



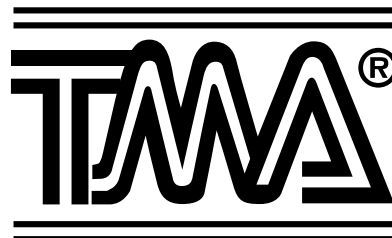
Model RTT-510 INSTRUCTION MANUAL



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WARNING! THIS PRODUCT CARRIES A STRICT WEIGHT LIMIT. DO NOT USE THIS PRODUCT IF YOU EXCEED THIS TOTAL WEIGHT LIMIT. PLEASE NOTE THIS WEIGHT LIMIT INCLUDES THE USER AND EQUIPMENT. FAILURE TO FOLLOW THESE INSTRUCTIONS MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH!

Model Number RTT-510

Maximum Weight Capacity: **(User and Equipment)**

Two Person: 500 pounds (227kgs), Single Person: 275 pounds (125kgs)



WARNING! You must read, understand, and follow ALL safety warnings and instructions prior to each use. Additionally, you must test and practice with product at ground-level prior to using it at heights above ground-level. Failure to follow these instructions will result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Prior to each hunt, make certain you have a signaling device (e.g., mobile phone, cell phone, radio, whistle, signal flare, Personal Locator Device [PLD], etc.) in your possession and on your person in an operable condition. This device must be within easy access shall you experience the need to contact emergency assistance. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

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WARNING! Failure to read and strictly comply with the instructions contained in this Instruction Manual may result in serious injury or death! PLEASE NOTE THAT "WARNING!" statements have been placed throughout this Instruction Manual. These statements point-out important safety information and instructions, which, if not followed, could endanger the personal safety and/or property of the operator. It is imperative that the operator of this product, or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) read and understand all the instructions and warnings contained in this Instruction Manual prior to attempting to use this product(s), or any other Rhino Treestands product(s). Failure to comply with these instructions and/or warnings may result in serious injury or death! When you see a "WARNING!" statement- BE SURE TO HEED THE MESSAGE!



WARNING! Thoroughly inspect this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) prior to each use for signs of wear, rot, corrosion, cracks, deterioration and/or any other type of defect. DO NOT expose this product to extended exposure to direct sunlight, excessive heat or freezing temperatures. Do not use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) if they show evidence of wear, rot, corrosion, cracks, deterioration and/or any other type of defect. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Do not remove, modify and/or omit any portion or otherwise mechanically modify this Rhino Treestands product(s) or its assemblies in any manner. Modification, additions, misuse and/or part substitution shall immediately void your factory warranty and may result serious injury or death! If you suspect a part(s) is missing and/or defective, immediately contact Rhino Treestands toll free at (888) 507-2021 for replacement of missing or defective parts. Never modify your stand in any way by making repairs, or altering, adding or attaching anything to it except if explicitly authorized in writing by Rhino Treestands. ALWAYS USE GENUINE FACTORY AUTHORIZED RHINO TREESTANDS REPLACEMENT PARTS. USE OF ANY REPLACEMENT PARTS OTHER THAN GENUINE RHINO TREESTANDS PARTS VOIDS YOUR WARRANTY AND RELIEVES RHINO TREESTANDS OF ANY RESULTANT LIABILITIES AND MAY RESULT IN SERIOUS INJURY OR DEATH!



WARNING! This Rhino Treestands product(s) is designed for adult use only. No one under the age of 16 shall attempt to use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) without direct adult supervision. Replace all hardware/cables/nuts/bolts/clips on your treestand every two (2) years or sooner if inspection finds it necessary. Use only Rhino Treestands replacement straps and parts. Use of any other straps or parts, which are not genuine Rhino Treestands straps and parts, will be viewed as a modification to the product. Any modification will void the warranties and relieve Rhino Treestands Inc. from all liabilities. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Prior to attempting to use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s), you must take a moment and become familiar with its assembly, setup and installation. You must practice installing, setting-up and using this product(s) at ground level prior to attempting to use it at heights above ground-level. Once you have become thoroughly knowledgeable and comfortable with this Rhino Treestands product(s) set-up, installation and use at ground-level, you are now ready to use it at heights above ground-level. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury and death!



WARNING! ALWAYS inspect/check ALL expiration dates/tags on all straps and the full-body fall arrest harness prior to each use. You must replace ALL straps (i.e., ratchet, cinch, button, stabilizing straps/ropes, etc.) and suspension seats EVERY year. Never use any strap(s) or full-body fall arrest harness that has expired or is showing any damage or wear. Replace all hardware/cables/nuts/bolts/clips on your tree stand every (2) years or sooner if inspection finds it necessary. Use only Rhino Treestands replacement straps and parts. Any other straps or parts will be viewed as a modification to the product. Any modification will void the warranties and relieve Rhino Treestands Inc. from all liabilities. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury and death!



WARNING! Never rely on a tree branch for support while climbing. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

WARNING! You must always inform someone of your hunting location, where the treestand will be located and the expected duration of the hunt. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Inspect all safety devices each time before each use. DO NOT use these devices if it (they) shows signs of wear, damage, deterioration, or vandalism. Factors such as tree growth, vandals, weather and animals may affect the performance of an unattended tree stand. Do not store these devices outdoors when not in use. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! The length of the full-body fall arrest harness lanyard must be minimized at all times. It shall be adjusted so it is above the head with no slack (snug) in the sitting position and you shall have the minimum amount of slack possible when climbing. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT modify, fix/repair, alter, bend, cut, weld, or heat this product in any way. Failure to follow these instructions will void warranty and may result in serious injury or death!





