



SHADE SAIL CARE & MAINTENANCE GUIDE

ENGINEERED FOR SHADE. BUILT TO LAST.



Proper care and maintenance helps protect your investment and keeps your shade sail looking great for years to come. A little routine maintenance goes a long way!

Thank you for choosing
Riggins Canvas & Awning!

If you ever have questions about care, cleaning, or service, we're always here to help.



ROUTINE CARE KEEP IT CLEAN



RINSE PERIODICALLY

Rinse the sail with fresh water periodically to remove dust, pollen, and airborne dirt.



REMOVE DEBRIS

Leaves, pine needles, and debris can trap moisture. Remove as needed with a soft broom or leaf blower.



INSPECT HARDWARE

Visually inspect all hardware and attachment points regularly for signs of wear or damage.



WASH AS NEEDED

Wash the fabric with mild soap and water using a soft brush. Rinse thoroughly and allow to air dry.



GOOD TO KNOW

UV shade fabric is designed to resist mildew and stains and may stretch slightly over time. This is normal and does not affect performance.



SEASONAL MAINTENANCE KEEP IT STRONG



CHECK HARDWARE

Inspect turnbuckles, shackles, cables, and mounting plates for wear or corrosion.



CHECK TENSION

Check cable tension and adjust turnbuckles if needed to maintain proper tension and prevent excessive sagging.



CHECK ANCHORS

Ensure all anchors and mounting points are secure and free from movement.



TIGHTEN ONLY IF NEEDED

Tighten turnbuckles only as needed. Over-tightening can put stress on the fabric and hardware.



STORM & WINTER CARE BE PREPARED



REMOVE BEFORE SNOW OR SLEET

Remove the shade sail before any forecasted accumulation of snow or sleet to prevent damage.



HIGH WINDS CAN CAUSE DAMAGE

Shade sails are designed to withstand winds up to 50 mph. Select sails are engineered for up to 90 mph. Ask your sales rep.



AVOID THESE



Pressure washers



Bleach or harsh chemicals



Climbing or hanging from the sail



Allowing snow or standing water to accumulate



Overtightening turnbuckles



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