



Your Sierra Designs

ANU 3 tent is very easy to pitch and maintain. Follow these instructions to pitch your tent quickly, safely and easily.



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* Sierra Designs tents include stakes for pitching the body and fly under normal conditions. Additional stakes may be required in severe conditions.

First Pitch

In order to familiarize yourself with your new tent, we suggest that you “test pitch” it before embarking on your wilderness adventure.

Select a Site

Look for a level spot that is protected from the wind in order to ensure sleeping comfort. Clear the area of debris such as sharp stones and sticks which might abrade or puncture the tent floor. Also choose an area that will drain well when it rains.

Unfurl the Tent and Assemble the Poles

Unfurl the tent and lay the tent floor flat on the ground with the front door unzipped. Carefully unfold the shock corded pole sections and allow them to slip together. Do not allow the poles to snap together: This can lead to serious pole damage. Make certain that the insert of each pole section is fully inserted into the next pole section (Figure 1). You will have one main pole where all sections are connected by the Sierra Designs Quick Pitch Swivel Hub with H-clip (Figure 3) and one short curved vestibule pole.

Stake Out the Tent Floor

The *Anu 3* is a completely freestanding tent. It is not necessary to stake down the tent floor in order to pitch it. However, we recommend that the tent be staked down at points A, B, C, and D (Figure 2) for stability, especially in high winds.

Erect the Tent

Insert one of the metal tips of the two long poles into the grommets at points A and D (Figure 2). Insert the metal tips of the other long pole into the grommets at points B and C. Next, connect the center H-clip at point G. Following the tent seams between points A-D, and B-C, attach all of the Swift Clips™ to their corresponding tent poles. Now connect the Double Bend Brow Pole with the two long poles by placing its ends into the Visor Connectors at points E and F. Once the Double Bend Brow Pole is in place, attach its Swift Clips to ensure proper setup.

Fly Sheet

Drape the fly sheet over the tent and position the vestibule over the tent door making sure that the blue side-release “fly clip” buckle straps match with the corresponding fly & floor attachments (Figure 5). First, attach the fly sheet to the tent poles with the Velcro® loops on the underside of the fly sheet at points H, I, J, K, and L (Figure 4). At points A, B, C, and D there are 3/4” side-release “fly clip” buckles. Clip these buckles into their corresponding mates on the tent floor and pull the straps until the fly sheet is taut. Now, with the vestibule zipped shut, pull out points M and N until the vestibule is taut and stake it down in that position.

Ventilation

With the fly sheet on, airflow can be increased by guying out the fly sheet away from the tent walls at points O, P, and Q. Note that the vestibule door can also be folded back and secured in an open position. There is also a two-way zipper on the vestibule door which allows you to have adequate ventilation during inclement weather. As a courtesy, 6 tent stakes and 2 guy cords were provided with this tent. If you choose to use more than this when pitching your tent, additional stakes and cord may be purchased at the store you originally purchased the tent.

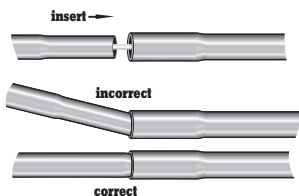


Figure 1: Correct Pole Assembly

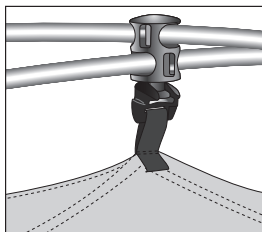


Figure 3: Quick Pitch Swivel Hub w/ H-clip (top view)

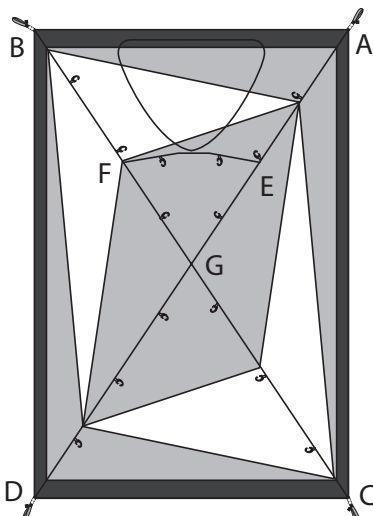


Figure 2: Tent Body (top view)

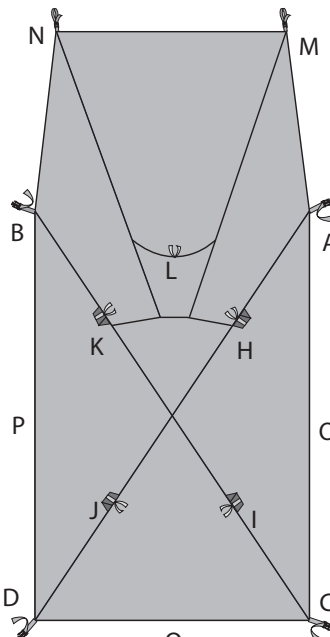


Figure 4: Tent Fly (top view)

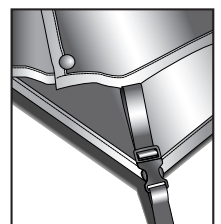


Figure 5: Fly Clip