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WARNING! Never attempt to climb up or climb down with a weapon and/or gear in your possession. ALWAYS unload your weapon and pull it up to hunting height using a tether or pull up rope. ALWAYS lower your unloaded weapon down to the ground prior (when raising or lowering firearms, the chamber must be open and the barrel pointing toward the ground) to attempting to climb down. Use this same method when raising or lowering all other gear. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT attempt to use this and/or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) when ice, snow and/or freezing rain has deposited or formed on any portion of the tree you intend to climb. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! ALWAYS maintain three (3) point contact when climbing up/down a tree when using climbing aids (e.g., ladders, climbing sticks, stacking steps, etc.). Proper three (3) point contact means having either two (2) feet with one (1) hand or one (1) foot with two (2) hands on the step portion of the climbing aids at all times when climbing up or down. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! NEVER adjust ANY straps, cables, and/or adjustable support bars while standing on or leaning against any treestand. DO NOT use any treestand if there is any damage, wear, or excessive corrosion on any part of the treestand or the full-body fall arrest harness. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! If you have a limiting physical and/or health condition that precludes and/or renders you incapable of self-recovery and/or a suitable escape plan is not available, DO NOT hunt from heights above ground level. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT lean out from a treestand for any reason. Never use your full-body fall arrest harness to help you lean out of your treestand to make a difficult shot. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) if you have a history of heart problems, back problems, impaired vision, joints that lock-up, spinal fusions, equilibrium problems, high blood pressure, are not well-rested and/or any other physical impairment that may limit your ability to use and/or operate this product(s) in the safe manner outlined in this Instruction Manual. Additionally, do not use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) if you are currently taking any medication (including prescription or over-the-counter [OTC]) and/or using and/or consuming any substance, or consumed any substance, including alcohol, that may limit your ability to use this Rhino Treestands product(s) as outlined and described in this Instruction Manual. Never use a treestand when feeling ill, nauseous or dizzy. Do not use ANY Rhino Treestands product(s) without consent from your medical doctor for safe and proper use of the treestand and full-body fall arrest harness. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT attempt to use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) when thunderstorms are threatening and/or present within five (5) miles. Do not attempt to use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s) when any other adverse weather condition presents itself. These include weather conditions which have the potential for producing winds, lightning, rain, snow, sleet and/or any other atmospheric condition which may limit the user's ability to operate this Rhino Treestands product(s) in a safe manner as described in this Instruction Manual. Shall inclement weather conditions arise during your use of this Rhino Treestands product(s), return to the ground immediately. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury and death!



WARNING! Never jump or bounce on a treestand to seat it to the tree. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS FOR TOWER USAGE



WARNING! You must use at least four (4) adults to install and/or take down this tower. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! You must check every ladder section connection every time you use the stand before you leave the ground. If you find that the ladder sections are separating, DO NOT USE the tower. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! You must check the ground under the tower to make sure it is firm and level. Sloping ground or uneven surfaces (e.g., on foot on a rock) can cause your tower to tilt or shift as you climb. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! You must maintain three (3) points-of-contact when climbing a ladder treestand (i.e., two feet-one hand, two hands-one foot). Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! This unit is REQUIRED to be anchored to the ground (anchors/ground stakes are not included).



WARNING! NEVER use any type of motor vehicle or all-terrain vehicle (ATV) to stand-up this unit.



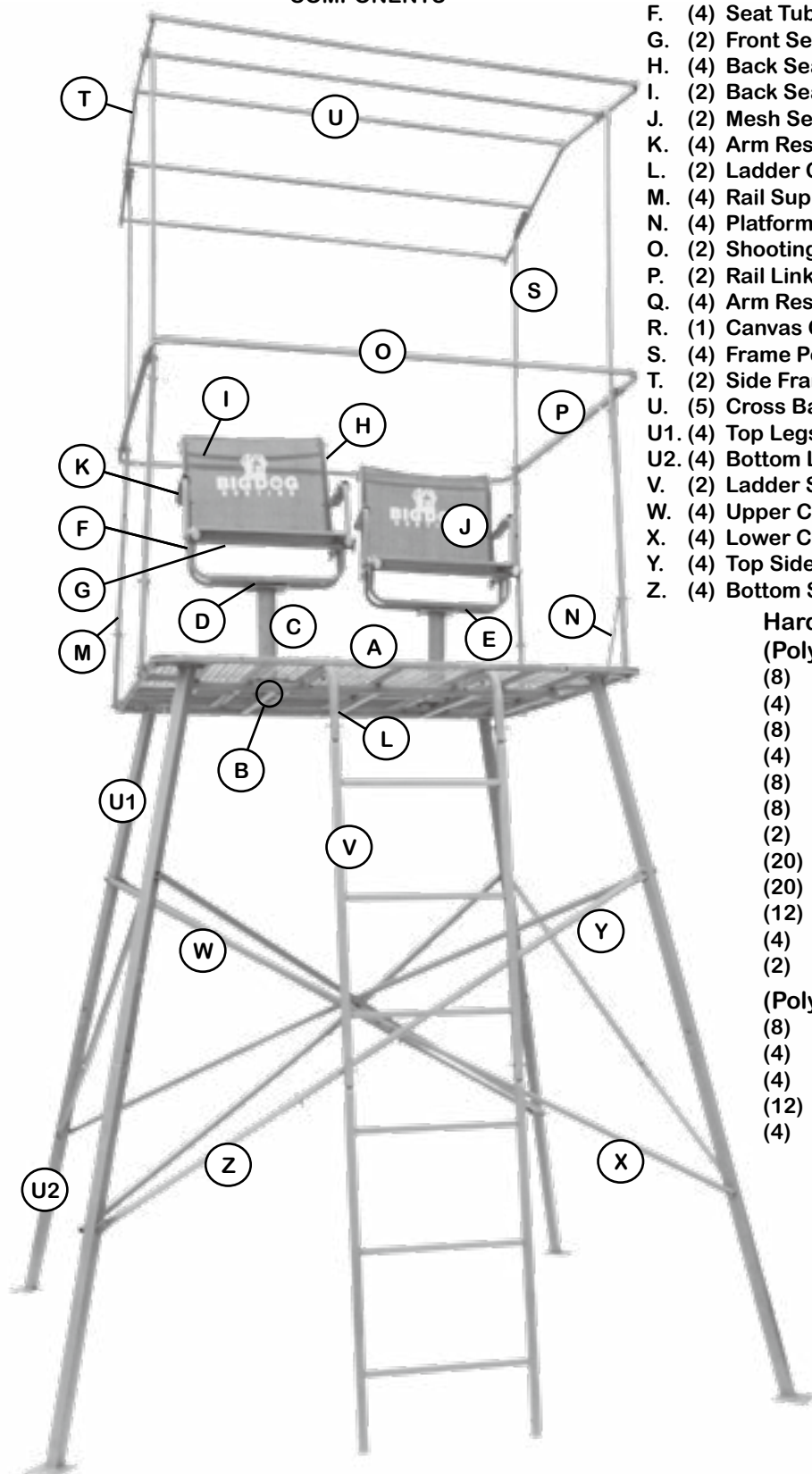
WARNING! NEVER place any tripod/quad pod on a side of a hill or incline/decline. Insure the foot platform is level and the foot plates are flat on the ground.

WARNING! NEVER submerge the leg sections in water, place in mud/saturated soil or locate on any type of loose/soft soil or sand. Place/locate this unit on firm, level, dirt surface ONLY.



