

SYSTEM *99* TREE-HOUSE USERS SPECIAL INSTRUCTIONS

*****PLEASE READ***VERY IMPORTANT*****

1. AS NOTED IN THE GENERAL CHAIR INSTRUCTIONS / IT IS **EXTREMELY IMPORTANT** THAT YOU ATTACH & (CINCH TIGHT), ALL STRAP-BELTS IN THE CHAIR . . . THIS INCLUDES THE LEG STRAPS, THE WAIST STRAP, & THE CHEST STRAP . . .
2. MAKE SURE ALL USERS USE THE HANDLE . . . **IF FOR SELF-ASCENT/DESCENT** . . . HAVE THE HANDLE SECURING ROPE ATTACHED TO ONE OF THE *D* RINGS ON THE SIDE OF THE CHAIR . . . **IF BY AN OUTSIDE OPERATOR** . . . THEN THE HANDLE SECURING ROPE SHOULD BE ATTACHED TO AN OPERATOR'S BELT, (WHICH CAN BE ANY STRONG BELT THAT CAN ENCIRCLE THE OPERATOR'S WAIST) . . . **THAT WAY** IF THE HANDLE IS RELEASED IT WILL GO UP NO FURTHER THAN THE 4 FOOT HANDLE SECURING ROPE & WILL ALWAYS BE WITHIN REACH . . .
3. REMEMBER THAT IF YOU PULL THE CHAIR UP (ABOVE YOUR REACH) *EMPTY* (AS KIDS WILL DO QUITE OFTEN), IT WON'T COME DOWN AGAIN / BY ITSELF . . . **TO RESOLVE** . . . ATTACH A TAG LINE (ALSO KNOWN AS A BELAY LINE) TO THE BACK LOWER *D* RING OF THE CHAIR . . . WE ALSO **STRONGLY SUGGEST** THAT YOU TRY TO KEEP KIDS FROM USING THE SYSTEM BY THEMSELVES - ALONE . . . THEY ALSO WILL HAVE TO BE CONSTANTLY REMINDED TO INSTALL ALL NYLON STRAPS & BELTS PROPERLY . . .
4. IF / WHEN THE ROPE IS WET OR DAMP YOU WILL FIND THAT YOUR LOAD WILL EITHER NOT DESCEND = OR WILL COME DOWN SLOWLY . . . THIS IS BECAUSE DAMP OR WET ROPE HAS MORE FRICTION AS IT PASSES AROUND THE STATIONARY DRUM . . . **TO RESOLVE** . . . EITHER PUSH THE FREE-SIDE ROPE UP TO HELP DECREASE THE FRICTION OR LET THE ROPE DRY OUT COMPLETELY BEFORE USE . . .
5. IF YOU ARE CONCERNED ABOUT UNAUTHORIZED DISASSEMBLY OF YOUR SYSTEM WE CAN PROVIDE *COMBINATION-LOCK* KARABINERS, (KARABINER - IS THE NAME OF THE AUTO-LOCK SNAPHOOKS ON YOUR SYSTEM) . . . THE COMBINATION LOCK VERSIONS HAVE A THREE NUMBER SPIN LOCK ASSEMBLY . . . NOT UNLIKE THOSE FOUND ON BRIEFCASES . . . BUT ARE QUITE EXPENSIVE, AND WILL ADD APPROX. \$200.00 TO THE PRICE OF YOUR SYSTEM. YOU CAN ALSO USE LONG-SHACKLE PAD LOCKS . . . TECHNICALLY THEY

ARE NOT THE TYPE OF ITEM THAT RECEIVES A *MAN-CARRYING-RATING* - BUT ALL STANDARD SIZE *MASTER-LOCK* TYPE (HIGH-QUALITY) PAD-LOCKS CAN EASILY SUPPORT THE WEIGHT OF A PERSON WHEN LOCKED PROPERLY . . .

6. THE METAL PARTS OF YOUR SYSTEM *99* ARE PRIMARILY MADE OF ALUMINUM, AND STAINLESS STEEL . . . THE OTHER METAL PARTS ARE ALL *HOT-DIPPED-GALVANIZED* / OR TREATED FOR RESISTANCE TO CORROSION . . . , AND YOUR ROPE IS MADE OF NYLON. THEREFORE IT WILL PROVIDE YOU WITH YEARS OF OUTDOOR SERVICE . . .
7. YOUR CHAIR IS MADE OF NYLON STRAPS, AND A SPECIAL EXTREMELY DURABLE *99-SAFETY-DURA-HIDE* WHICH IS TEAR-PROOF, AND THERE-FOR VIRTUALLY INDESTRUCTIBLE . . . THE SEAT BENEATH THE FANNY USES A PIECE OF MARINE PLYWOOD . . . ALL THAT SAID YOU CAN LEAVE IT OUTSIDE . . . BUT IT WILL LAST LONGER IF YOU TAKE IT DOWN AND STORE IT OUT OF THE WEATHER WHEN IT IS NOT IN USE . . . ALSO - IF THE CHAIR IS NOT UP UNLESS YOU ARE NEAR-BY IT WILL DISCOURAGE *PASSERS-BY* FROM PLAYING WITH THE SYSTEM . . . THE U. S. NAVY USES THIS CHAIR . . . ALL OF OUR EQUIPMENT IS MAN-RATED BY O.S.H.A, A.N.S.I. & THE N.F.P.A. . . .
8. IF YOU NEED ANY TECHNICAL INFORMATION ON YOUR *99* SYSTEM(S) PLEASE CONSULT THE DEALER YOU PURCHASED IT FROM, (PROBABLY THE BUILDER OF YOUR TREE-HOUSE). IF HOWEVER, THEY ARE NOT AVAILABLE YOU CAN CONTACT US AT THE ADDRESS OR PHONE / EMAIL ADDRESS BELOW . . . THANK YOU FOR YOUR PURCHASE . . .

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