

OWNER'S MANUAL

SNAPLESS PANEL UPGRADE KIT

FOR ADD-A-ROOM & BREEZEWAY SCREEN ROOMS

RV Accessories

THIS MANUAL SUPPLEMENTS THE ADD-A-ROOM INSTRUCTIONS

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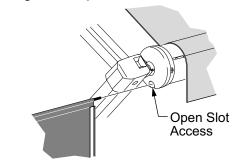
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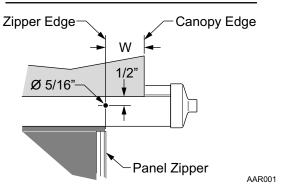
FIRST TIME PREPARATION

If this is an upgrade to an existing room setup, go directly to "Installing the Snapless Brackets".

- 1. Extend the awning out completely according to the manufacturer's instructions. Ensure that the open roll bar slot and the slot access is down and accessible.
- 2. If necessary, clean and deburr the slot and slot access.
- 3. Slide the pull strap down to the opposite end of the roll bar.
- 4. Slide the front panel and door into the slot. Zip the door and panel together if not previously done.
 - For full size rooms, center the panel beneath the awning canopy.
 - For rooms shorter than the awning, position the room in the desired position. If the room is offset to one side, it is recommended that the outside zipper edge is approximately 3" in from the edge of the canopy.
- 5. On the roll bar mark the edge of the zipper.
- 6. Measure 1/2" down from the roll bar slot with the canopy fabric.
- 7. Drill a 5/16" hole into the rollbar. Clean and deburr the hole as required. Use extreme care to not damage the canopy.

Tip: Use a punch or small drill bit to mark and start the hole. This will prevent the larger drill bit from "skipping" on the curved surface of the roll bar.





- 8. Measure and note the final distance (dimension "W") from the edge of the awning canopy to the center of the hole. This dimension will be used to mount the rafter brackets on the RV wall.
- 9. Repeat steps 5 8 for the other side.

INSTALLING THE SNAPLESS BRACKETS

- 1. For an existing installation:
 - Remove and replace the upper rafter bracket with the snapless upper bracket.
 - Remove the twist fasteners from the RV wall.
 - Go to step 3.
- 2. For a new installation:
 - On the RV wall measure in from the edge of the awning canopy a distance equal to the dimension "W" measured 73" 85" (ref)
 - Measure down 1" from the center of the awning rail. This is the position of the rafter bracket slot as shown.
 - Using the bracket as a template mark the location of the mounting holes then drill four (4) 1/8" pilot holes.
 - Coat the back of the bracket with a quality silicone sealant and attach the bracket to the wall using four (4) #8 x 3/4 hex head screws.
- Canopy Edge

 W

 #8 x 3/4
 Screw (4)

 Top Bracket

 (ref)

 #8 x 3/4
 Screw (2)

 Bottom Bracket

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- 3. Using a non-permanent method of marking, mark center line of the bracket to the floor line. The centerline must be perpendicular to the awning rail.
- 4. At the floor line, attach the lower mounting bracket using two (2) each #8 x 3/4 hex head screws.

NOTE: If the awning rail to floor line distance is outside of the 73"-85" range shown, it will be necessary to adjust the location of the lower bracket to fit in this range. If the bracket is not mounted at the floor line, it must be mounted in a location with adequate backing. Sheet metal or fiberglass siding alone is not adequate to support the bracket and side wall.

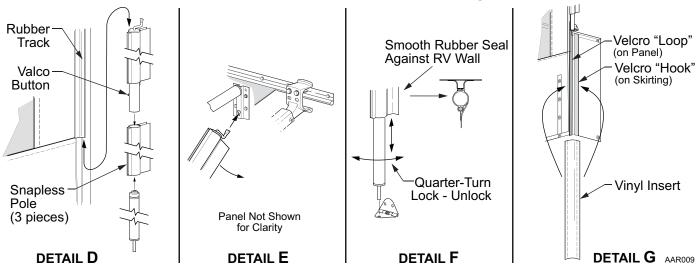
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INSTALL THE SIDE PANELS WITH THE SNAPLESS POLES

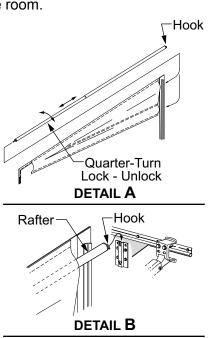
Install the front panel, door and skirting according to the instructions with the room.