RHINO TREESTANDS RTT-510 COMPONENTS

FIGURE 1
RHINO TREESTANDS RTT-510
COMPONENTS



A. (2) Foot Platforms	Part #TFP-514
B. (1) Sub Frame	Part #TSF-510
C. (2) Seat Pedestal	Part #SP-510
D. (2) Swivel Base	Part #SWB-350
E. (2) Seat Base	Part #TSB-510
F. (4) Seat Tube	Part #TST-510
G. (2) Front Seat Support Tube	Part #FST-414
H. (4) Back Seat Tube	Part #BST-510
I. (2) Back Seat Support	Part #BS-414
J. (2) Mesh Seat With 4 plastic Tubes	Part #TFC-510
K. (4) Arm Rests	Part #TAR-350
L. (2) Ladder Connection Tubes	Part #CT-514
M. (4) Rail Support Tubes	Part #SRS-200
N. (4) Platform Rail Straps	Part #CB-200
O. (2) Shooting Rails	Part #SR-514
P. (2) Rail Link Tubes	Part #RLT-514
Q. (4) Arm Rest Pads	Part #FP-451
R. (1) Canvas Canopy (Not shown)	Part #RTQF-500
S. (4) Frame Post	Part #TL-212
T. (2) Side Frame Tubes	Part #SFT-550
U. (5) Cross Bars (57-3/4")	Part #CBT-550
U1. (4) Top Legs (W/U-Plate)	Part #TL-510
U2. (4) Bottom Legs (W/Foot Plate)	Part #BL-510
V. (2) Ladder Sections	Part #L-510
W. (4) Upper Cross Braces	Part #UCB-510
X. (4) Lower Cross Braces	Part #LCB-510
Y. (4) Top Side Braces	Part #UCS-510
Z. (4) Bottom Side Braces	Part #LAB-510

Hardware Kits for Platform Assembly (Poly Bag # 51)

(8) 8mm x 1 - 5/8" Bolts	Part #1513
(4) 8mm x 2 - 1/8" Bolts	Part #1516
(8) 8mm x 2 - 3/8" Bolts	Part #1517
(4) 6mm x 1 - 3/8" Bolts	Part #1013
(8) 6mm x 1 - 3/4" Bolts	Part #1014
(8) 6mm x 2 - 1/8" Bolts	Part #1016
(2) 10mm Locknut	Part #2516
(20) 8mm Locknut	Part #2510
(20) 6mm Locknut	Part #2010
(12) Tube Cap	Part #4514
(4) Thick Plastic Washer	Part #4510
(2) 10mm Metal washer	Part #5710

(Poly Bag # 52)

(8) 8mm x 1 - 3/8" Bolts	Part #1512
(4) 8mm x 2 - 1/8" Bolts	Part #1516
(4) 6mm x 2 - 1/8"	Part #1016
(12) 8mm Locknut	Part #2510
(4) 6mm Locknut	Part #2010

Hardware Kits for Roof Assembly (Poly Bag # 53)

(18) 6mm x 1 - 5/8" Bolts	Part #1013
(18) 6mm Locknut	Part #2010
(4) 6mm T-Bolt	Part #7035

Hardware Kits for Leg Assembly (Poly Bag # 54)

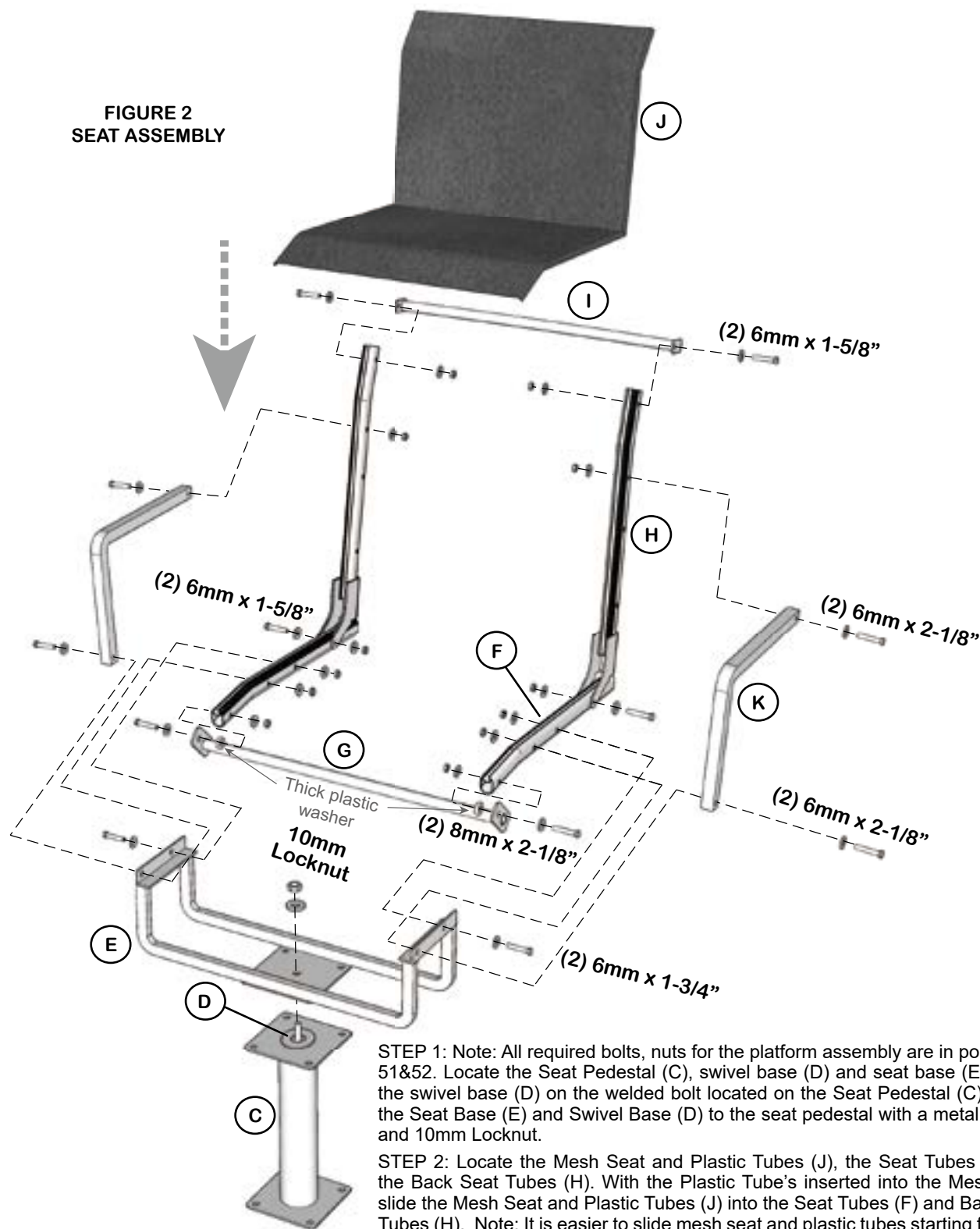
(8) 8mm x 1 - 3/8" Bolts	Part #1512
(8) 8mm x 2" Bolts	Part #1515
(4) 8mm x 3" Bolts	Part #1520
(28) 8mm Locknut	Part #2510
(4) Quick Pins	Part #8010



RHINO TREESTANDS RTT-510 ASSEMBLY

Note: Do NOT tighten any nuts/bolts until product is fully assembled. You will need one (1) 17mm wrench, two (2) 13mm wrenches and two (2) 10mm wrenches to tighten the assembly. These are NOT provided.

