rapid) blinking light is on.
3. Now that the BlueLink-BSM or BlueLink-LP Mic is in pairing mode you can set it on the table near your radio.
4. Now for the BlueLink Adapter: while pressing on the pairing button turn the radio on and keep pressure on the button until the light on the pairing button starts to steadily blink blue.
5. Once the blue light is blinking rapidly on the BlueLink adapter it is ready to sync.
6. Hold the pairing items close to each other.
7. When they are paired they will have steady blue lights. Now it is usable.

### Pairing BlueLink with a smartphone:

1. Turn your Bluetooth on for you smartphone.
2. For BlueLink-BSM or BlueLink-LP Mic: Hold the power button down until pairing red-blue blinking light is on.
3. Now that the BlueLink-BSM or BlueLink-LP Mic is in pairing mode you set it on the table near your smartphone.
4. If you see Nighthawk in pairing mode mentioned in your Bluetooth smartphone select that option.
5. Now the BlueLink should be paired with your smartphone

## HOW TO CHOOSE A BLUETOOTH HEADSET TO USE WITH YOUR BLUELINK ADAPTER

### When using a BlueLink Adapter, these Bluetooth headset brands are the most compatible with it:

- Plantronics
- Jabra
- Jawbone
- Blue Parrot
- SENA

### When choosing a Bluetooth headset you should choose one that has the following features:

- Bluetooth version 2.1 or newer.
- The longest Talk Time possible. When looking at battery life specifications for headsets, the Talk Time will give you a rough estimate of how long the battery in the headset will operate before needing to be recharged, when connect to the radio adapter.
- Headsets that have Digital Signal Processing (DSP) features will typically sound better than those that do not. Note that because the headset is being kept in a constant on-call state, it is normal to hear some noise in the headset when no signal is being received by the radio. This noise is often described as a slight buzz, hum or an occasional popping sound. This noise should not interfere with normal communications and should not be present when a signal is actively being received.