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Model: 731162 | Brand: HearthSong

1. IMPORTANT SAFETY INFORMATION

- **Adult Assembly Required:** This product requires assembly by an adult.
- **Maximum Weight Capacity:** The stand is designed to support a maximum weight of 500 lbs (226.8 kg). Do not exceed this limit.
- **Intended Use:** This stand is exclusively designed for hanging HearthSong Family HugglePod HangOuts, other HugglePods, or similar hanging chairs. It is **not recommended for use with swings** or any other equipment that involves dynamic swinging motion.
- **Stable Surface:** Always place the stand on a level and stable surface to prevent tipping.
- **Regular Inspection:** Periodically inspect all bolts, connections, and the frame for tightness, wear, or damage. Replace any worn or damaged parts immediately.
- **Outdoor Use:** While suitable for outdoor use, consider storing indoors or covering during harsh weather conditions to prolong product lifespan.

2. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Before beginning assembly, ensure all parts listed below are present. If any parts are missing or damaged, contact HearthSong customer service.



Image: All components included in the package.

- Metal Frame Sections (various shapes and lengths)
- Connecting Hardware (bolts, washers, wing nuts)
- Hanging Hardware (chain, carabiners, spring)
- Stability Ropes/Strings for base
- Assembly Tools (wrenches, hex key)
- Instruction Manual

3. SETUP & ASSEMBLY

Follow these steps carefully for proper assembly. Adult assistance is recommended.

1. **Unpack and Identify Parts:** Lay out all components on a clean, flat surface. Refer to the parts list in your manual and the provided image to identify each piece. Note that some pieces may have labels (e.g., A, B, C) for easier identification.
2. **Assemble Base Sections:** Connect the curved base sections using the provided bolts and washers. Ensure all connections are finger-tight initially.
3. **Attach Upright Poles:** Securely attach the upright metal poles to the assembled base sections using the appropriate bolts and washers.
4. **Connect Top Arch:** Carefully lift and connect the top arch section to the upright poles. This step may require two adults for ease and safety. Secure with bolts and washers.
5. **Install Stability Ropes:** Attach the stability ropes to the designated points at the base of the stand, as shown in the diagram. This enhances overall stability.
6. **Tighten All Connections:** Once the entire frame is assembled, go back and securely tighten all bolts and connections using the provided tools. Do not overtighten.

7. **Attach Hanging Hardware:** Connect the spring, chain, and carabiners to the top hanging point of the stand.



Image: Close-up of the hanging hardware installation.