FIGURE 2
SEAT ASSEMBLY



STEP 1: Note: All required bolts, nuts for the platform assembly are in poly bag # 51&52. Locate the Seat Pedestal (C), swivel base (D) and seat base (E). Place the swivel base (D) on the welded bolt located on the Seat Pedestal (C), attach the Seat Base (E) and Swivel Base (D) to the seat pedestal with a metal washer and 10mm Locknut.

STEP 2: Locate the Mesh Seat and Plastic Tubes (J), the Seat Tubes (F) and the Back Seat Tubes (H). With the Plastic Tube's inserted into the Mesh Seat, slide the Mesh Seat and Plastic Tubes (J) into the Seat Tubes (F) and Back Seat Tubes (H). Note: It is easier to slide mesh seat and plastic tubes starting from the

straight end of the seat tubes. Bolt the Back Seat Tubes (H) to the Seat Tubes (F) using two (2) 6mm x 1-5/8" bolts and locknuts. Locate the Front Seat Support Tube (G) and the Back Seat Support (I). Bolt the Front Seat Support Tube to the front side of the Seat Tubes (F) using one (1) 8mm x 2-1/8" bolt and a thick plastic washer on each side. Next Bolt the Back Seat Support (I) to the Back Seat Tubes (H) using one (1) 6mm x 1-5/8" on each side.

STEP 6: Locate the Arm Rests (K), bolt the Arm Rests (K) to the Back Seat Tubes (H) with two (2) 6mm x 2-1/8" bolts and locknuts. Next using one (1) 6mm x 2-1/8" bolt and locknut, bolt through the bottom side of the Arm Rest (K), the Seat Base (E) and lastly through the Seat Tube (F). Repeat on the opposite side. Using two (2) 6mm x 1-3/4" bolts and locknuts, finish bolting the Seat Tubes (F) to the Seat Base (E).

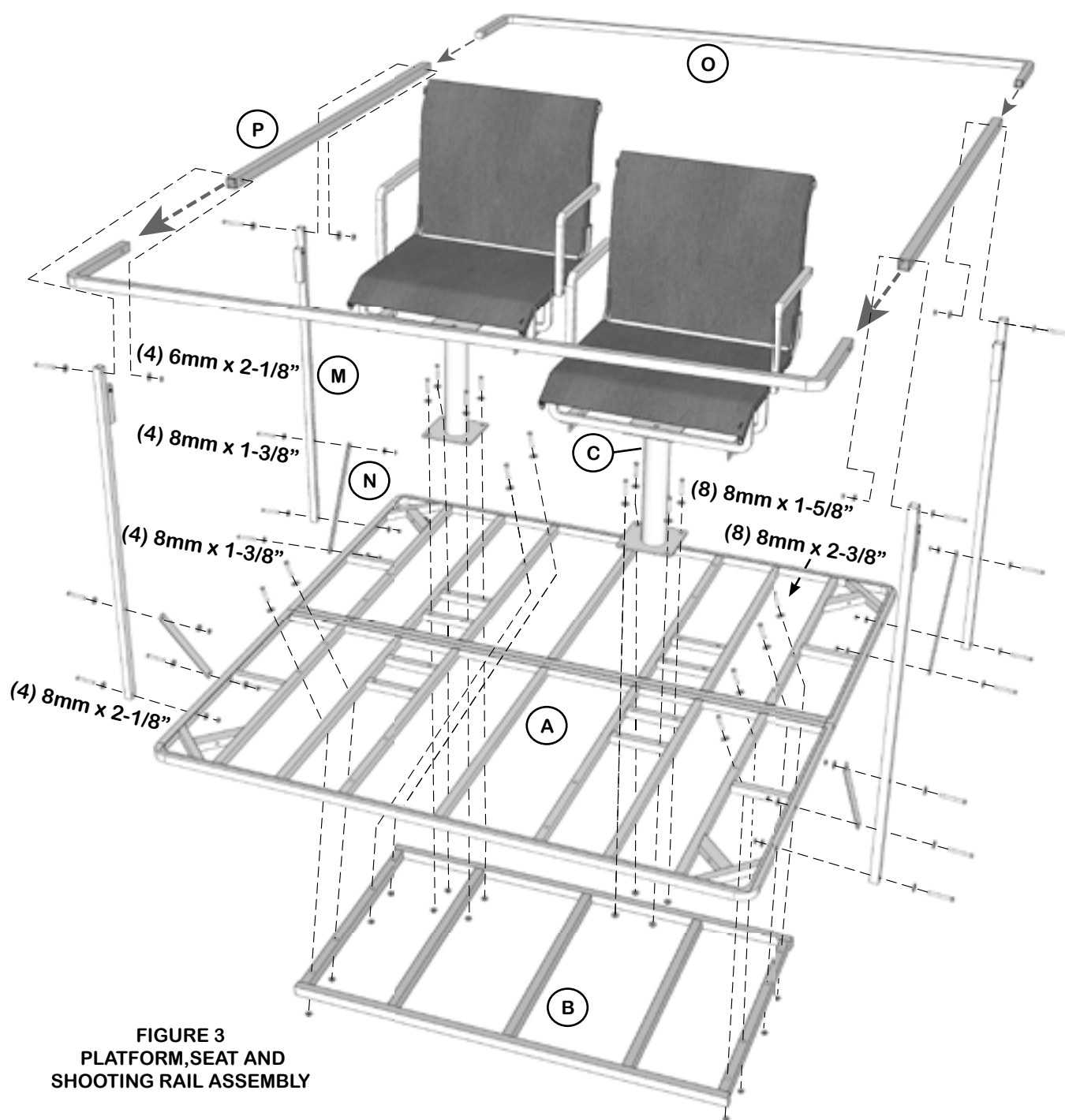


FIGURE 3
PLATFORM, SEAT AND
SHOOTING RAIL ASSEMBLY

STEP 2: Locate the two (2) foot platforms (A) and the sub-frame (B). Secure the foot platforms (A) and sub-frame (B) using eight (8) 8mm x 2-3/8" bolts and four (4) 8mm locknuts.

