

CHALLENGER 5 TENT – Pitching/Striking

This tent comprises of inner tent with ground sheet and a flysheet giving a tent size of approximately 4.2m, (13' 9") long, 2.8m (9' 2") wide and 1.7m(5' 7") in height. (see Contents List Below)

There are 5 sets of poles each with 3 sections marked with coloured tape to help with assembly.

They are a ridgepole, 2 small poles for the front of the tent, one long pole for the middle and a medium pole for the bell end of the inner.

PITCHING - *Make sure that the bags for the tent do not blow away and are protected from any rain.*

1. Lay out inner tent sheet, unzip door, and hold up to the light check for holes in ground sheet and repair with duct tape if necessary. Remove any rubbish/ from inner tent.
2. Put the medium sized pole through the hole in the inner tent at the bell end. This pole needs to be at an angle to follow the line of the inner tent. Temporally use the 2 guy lines to support the pole.
3. Put the long pole vertically through the hole in the inner tent at the opening of the inner tent. Temporally use 2 guy lines to help to support the pole.
4. Fit pole feet to protect ground sheet, if not already fitted. Each foot may need the base clipping on to the part that fits over the end of the pole.
5. Remove guy lines from one end, fit ridgepole through inner tent loop. Place the metal tubular spacer over the spike and replace the ridgepole and the guy lines. Repeat at other end.
6. Ensure inner door is zipped up then peg out inner tent loosely especially at the sides having bungees.
7. Remove guy lines from long pole and place flysheet over poles of the inner tent.
8. Use the 2 short poles to support the end of the porch of the flysheet. Use 1 guy line per pole with the guy lines in line with the seam of the flysheet.
9. Remove bell end guy lines and replace the guy lines on top of the flysheet.
10. Fit rain protectors to end of inner tent poles and also to front poles if there are enough.
11. Ensure that the flysheet door is zipped up then peg out flysheet. Then peg out the side guy lines.
12. Check that flysheet does not touch the inner tent at any point.
13. On the outside of the tent at the bell end fit rubber protector over the base of the foot with the groundsheet between the foot and the rubber protector. Place 2 small pegs to stop the pole foot from sliding and damaging the ground sheet.



Contents of Accessories Bag



Pole Foot & Pole foot with pole



CONTENTS OF TENT BAG

1 PEG BAG
32 large & 2 small pegs
1 pole bag with 15 poles
1 inner tent, 1 flysheet
These instructions

1 accessories bag
with 4 guys, 2 spacers, 2 pole tops, 1 pole foot protector



Pole Top
Rain Guard



Pole foot protector

STRIKING - The long side of the tent should be folded into thirds with the door at one end..