Strings at the bottom for stability

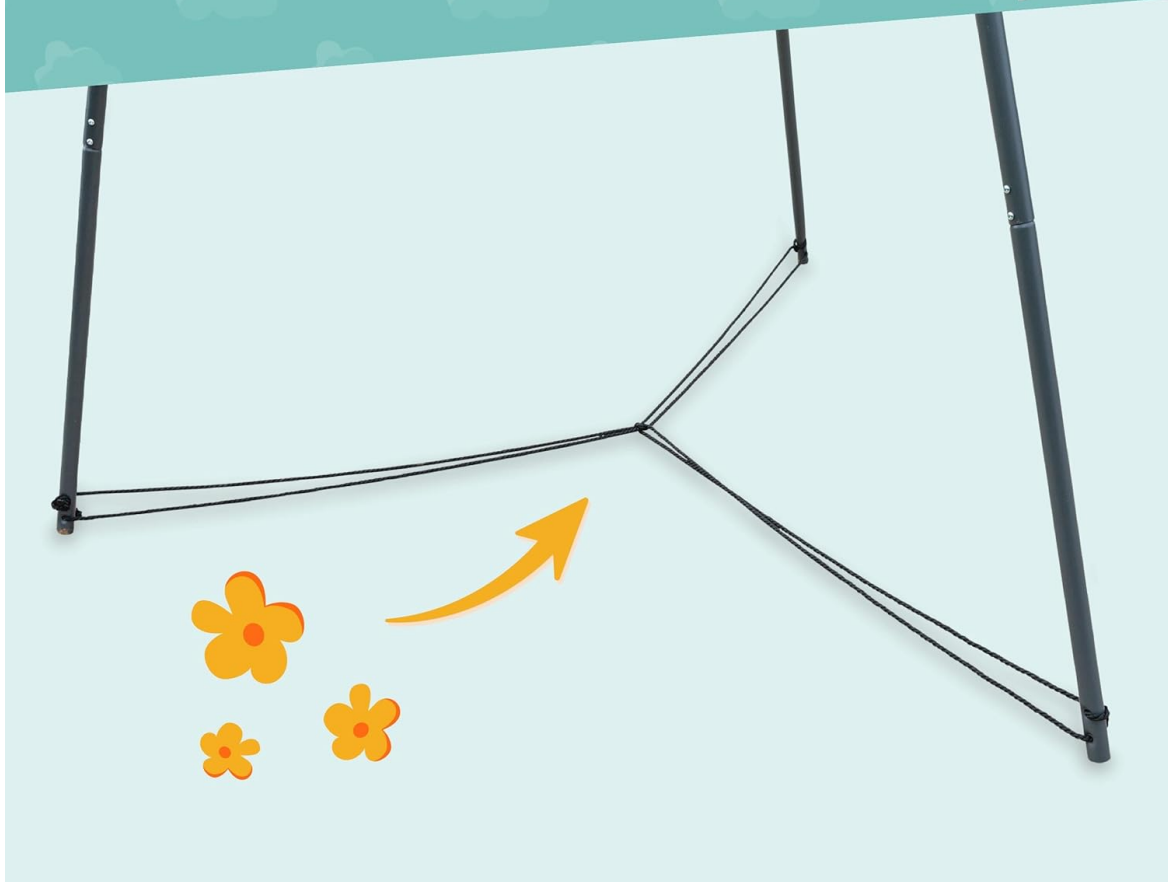


Image: Stability ropes at the base for enhanced support.

4. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The HearthSong Family HugglePod Hangout Stand is designed for easy and safe use with compatible hanging chairs.

- **Attaching Your Chair:** Use the provided hanging hardware (chain, carabiners, spring) to securely attach your HugglePod or hanging chair to the top loop of the stand. Ensure the chair's hanging mechanism is compatible and properly engaged.
- **Weight Distribution:** When entering or exiting the hanging chair, distribute your weight evenly. Avoid sudden movements or excessive force.
- **Placement:** Position the stand in an area with sufficient clearance around the hanging chair to allow for comfortable movement without hitting obstacles.

Innovative stand for fun and relaxation



Image: Attaching a HugglePod to the stand.

Use with many of
our HugglePods!



Image: Examples of HugglePods on the stand.



Image: Family enjoying a HugglePod on the stand.

5. MAINTENANCE

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the metal frame with a damp cloth and mild soap. Avoid abrasive cleaners that could damage the finish.
- **Rust Prevention:** The metal frame is designed to be durable. However, to prevent rust, especially in humid environments, ensure the stand is kept dry and consider applying a rust-inhibiting spray periodically.
- **Storage:** For prolonged periods of non-use or during severe weather, disassemble the stand and store it in a dry, protected area, or cover it with a weather-resistant cover.

6. TROUBLESHOOTING

- **Stand Feels Unstable:**
 - Ensure the stand is placed on a completely level surface.
 - Check all bolts and connections to ensure they are fully tightened.
 - Verify that the stability ropes at the base are correctly installed and taut.

- **Parts Do Not Fit Together:**

- Double-check the part numbers against the assembly instructions to ensure you are using the correct pieces for each step.
- Ensure no packaging material is obstructing the connection points.