STEP 3: Locate four (4) rail support tubes (M). Secure each end of the rail support tubes to each corner of the assembled foot platform side using (4) 8mm x 2-1/8" bolts and locknuts. NOTE: The pre-welded tubes on the rail support tubes shall be facing inwards toward the center of the foot platform area.

STEP 4: Locate (1) platform rail strap(s) (N) and align the hole on the platform strap with the 2nd hole on the rail support tube (M) and the 2nd hole from the corner in the assembled foot platform and secure each end using (1) 8mm x 1-3/8" bolt and locknut. Repeat on remaining (3) Platform Rail Strap(s). Note: Insure the locknuts are to the inside of the foot platform area.

STEP 5: Locate the two (2) shooting rails (O) and two (2) rail link tubes (P). Slide the rail link tube (P) over the end of one (1) of the shooting rail (O). Slide the second shooting rail (O) into the rail link tube. Line the holes up and secure them to the rail support tubes (M) using two (2) 6mm x 2-1/8" bolts and 6mm locknuts. Repeat on other side.

STEP 6: Install the previously assembled seat to the platform using four (4) 8mm x 1-5/8" bolts and locknuts. Note: Once you have one of the swivel seats installed, there are two optional locations to install another swivel seat, Repeat for the second independent swivel seat location you choose.