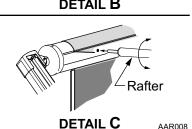
- 1. Extend the rafter pole to its maximum length. To extend the pole, twist the inner (smaller) tube a guarter turn, lock in place with a reverse guarter turn.
- 2. (Detail A) Unfold the side panel and slide the rafter into the pocket at the top of the panel.
 - The hook on the rafter pole goes to the back edge of the panel.
 - Choose the pocket that best matches the pitch of the awning.
- 3. (Detail B) Lift the panel and rafter up and hook the rafter into the "U" slot of the mounting bracket on the RV wall.
- 4. (Detail C) Lift the front edge of the panel up, unlock the rafter pole then insert the pin into the mounting hole of the roll bar.
- 5. Extend and lock the rafter.
- 6. If necessary, adjust the pitch of the awning so that the room hangs with the back edge parallel with the coach wall.
- 7. Assemble the pole pieces. Slide the upper and center pieces together until the valco button snaps into place. Slide the bottom tube into the bottom of the center pole; it locks and unlocks with a simple guarter-turn twist.
- 8. (Detail D) Slide the pole assembly onto the rubber track of the side panel. The hook goes to the top.
- 9. (Detail E) Holding the pole at an angle, hook the pole into the lower T-slot of the upper mounting bracket.
- 10. (Detail F) Rotate the pole down and align the lower pin with the lower bracket. Adjust the length of the pole to ensure a snug fit. Lock the pole with a quarter turn twist of the bottom tube.
- 11. (Detail F) Smooth the double rubber seal against the RV wall.
- 12. Adjust the panel on the rafter pole and Snapless pole so that the panel is hanging straight.
- 13. Zip the side panel and front panel (or door) together.
- 14. (Detail G) Attach the vinyl insert to the skirt and wall panel as shown.

NOTE: If the velcro is missing, additional hook and loop strips are furnished with the kit. Make sure that the skirting is clean and dry before attaching the velcro strip. For maximum adhesion, allow 24 hours for the adhesive to set before using.



15. At the bottom of the panels and skirt, fold any excess material inside the room and secure the panels to the ground using stakes and the appropriate row of grommets. Stakes not included.



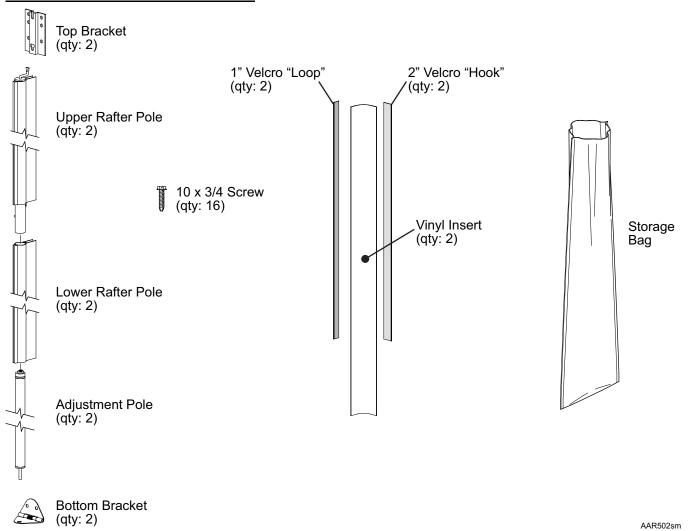


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Velcro "Loop" Velcro "Hook"

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COMPONENT CHECKLIST



Reference Publications located @ www.carefreeofcolorado.com:'

056503-011	LTD Add-A-Room Installation Manual
056503-021	Flat Pitch Add-A-Room Installation Manual
056504-001	Snapless Upgrade Kit
056505-001	Hard Door Upgrade Installation

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