

FIREGEAR GWS-3838

Firegear GWS-3838 Square Fireplace Windshield User Manual

Model: GWS-3838

1. PRODUCT OVERVIEW

The Firegear GWS-3838 Tempered Glass Wind Guard is designed to enhance your outdoor fire pit experience by providing protection from wind and adding a layer of safety. Its clear, tempered glass construction ensures durability and heat resistance while maintaining an unobstructed view of your fire.

Key Features:

- Square fire pit wind guard design.
- Constructed from 3/16 inch thick tempered glass for durability and heat resistance.
- Clear glass maintains an unobstructed view of the flames.
- Designed for use with fire pit openings smaller than 35 inches.
- Dimensions: 38 x 38 x 6 inches (L x W x H).

2. SAFETY INFORMATION

Please read and understand all safety instructions before installing and using the Firegear GWS-3838 Wind Guard. Failure to follow these instructions could result in property damage, personal injury, or death.

- Always ensure the wind guard is placed on a stable, level surface around the fire pit.
- Do not touch the glass panels during or immediately after use, as they will be hot. Allow sufficient time for cooling.
- Keep children and pets away from the fire pit and wind guard during operation.
- Do not use the wind guard if any glass panel is cracked or broken. Replace damaged parts immediately.
- Ensure proper ventilation around the fire pit.
- Do not place combustible materials near the wind guard or fire pit.
- This wind guard is designed for outdoor use only.

3. PACKAGE CONTENTS

Verify that all components are present and undamaged before beginning assembly. If any parts are missing or damaged,

contact Firegear customer support.

- Tempered Glass Panels (4 pieces)
- Corner Brackets/Connectors (8 pieces)
- Mounting Hardware (screws, washers, etc. - quantity may vary by design)

