




DA17 SERIES TRAIL DOME

TRAIL DOME INSTRUCTIONS



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YOUR KELTY TENT SHOULD INCLUDE:

- 1 TENT BODY
- 1 TENT FLY
- 2 DAC DA17 POLES
- 1 SMALL STAKE SACK CONTAINING:
 - 13 ALUMINUM TENT STAKES
 - 7 GUYLINES WITH ADJUSTERS
 - 1 SET OF INSTRUCTIONS

WARNINGS



WARNING: KEEP ALL FLAME AND HEAT SOURCES AWAY FROM THIS TENT FABRIC.

- This tent is made with flame resistant fabric which meets CPAI-84 specifications. **IT IS NOT FIREPROOF.** The fabric will burn if left in continuous contact with any flame source. The application of any foreign substance to the tent fabric may render the flame-resistant properties ineffective.

ADDITIONAL WARNINGS

- This tent must be properly ventilated in all weather conditions. In extreme weather conditions, snow could obstruct airflow and cause asphyxiation unless cleared frequently.
- Never use fuel-burning, oxygen consuming devices (i.e. heaters, lanterns, cooking stoves or other flame sources) inside your tent.
- Never leave children unattended inside a tent.
- Anchor your tent securely to provide additional security from changing climatic conditions. Snow pegs, skis and/or heavy rocks may be necessary to supplement tent stakes and guy cords

BEFORE YOU START

SETTING UP YOUR TENT

1. Assemble the poles (figures 1A, 1B and 1C).

Avoid having the shockcord snap the pole sections together, this can damage the poles.

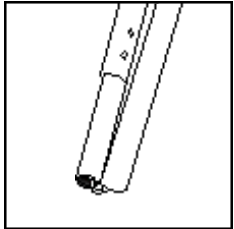


Figure 1A

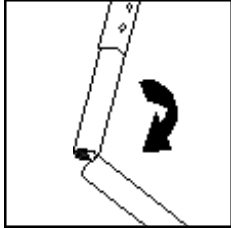


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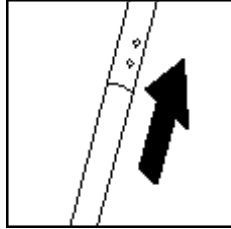


Figure 1C

2. Spread the tent body on the ground.

3. Lay a pole diagonally, corner to corner, across the top of the tent body.

4. Insert a pole into the grommet located at the ground seam at one of the four corners of the tent body (figures 2A and 2B). Insert the other end of the pole into the grommet at the opposite corner of the tent.

Repeat steps 3 and 4 with the remaining poles.

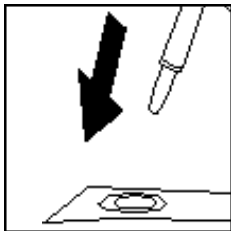


Figure 2A

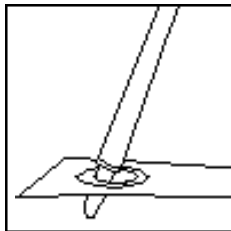


Figure 2B

5. Attach clips located at the seams of the tent to the corresponding poles above each (figures 3A and 3B).

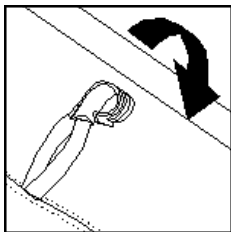


Figure 3A

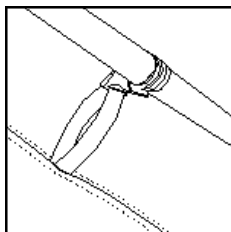


Figure 3B

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6. Attach the two larger clips located at the top of the tent (figures 3A and 3B). Each clip should go around BOTH poles, the openings of the clips pointing in opposite directions.

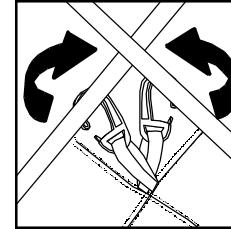


Figure 3A

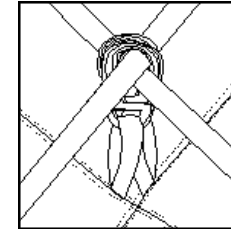


Figure 3B

7. Stake the tent down (figures 4A and 4B)!

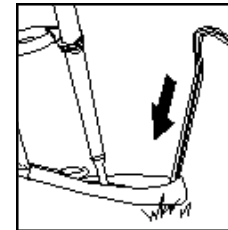


Figure 4A

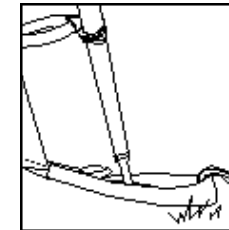
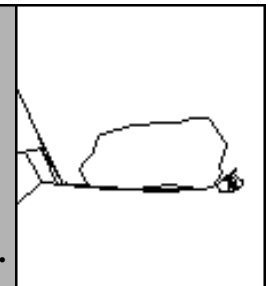


