

# The Camping Equipment Co.

Congratulations and thanks for your purchase!

We have tried to make the assembly instructions as clear and concise as possible so you can get on with enjoying your tent quickly and with minimal fuss.

We've also included some tips on how to prolong the life of your tent – if you follow this advice, you will be able to enjoy your tent for years to come!

## **Merlin: Tent Assembly Instructions**

1. Remove contents of the tent bag
2. Carefully assemble tent poles – do not let the shock cords snap the poles together
3. Unfold the inner tent and the rain fly
4. Feed the 2 longest tent poles through the rain fly pole sleeves that cross over the center of the rain fly
5. Where the poles cross, fasten them to the rain fly using the ties
6. Hook the vent cover to the rain fly
7. Feed the 3 shorter poles through the rain fly pole sleeves at each end of the rain fly
8. Insert the pins at the bottom corners of the inner tent into each end of the tent poles
9. Stake down the rain fly through the rings and webbing loops
10. Clip the inner tents to the inside of the rain fly, one at each end, using the plastic rings and toggles starting from the bottom rear and working your way to the middle of the tent and towards the top
11. Stake down the inner tents through the webbing straps
12. Tie the guy ropes to the tabs on the outside of the rain fly – adjust the tension of the guy ropes by sliding the adjusters along the guy ropes
13. Fit the removable vestibule floor inside the tent and stake down at the corners

## **Caring for your tent:**

1. Keep it clean: Don't set up your tent in the mud, avoid putting muddy clothing and gear in the sleeping compartments as sand and dirt can scratch the water proof coating and damage zippers
2. UV light can accelerate fabric degradation. Therefore, set up your tent in the shade when possible and use the rain fly to protect the inner tent
3. To prolong the life of your tent floor, use a separate sheet of PE fabric underneath the tent to protect against abrasion
4. When packing up, shake out dirt and sand as much as possible
5. At home, clean your tent with a damp cloth, never use harsh cleaning chemicals, and air dry
6. When storing, allow the tent to sit loosely to prevent creases

## **Warranty and Returns Policy:**

1. This item is warranted for 30 days from the date of sale against all manufacturer's defects
2. This warranty does not cover damage due to customer use
3. If item arrives damaged due to manufacturer's defect, customer should return the item to point of sale for a full refund, exchange or repair