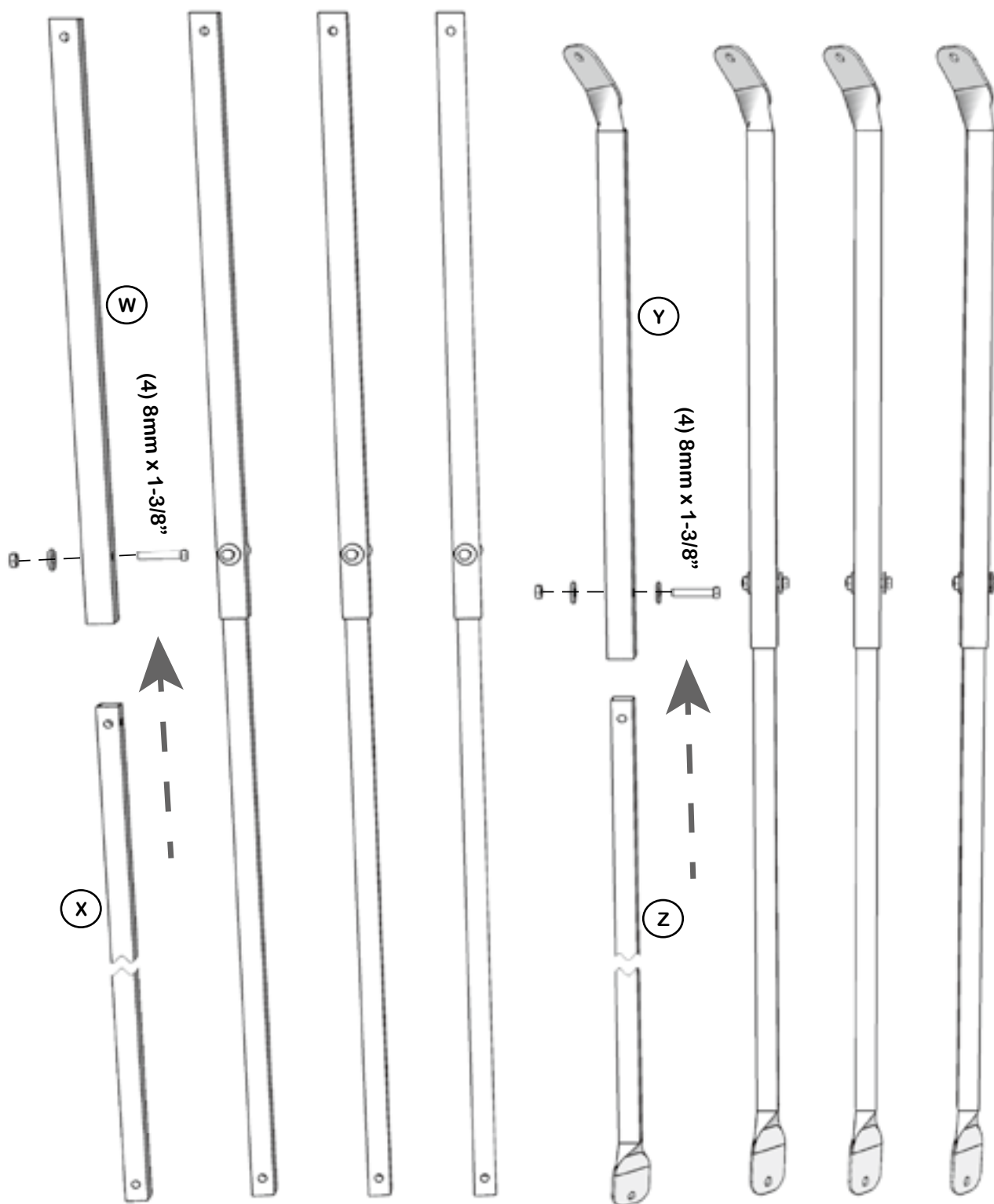


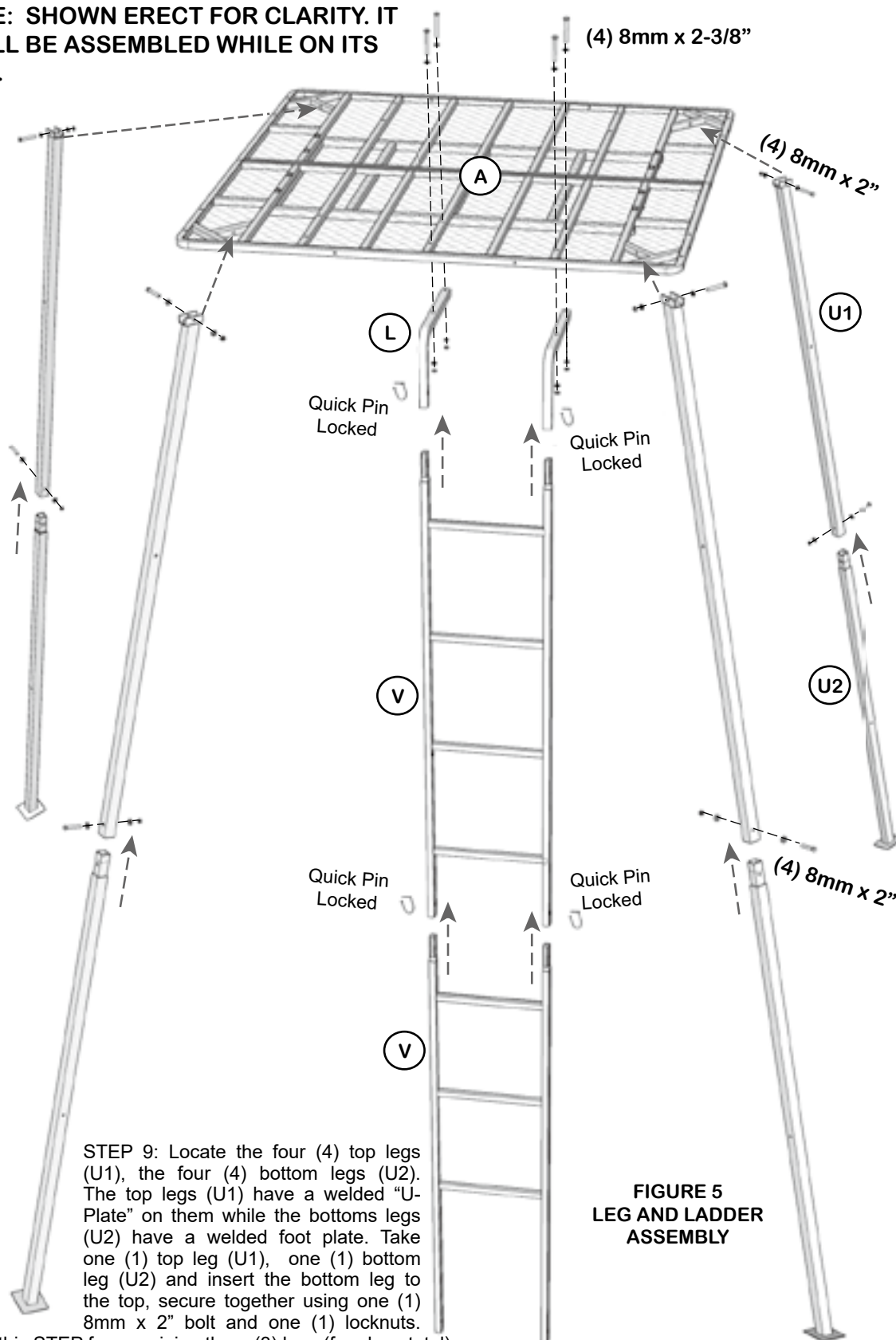
FIGURE 4
CROSS TUBES ASSEMBLY

Note: All required bolts and nuts for the leg/cross brace/ladder assembly are in poly bag # 54.

STEP 7: Locate the (4) upper cross braces (W) (1" Tube) and the (4) lower cross braces (X) (3/4" tube). Insert the (1) lower cross braces (X) into (1) upper cross braces (W) and align the holes in the end and secure using one (1) 8mm x 1-3/8" bolt and locknut per braces. Note: Bolt together using the hole that is 2" up from the end on the upper cross brace tube. Repeat this STEP on the remaining cross brace assemblies (four total). Note: The cross braces are square tubes their entire length.

STEP 8: Locate the (4) top side braces (Y) (1" Tube) and the (4) bottom side braces (Z) (3/4" tube). Insert the (1) lower side brace (Z) (3/4" tube) into the end of upper side brace (Y) (1" tube) where the hole is punched about 2" UP from the end. Secure the two sections together using (1) 8mm x 1-3/8" bolt and locknut. Repeat on remaining Cross Supports. Note: Insure to orient each end of the upper/lower cross support tubes.

NOTE: SHOWN ERECT FOR CLARITY. IT SHALL BE ASSEMBLED WHILE ON ITS SIDE.



STEP 9: Locate the four (4) top legs (U1), the four (4) bottom legs (U2). The top legs (U1) have a welded "U-Plate" on them while the bottom legs (U2) have a welded foot plate. Take one (1) top leg (U1), one (1) bottom leg (U2) and insert the bottom leg to the top, secure together using one (1) 8mm x 2" bolt and one (1) locknuts.

Repeat this STEP for remaining three (3) legs (four legs total), bolt the four (4) leg assemblies to the (4) mounting locations on platform (A) with 8mm x 2" bolt and locknuts.

STEP 10: Locate the two (2) ladder connection tubes (L). Install them onto the welded cross tubes on one end of the foot platform (A). Secure using two (2) 8mmx2-3/8" bolts and locknuts per ladder connection tube (L). NOTE: Both foot platforms (A) are drilled for the ladder connection tubes (L). Placement of the ladder connection tubes (L) on either foot platform (A) is up to the user's discretion.

STEP 11: Locate the ladder sections (V). Slide the one (1) ladder section (V) into the ladder connection tubes (L) and connect using two (2) quick pins. Make certain the quick pins are closed and locked once their installation is completed. Repeat on the 2nd ladder section.