Figure 4B

STAKING TIPS

- IF YOU'RE HAVING A HARD TIME STAKING INTO THE GROUND, USE ROCKS TO ANCHOR DOWN YOUR TENT. (SEE ILLUSTRATION)
- TO GET THE TAUTEST PITCH, START AT ANY CORNER, THEN MOVE TO THE DIAGONAL CORNER FOR EACH STAKE.



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ATTACHING THE FLY

8. Find a blue awning on the fly. This will be the awning over entrance at the front of the tent. Drape the fly over the tent body (figure 5).

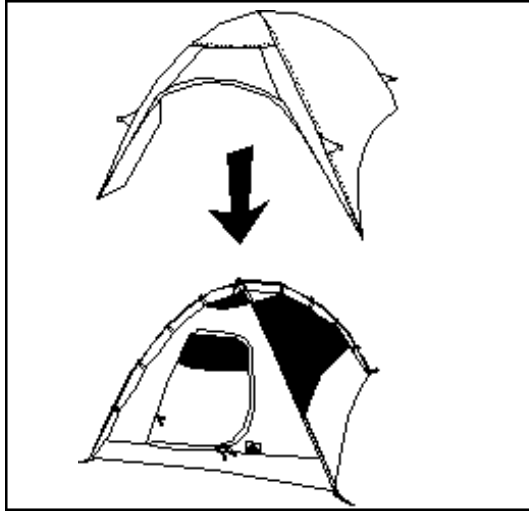


Figure 5

10. Attach velcro on the underside of the fly to the pole directly under it. Repeat step 10 at each corner.
11. Clip the buckles on the fly to the buckles at each corner of the tent body (figures 6A and 6B).

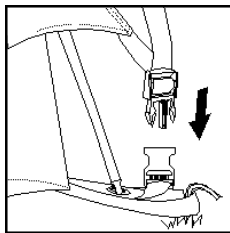


Figure 6A

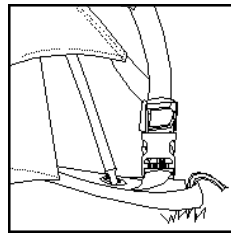


Figure 6B

12. Cinch the webbing on the fly buckles at each corner of the tent.

NOTES & TIPS

- **Fire** near your tent is a **NO-NO**. Your tent can burn. Never cook in your tent or use candles for light inside.
- To minimize UV damage from the sun, don't keep tent set up for long periods of time or when not in use.
- If you pitch the tent in a wind, anchor the tent before you put the poles in. Gear alone probably won't hold down your tent even in winds as light as 25mph. Many tents have been destroyed by unexpected winds rolling them away with gear inside! In strong winds you will want to anchor every stake loop and guyout.
- The best way to use rocks for staking and guying out in rocky terrain is to find one large and one small rock. Tie a piece of cord from your stake or guy-out point around the small rock, set the large rock on top of the cord right next to the small rock, pull back until it's tight. (See p. 4)
- Leaving the fly on the tent when you take it down is sometimes handy. Packing the tent and fly as a single connected unit speeds setup and the tent will be immediately protected from rain when you pull it out next time.
Before packing you should dry out the tent and fly. This way you won't have to carry water rolled into the tent and it will help keep the tent from mildewing.

WARRANTY

Kelty takes pride in its workmanship and undertakes to manufacture the best possible products. Therefore, we warranty all Kelty products against defects in materials or workmanship during your lifetime. Since no Kelty product is indestructible, it does not cover defects attributable to or resulting from normal wear and tear, natural hazard damage (ie: weather, animals), abuse or alteration (ie: ultra violet (u.v.) damage on tents, exhausted zippers). Service under our warranty is available to the original purchaser by returning the product to any authorized Kelty dealer or by contacting our customer service department at 1-866-349-7225 (1-866-FIX-PACK) for return authorization. We require that all products returned for warranty and repair be properly cleaned. If after inspection we determine that the product was defective, we will repair or replace it free of charge. If your Kelty product needs service or repair that is not covered under warranty we will provide the necessary service at a reasonable charge. This warranty gives you, the original purchaser, specific legal rights. You may also have other rights, which vary from state to state.