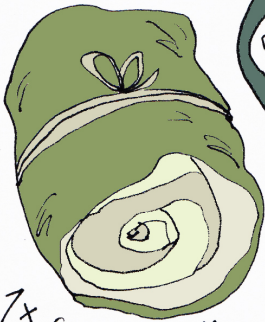


In your bag you will find...

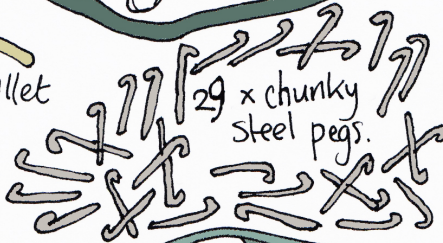


1x canvas with groundsheet attached.

2x small pegs



1x mallet



29 x chunky steel pegs.

1x metal porch pole in 3 sections



1x canvas porch

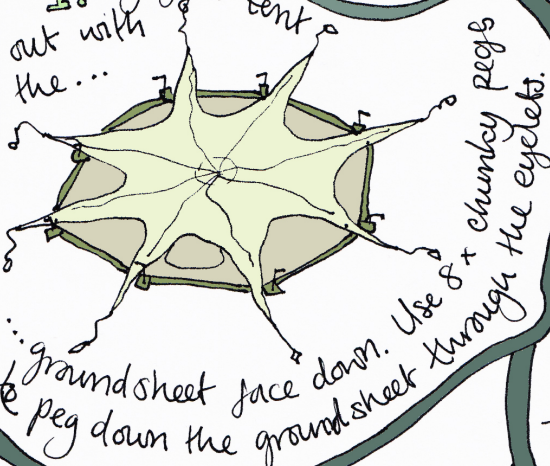
1x hand air pump. NB: Don't use a powered pump as it may over-inflate & damage your poles.



Thank you for buying a beautiful Lotus

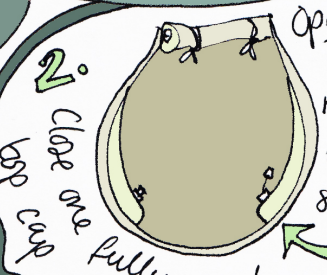
### How to put up your tent

1. Lay your tent out with the...

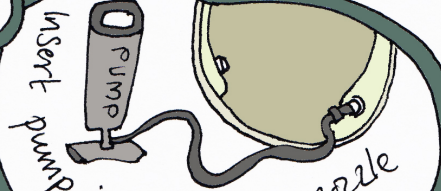


...groundsheet face down. Use 8 x chunky pegs to peg down the groundsheet through the eyelets.

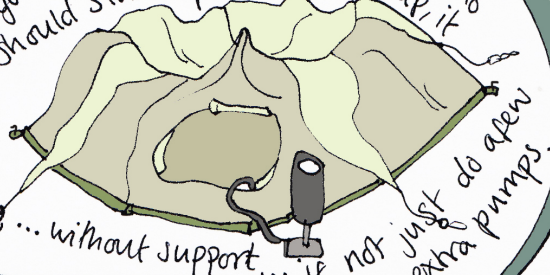
2. Close one flap fully, and open the other. There are inflation nozzles on the two poles either side of the doorway.



3. Insert pump into the open nozzle and start pumping!

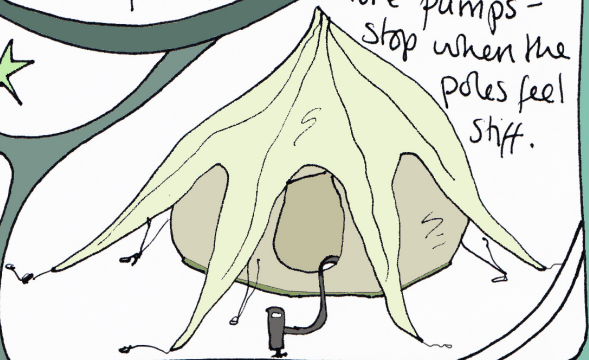


4. When it starts to get a little harder to pump, its time to go inside and push the roof up, it should stand up....

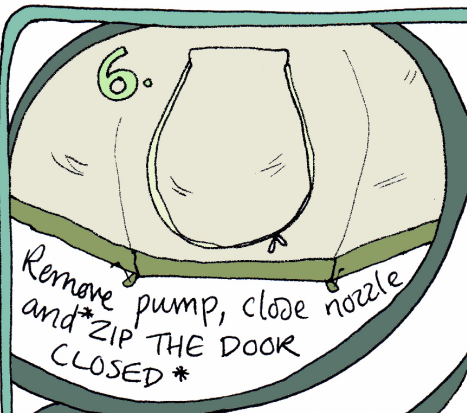


...without support... if not just do a few extra pumps.

