

## SET UP & SAFETY GUIDE

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Pop Up Tent 6m x 3m Product Code 406020



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# Recommendations For Wind and Weather Limitations

#### **GENERAL**

Pop up tents are temporary structures and are therefore weather limited. It is the responsibility of the hirer to ensure that the weather limitations are respected for the entire duration of the period of hire. Where it looks likely that forthcoming conditions are likely to exceed the stated weather limitations, the hirer must take the tent down. Allens Hire cannot accept any liability for loss, consequential or otherwise, in the event of bad weather or wind strength beyond the recommended limits below.

Please note: a pop up tent that blows away can cause serious injury to persons and damage to property, and it is your responsibility to ensure that this does not happen.

## Setting up the Pop Up Tent

It is important to view the instructional video before attempting to set up the pop up tent. You can view this at www.allenshire.co.uk/popuptent6x3

When setting up on soft ground, use the cam-buckle straps and pegs supplied. Peg the feet with small pegs and then strap to the bigger stake. Make sure you drive the large stake into the ground at an angle.

Always use the anchor kit or weights as appropriate. Do not leave the pop up tent without the anchor kit or weights under any circumstances.

Check the weather forecast before your event. The Met Office has an excellent website with wind predictions for 5 days.

In windy conditions, check the main pegs regularly – they can work their way out if the ground is soft.

If the wind picks up unexpectedly, immediately remove all the walls from the tent. If the situation gets worse, the tent must be taken down. Use extreme care when setting up or taking down the tent in windy conditions, and always have at least one person available to hold on to the tent on the upwind side whilst the other[s) go about de-rigging.

### RECOMMENDED WIND LIMITATIONS

Max Wind speeds given are peak values including gusts. The mean value is therefore assumed to be approx 25% less. The assumption is that the tent has been properly set up following the instructions using appropriate numbers of heavy-duty pegs, cam-buckle straps, and leg pegs. Where weighted down on hard surfaces, the assumption is a pair of stackable weights is used on each leg of the tent - a minimum of 25kg per leg.

These are just guides however, and it is down to the hirer to assess the conditions on the day.

| Wind Rating | Wind Rating   | Wind Rating   |
|-------------|---------------|---------------|
| With Sides  | Without Sides | Without Sides |
| Pegged      | Pegged        | Weighted      |
| 40 mph      | 45 mph        | 37 mph        |