

## RECOMMENDATIONS FOR USE AND MAINTENANCE

To ensure long life from your Hannibal tent or awning we recommend the following maintenance and care.

- New canvas should be thoroughly wet before use and allowed to dry.
   Repeat 2 to 3 times to ensure sealing up of the seams. The wetting process will season the canvas and allow the canvas to shrink and stitching to swell. It will also give you a good opportunity to ensure that the tent will provide a dry location in the event of wet conditions.
- If water ingress is experienced from the seams use Bees wax stick. Run the stick over the seam area several times when tent is dry.
- Clean canvas with cold water and brush do not use soap or detergent.
- Clean the PVC cover with a vinyl rejuvenator like Armor All Protectant. This type of product will rejuvenate the vinyl and enhance the UV protection.
- Ensure product is completely dry prior to storage.
- Do not store directly on concrete floors.
- Do not expose to petrol, oil or solvents.
- Aged canvas should be rejuvenate with Dynaproof Reproofing Formulation.
   This product is available in water based and solvent based solution.
- If the tent or awning has not been used for long periods of time it would be advised that the items should be opened out to air every few months.

Please note, it would be advised that you use your discretion based on your location. For example: if you live in the tropics and have experienced high rain fall the moisture content will be higher and could be an issue for a tent left in the corner of the garage or on top of a vehicle.

The points listed above is to be used as a guide only. If you require clarification on any point please contact Hannibal Safari Equipment.

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