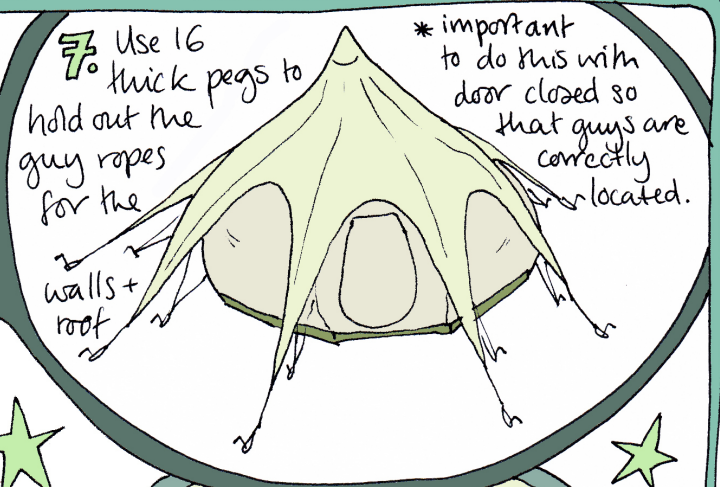
5. Once up, add just 8-12 more pumps - stop when the poles feel stiff.



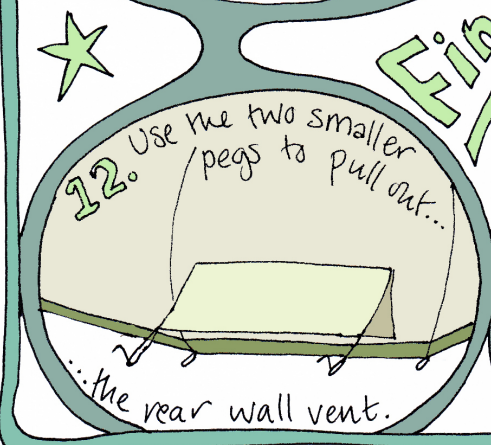
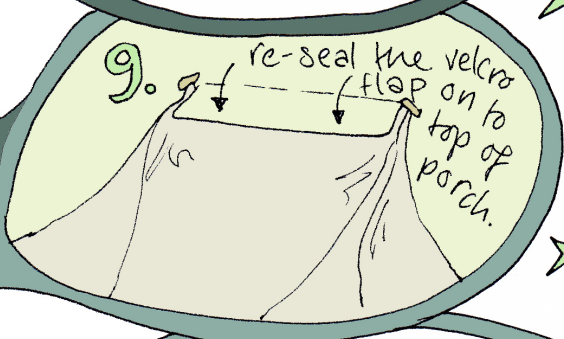
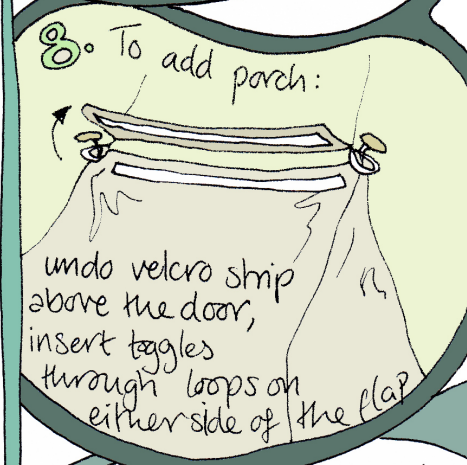




Remove pump, close nozzle and \*ZIP THE DOOR CLOSED\*



\*important to do this with door closed so that guys are correctly located.



**Finished!**

Fill your tent with lovely things





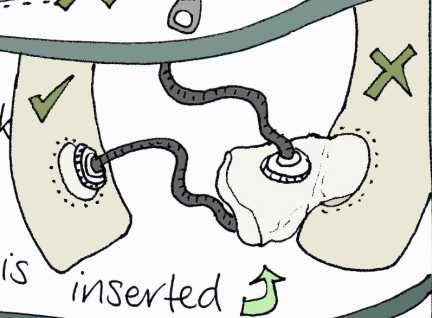
# Top Tips

1. Don't be tempted to over-inflate: when you feel the pole is stiff there's no need to go any further as it can damage your poles. All our poles are tested for 72 hours before sending out - so we know they won't start to go down, even after weeks of use.

2. Never unzip the pole sleeve when the poles are inflated. (if someone does this, don't panic, just let some air out, close the zip, then re-inflate.

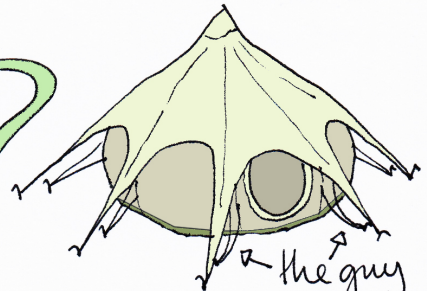


3. Ensure inner tube is fully inserted into the sleeve when inflating. i.e. check that the inner has not pulled out through the hole where the nozzle is inserted



4. Don't tighten the guy ropes at the front of the tent when the door is open. Leave them a little loose so that you can close the door....

5. Sometimes when closing the door, it helps to push the air beam to the side of the doorway inwards a little, this makes the zip close more easily.



the guy ropes here should be loose when the door is open.

6. To take tent down, open both nozzles fully, let most of the air out, then fold your tent in half and roll around on it to get the rest of the air out. Then roll it up and stuff in your bag.



7. To repair a puncture: deflate tent and remove inner tube by unzipping the sleeve and sliding tube out, taking particular care of the poles with nozzles on. Locate hole and place a sticky patch (provided) over the hole. (ensure pole is clean & dry first).  