FIGURE 5
LEG AND LADDER
ASSEMBLY



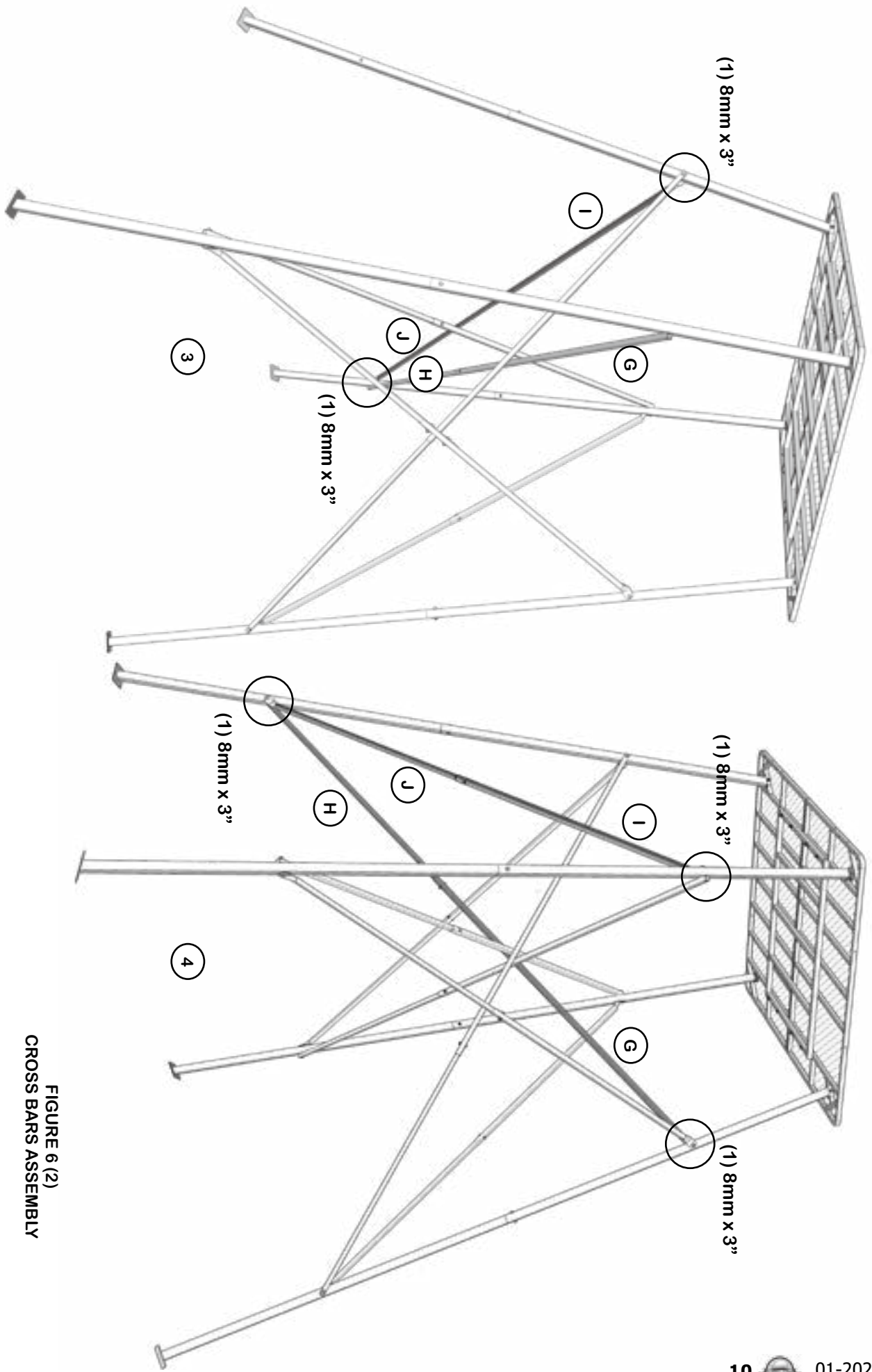


FIGURE 6 (2)
CROSS BARS ASSEMBLY

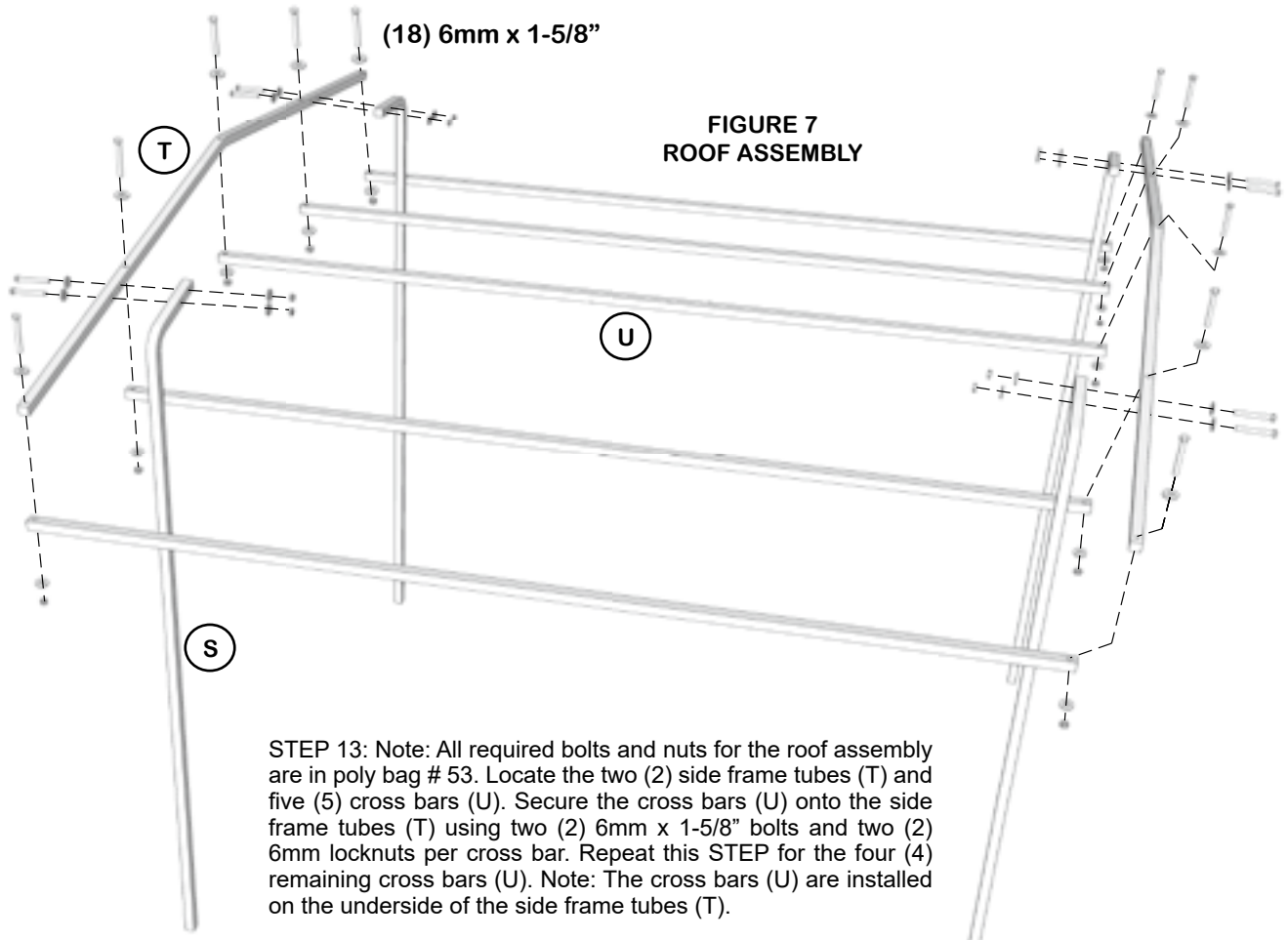


FIGURE 7
ROOF ASSEMBLY

STEP 13: Note: All required bolts and nuts for the roof assembly are in poly bag # 53. Locate the two (2) side frame tubes (T) and five (5) cross bars (U). Secure the cross bars (U) onto the side frame tubes (T) using two (2) 6mm x 1-5/8" bolts and two (2) 6mm locknuts per cross bar. Repeat this STEP for the four (4) remaining cross bars (U). Note: The cross bars (U) are installed on the underside of the side frame tubes (T).

INSTALLING CANVAS CANOPY



FIGURE 8

CANOPY WITH VERTICAL ZIPPER IN FRONT

STEP 1: STOP! It is **REQUIRED** to tape all corners and bolted joints on the canopy assembly so that all sharp edges and bolts are covered to prevent ripping of the canvas enclosure fabric. NOTE: The enclosure fabric or zippers are **NOT** warranted!! These STEPS require two (2) adults for the safe installation of canopy. Locate the canopy (R). Note there are windows on the sides of the canopy and a window and vertical zipper for easy treestand access on the front of the canopy as shown in Figure 8.

