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ERECT FLYSHEET FIRST

- 1: Remove contents from valise and identify each item.
- 2: Assemble poles.
- 3: Place flysheet on ground, You will see some orange straps along one side of the tent. These are the tensioner system. They are attached to the Ring & Pin and are adjustable by way of an adjuster buckle. These all need slackening off before you thread any poles. Thread colour-coded poles carefully through corresponding colour-coded sleeves.
- 4: Once threaded, fit one end of each pole onto the pin at the end of each sleeve (start at the pole end without the orange tape) then lift poles and attach in the same way on other side.
- 5: When all poles are in place tighten the orange tape and peg out starting at one point and working round. N.B. Peg out draught skirt loosely to ensure tension is taken by shock cord loops.
- 6: Guy lines are fitted and if used correctly will provide increased stability in adverse conditions, we therefore advise that the tent be guyed down as well as pegged. Always follow the line of the pole that the guy rope is attached to and peg into the ground in that line.
- 7: Fit inners into tent by hooking the inner tent corners into flysheet corners. Raise the inner by fitting toggles through the corresponding eyelets. For ease of pitching, the centre toggle on the inner and the centre eyelet on the flysheet are colour-coded. Peg down through rubber seal using attached black pegging loops. (The inners at the front do not have to be fitted is not required)
- 8: Metal upright poles are supplied to create a canopy on any door if required.
- 9: After use ensure tents (inner and outer) are clean and dry before packing away. Brushing or gently washing with luke warm water will remove any dirt or stains. Never use detergents as these can affect the waterproofing of the tent. Store in a cool dry place.

TUF-FLEX POLES

Tuf-flex poles are designed to withstand most weather conditions but they could split if overtensioned. A spare metal tube for an emergency repair is supplied in the repair kit.

CONDENSATION

This is caused by moisture in the atmosphere, respiration and perspiration by the occupants. The moisture in the air comes into contact with the colder fabric and framework and condenses into water droplets. This is not to be confused with the tent leaking. On the contrary the problem is caused by water trying to get out of the tent rather than trying to leak in! Taking the following precautions can reduce condensation.

- 1: Adequate Ventilation
- 2: Do not cook inside the tent
- 3: Where possible avoid storing wet/damp clothing or equipment inside the tent.
- 4: Always take the opportunity to air sleeping bags when the sun is out, as sleeping bags tend to store moisture from the user.

FIRE RETARDANT

This Aztec tent is fire retardant proofed but, does not mean it is safe to cook or use naked flames within your tent.



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