## CoverSports USA DUGOUT/SPORTS SHELTER (23')

## **DIRECTIONS FOR ASSEMBLY**

NOTE: ALL FRAMING BARS ARE WRAPPED IN PROTECTIVE PLASTIC. REMOVE PLASTIC BEFORE ASSEMBLY.

- Layout and assemble back section (figure 1) Bottom bar should be about 12" from ground.
  Layout and assemble side sections (figure 2).
- 2. With back section standing, attach left and right side sections (figure 2) at joints 10, 20, 21(on short sides). Tighten hex screws enough to hold in place don't tighten completely.
- Join three sections to make front of frame (figure 3) tighten joining nuts/bolts completely.
   Note: Position half moon openings at top of frame. Connect front to each side section at joints 10 and 20.
- Attach 7 metal sections (57" long) as roof supports (front to back) spaced evenly. Bolt sections through half moon openings in front.
- 5. Tighten all hex nuts, and nut and bolt combinations in frame.
- 6. For synthetic turf, simply place weight over each corner foot. Go to Step 6A. For natural turf, place frame in desired location and mark position of two front corner poles. Remove frame, dig hole for each front end pole, and install foot with 10" extender into ground. (Note: Turn foot so holes will align with holes in bottom of end poles.) Backfill hole to secure foot.



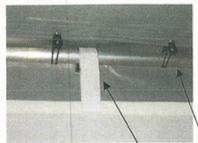
Foot plate with extender (for front poles)

Place each front end pole over foot to confirm proper foot placement and hole alignment. Drive stakes through 3 holes in circular plate of each foot to hold in place. (Note: Drive each stake at an angle into the ground, not vertically).

Lift front end poles off foot at each end, and place weight over each foot.

6 A. Now, prepare four foot plates (without extenders) for back poles – no holes need to be dug in natural turf. Fit the two interior (middle) back poles into foot plates, align connecting holes and secure frame poles into foot plates with nuts and bolts. Place one weight over each end foot plate. Lift one entire end of frame and guide front end poles onto front foot while guiding back end pole onto back foot. Align holes and secure poles to foot plates with nuts and bolts.

Lift other end of frame and repeat process of fitting and attaching poles and foot plates. For synthetic turf, drive three stakes into each circular interior (middle) foot plate. Back end plates do not receive stakes. Interior (middle) foot plates do not receive weights.



Velcro attaching wall panel to frame and bungee ball ties attaching rook to back

- 7. Attach side and back wall panels to frame using Velcro attachments. Connect side and back panels together using grommets and 8" cable ties (included) at two top corner locations. <u>Tip:</u> cut cable tie to length.
- Attach roof panel using elastic bungee ball ties through half moon openings in front. <u>Tip:</u> Attach
  at back panel, then corresponding front panel position, back/front (rather than side to side) –
  continue with this method until complete.
- Install SafeFoam padding on two front end poles. Secure up and down each pole with 19" tie wraps.



Shelter assembled

Weights on all end poles

Your Sports Shelter is ready to use!