STEP 2: While standing on the foot platform, lower the previously installed canopy frame by loosening the T-Bolts and allowing the canopy frame to slide downward. Retighten the T-Bolts. With the help of another adult, push the canvas canopy through the previously assembled canopy frame. Make certain the zippered door is facing the ladder side of the quad-pod assembly.

STEP 3: Gently work the canvas canopy down and over the canopy frame and down the sides of the canopy frame. Make certain the canvas canopy is squarely installed on the canopy frame. Once the canvas canopy has been installed, gently raise the canopy frame upward until the bottom of the canvas canopy is flush, or below the foot platforms. At desired height, tighten the canopy frame T-Bolts and secure the bottom of the canopy to the foot platforms.

Note: You must leave the canvas canopy windows open when not in use. This keeps the wind from blowing the quad-pod assembly over during periods of high winds.

Note: It is **REQUIRED** to tape all corners and bolted joints on the canopy assembly to prevent ripping of canvas enclosure fabric. The enclosure fabric or zippers are **NOT** warranted. Please call to purchase replacement fabric enclosure. (Part # RTQF-500)

SET-UP/ERECTING YOUR RHINO TREESTANDS RTT-510



WARNING! You must follow these installation instructions very carefully. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



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WARNING! You must have at least four (4) adults to install and/or remove this ladder treestand. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

WARNING! Your Rhino Quad Pod was designed, engineered and constructed in a manner that makes it a rugged piece of hunting equipment that will give you years of trouble-free service. This rugged-construction makes your Rhino Quad Pod physically heavy. As such, you shall never attempt to install this ladder by yourself.

YOU MUST HAVE A MINIMUM OF FOUR (4) ADULTS FOR THE SAFE ERECTION OF YOUR TREESTAND.



WARNING! You must check the ground under the treestand to make sure it is firm and level. Sloping ground or uneven surfaces (e.g., one foot on a rock) can cause your ladder to tilt or shift off the tree as you climb. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Prior to attempting to climb a ladder stand for the first time, make certain the feet of the bottom rung ladder section are firmly planted on solid, level ground. If they are not firmly planted on level ground, DO NOT climb the ladder. With the help of three (3) adults, lower the stand and find a suitable location to safely install the ladder stand. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! When climbing, always maintain three (3) points-of-contact as you ascend (i.e., climb up) and while descending (i.e., climb down). Failure to maintain three (3) points-of-contact puts the user at serious risk of bodily injury. Failure to follow these instructions will result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! Prior to climbing, make sure that all the ladder sections are firmly connected and the ladder assembly is solidly secured to the tree. Failure to follow these instructions will result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! DO NOT use this, or any other Rhino product(s) to climb utility poles, telephone poles, structural columns or any other man-made structures. Never use this or any other Rhino product(s) around power generation (e.g., transformers, generators, substations, etc.) and/or power transmission equipment. Failure to follow these instructions will result in serious injury or death!



WARNING! You MUST install your Rhino Treestand level. Any installation other than level, will result in dangerous condition for the user. If you find your treestand canted, unlevel or in any condition other than level, you must remove it and find an alternative installation site that affords level installation. Failure to follow these instructions will result in serious injury or death!

STEP 1: (This STEP requires (4) adults). With the quad-pod FULLY assembled on it's side (Note: Have the platform assembly on a chair or table so it's off the ground to prevent stress in the canopy assembly), tie off (2) 16' ropes or straps (not included) near the foot plates on the each leg assembly that are not touching the ground (the two in the air). Locate (1) able adult on each side of the foot platform area (near leg connection to the foot platform). With (1) able adult pulling on each of the ropes attached to each leg assembly and (1) able adult pushing on each rear corner of foot platform/rear leg assembly, pull the unit up until all foot plates are on the ground and the foot platform is level. DO NOT allow the unit to slam against the ground during set-up or removal. IT IS REQUIRED TO STAKE THIS UNIT INTO THE GROUND (not included).

STEP 2: With the treestand erected, make certain the seating platform is level and the treestand is installed on solid, level ground. If the seat or standing platforms are not level, or the treestand is not on level, firm ground, gently lower it (with the help of three (3) adults [four (4) total] and move it to a location where it can be erected in the safe manner previously described in this Manual.

IMPORTANT REMINDER: You must tie-down or secure your Rhino Treestands Quad-Pod using stakes or straps. Please note that stakes or straps are NOT PROVIDED with this Rhino Treestands Quad-Pod. It is recommended that you tie-down each side of the platforms [4] total). It is recommended that you leave the windows open when not in use to minimize the effects of the wind on the structure. Additionally, it is highly recommended that a certified electrician ground this structure in the event of an electrical storm.

REMOVING YOUR RTT-510 TREESTAND



WARNING! NEVER walk or stand under the treestand at any time during set-up or removal. Failure to follow these instructions may resulting serious injury or death!

STEP 1: It is required to have (4) able adults to raise or lower this unit into position. Read/Understand/Follow all instructions/warning prior to set-up/removal/or use of this unit!! Remove all ground stakes or anchors that are securing the unit to the ground. Next, tie off (2) 16' rope or strap (not included) to the front two legs in the direction you want to lay the unit to the ground. With (1) able adult on each rear leg section and (1) able adult on each 16' strap or rope, push the unit over and control the fall rate of the unit to the ground be slowly walking the unit down with the (1) rope or strap. DO NOT ALLOW THE UNIT TO SLAM AGAINST THE GROUND. Never stand in the direct path of the unit being raised or lowered to the ground.



WARNING! Prior to attempting to use this or any other Rhino Treestands product(s), you must take a moment and become familiar with it's setup and installation at ground level. You must practice installing, setting-up and using this product(s) at ground-level prior to attempting to use it at heights above ground-level. Once you have become thoroughly knowledgeable and comfortable with this Rhino Treestands product(s) setup, installation and use at ground-level, you're now ready to use it at heights above ground-level. Failure to follow these instructions may result in serious injury or death!

STORAGE AND CARE



WARNING! You MUST store your treestand out of direct sunlight and out of any other harsh environmental condition(s) that may adversely affect its performance. Storing this treestand in harsh environmental conditions will degrade its performance and may expose the user to serious injury or death. Failure to follow these instruction will lead to serious injury or death!

You must remove the fabric enclosure when not in use. Direct sunlight will fade the enclosure material and environmental conditions will wear on the fabric material. The fabric enclosure/zippers are NOT warranted. Call Rhino Treestands or your local retailer for purchase of replacement enclosure fabric.