7. SPECIFICATIONS

- **Model Name:** Family HugglePod HangOut Stand
- **Model Number:** 731162
- **Brand:** HearthSong
- **Material:** Metal
- **Dimensions (L x W x H):** 8.75 ft x 8.75 ft x 8 ft (101 x 101 x 98 inches)
- **Weight Capacity:** Up to 500 lbs (226.8 kg)

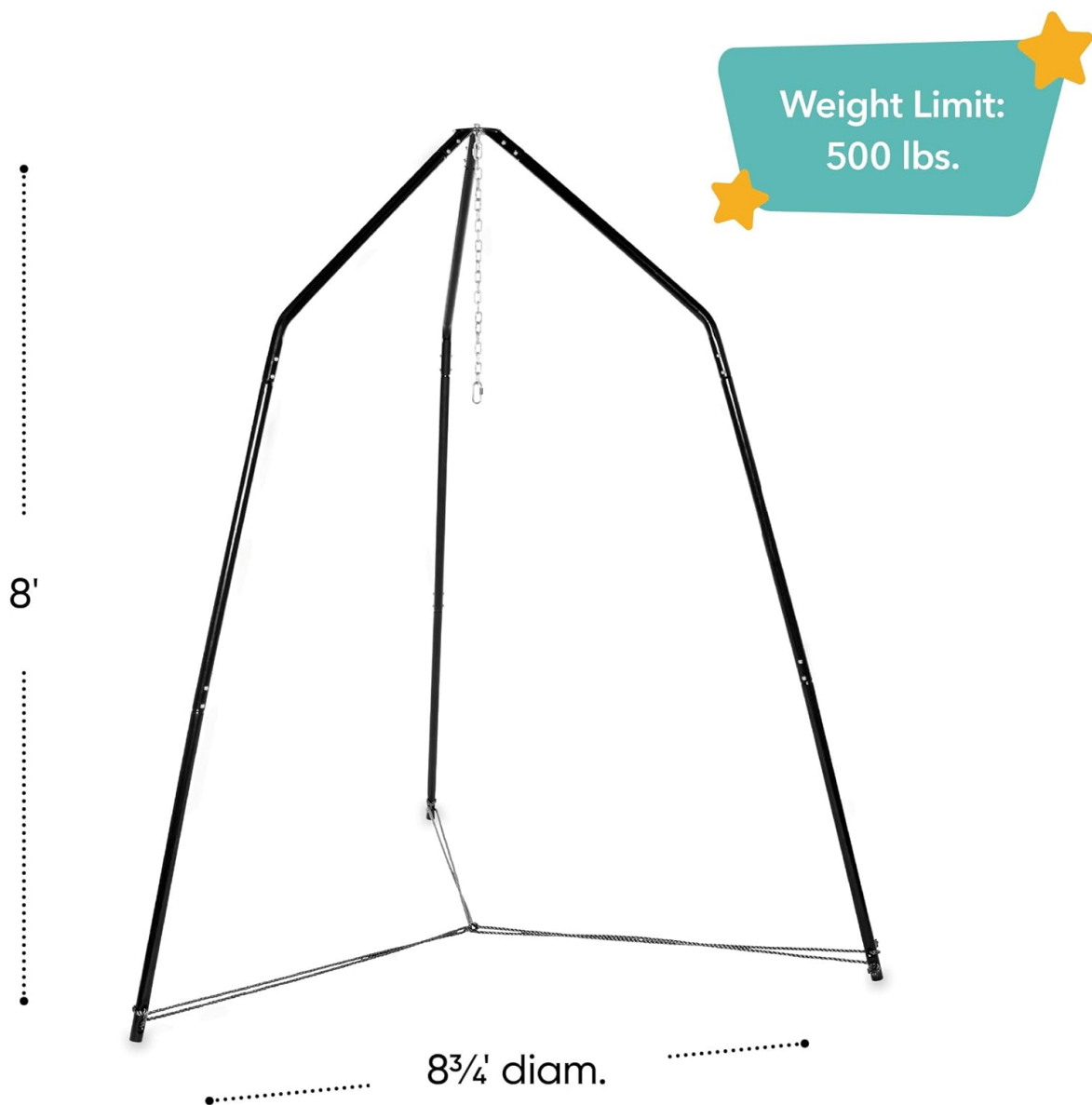


Image: Dimensions and weight capacity of the stand.

8. WARRANTY & SUPPORT

For any questions, concerns, or warranty claims regarding your HearthSong Family HugglePod Hangout Stand, please refer to the contact information provided with your purchase or visit the official HearthSong website for customer support.