

## SAFETY INSTRUCTIONS

***WARNING:*** Failure to read and understand all the safety instructions and features of the Cocoon may be hazardous to your health. Failure to view the instructional video prior to using the Cocoon can be hazardous to your health.

- Attach the Cocoon apparatus only to trees and branches that will safely support the Cocoon and yourself.
- Follow the enclosed directions for using the Cocoon hanger. It is important to practice placing the hanger on several trees. Become familiar and comfortable putting up the Cocoon correctly by practicing placement, hanging and use.
- When hanging the Cocoon and prior to its use, make sure all rope connections and knots are snug and tight and the Cocoon hanger angles upward at a 45 degree angle. Before sitting in the Cocoon or placing any objects inside, pull down on the hanger ***firmly*** to make sure it will stay in place. Be sure the Cocoon hanger is placed at a 45 degree angle prior to sitting in the Cocoon. Use the Cocoon hanger cautiously to avoid injury from the rope and/or other components.

***WARNING:*** The Cocoon hanger can collapse under your weight

*if it is not correctly placed and checked prior to use. Collapse of the hanger and/or Cocoon may be hazardous to your health.*

(Safety Instructions continued)

- Never suspend the Cocoon up in a tree where your feet cannot contact the ground.
- Never completely enclose yourself in the Cocoon. Completely enclosing yourself in the Cocoon without having an opening for air movement can be hazardous to your health.
- Do not exceed 250 lbs of total weight in the Cocoon hammock chair.
- Practice safe gun and bow procedures while using the Cocoon. Practice using an unloaded gun in the Cocoon to become familiar with safe gun procedures while in and around the Cocoon. Practice shooting your bow from the Cocoon to develop safe and accurate usage. Be careful to keep the Cocoon components away from the action of your gun or bow. Remember you may have more recoil motion than anticipated while shooting from the Cocoon. Be sure to safely stow or hold your gun, bow, knives or other objects on your person or in the Cocoon to avoid injury should you fall while in the Cocoon or should the Cocoon fall from it's hanging position.
- NO SMOKING IN OR AROUND THE COCOON. NO HEATING DEVICES IN OR AROUND THE COCOON.
- Use hunter safety orange on the outside of the Cocoon at all times.
- Clear brush, briars and branches away from the area prior to setting up the Cocoon.
- Do not leave the Cocoon in the woods when not in use. Sunlight and weather will decrease the life of the Cocoon.

- Do not store the Cocoon in the carrying bag while damp for any length of time. Doing so will cause mildew and rotting of ropes and fabric, decreasing the life of the Cocoon and increasing the risk for rope breakage and injury. During off season separate the hammock chair and Cocoon covering for storage. If the rope on the hanger or the hammock chair begins to show wear replace it immediately.
- **THE COCOON IS NOT A TOY SO DO NOT ALLOW CHILDREN TO USE WITHOUT ADULT SUPERVISION.**