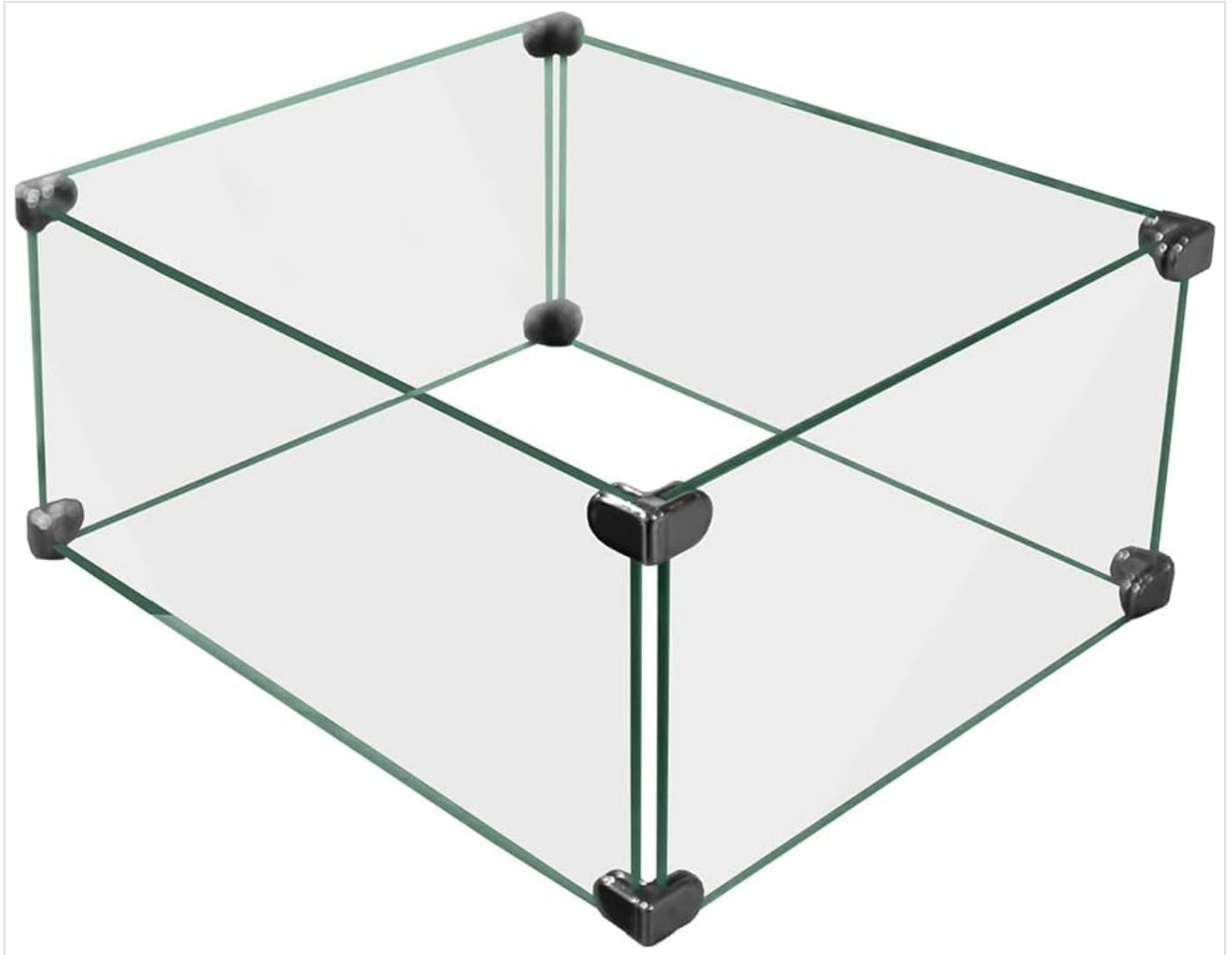


Image: The Firegear GWS-3838 Square Fireplace Windshield, showing its clear tempered glass panels and corner connectors.

4. SETUP AND INSTALLATION

Follow these steps to assemble and install your Firegear GWS-3838 Wind Guard.

1. **Unpack Components:** Carefully remove all glass panels and hardware from the packaging. Place them on a soft, clean surface to prevent scratches.
2. **Attach Corner Brackets:** Take two glass panels and align their edges at a 90-degree angle. Secure them together using the provided corner brackets and hardware. Ensure the brackets are tightened securely but do not overtighten to avoid cracking the glass.
3. **Continue Assembly:** Repeat the process, adding the remaining glass panels one by one, connecting them with the corner brackets until all four sides form a square.
4. **Position the Wind Guard:** Once assembled, carefully lift the wind guard and place it around your fire pit opening. Ensure it is centered and stable. The wind guard should be placed on a flat, non-combustible surface.
5. **Final Check:** Verify that all connections are secure and the wind guard is stable before operating your fire pit.



Image: The Firegear GWS-3838 Windshield installed around an active fire pit, demonstrating its protective function.

5. OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

The Firegear GWS-3838 Wind Guard is a passive accessory designed to enhance your fire pit experience.

- Once properly installed around your fire pit, the wind guard will help to shield the flames from wind, promoting a more stable and consistent flame.
- It also acts as a physical barrier, helping to keep small children and pets at a safe distance from the hot flames and fire media.
- Always ensure the wind guard is securely in place before igniting your fire pit.

6. MAINTENANCE

Proper care and maintenance will ensure the longevity and clear appearance of your wind guard.

- **Cleaning:** To clean the glass panels, use a soft cloth and a non-abrasive glass cleaner. Avoid harsh chemicals or

abrasive materials that could scratch the glass.

- **Inspection:** Periodically inspect the glass panels for any cracks or chips. Also, check the corner brackets and hardware for tightness.
- **Storage:** If storing the wind guard for an extended period, disassemble it carefully and store the glass panels in their original packaging or a padded container to prevent damage.

7. TROUBLESHOOTING

Here are some common issues and their solutions:

- **Wind Guard is Unstable:**
 - Ensure all corner bracket screws are tightened securely.
 - Verify that the surface where the wind guard is placed is level and flat.
- **Glass Appears Streaky After Cleaning:**
 - Use a clean, lint-free microfiber cloth.
 - Try a different glass cleaner, or a mixture of water and white vinegar.
 - Avoid cleaning in direct sunlight, which can cause streaks to dry quickly.
- **Glass Panel is Damaged:**
 - Do not use the wind guard with damaged glass.
 - Contact Firegear customer support for replacement parts.

8. SPECIFICATIONS

Attribute	Detail
Brand	FIREGEAR
Model Number	GWS-3838
Material	Tempered Glass
Color	Clear
Product Dimensions (L x W)	38"L x 38"W
Height	6 inches
Item Weight	30 Pounds
Designed For Fire Pit Openings	Smaller than 35 inches
Country of Origin	USA

9. WARRANTY AND SUPPORT

Firegear products are manufactured to high-quality standards. For specific warranty information regarding your GWS-3838 Wind Guard, please refer to the documentation included with your purchase or visit the official Firegear website. If you require technical assistance, replacement parts, or have any questions not covered in this manual, please contact Firegear customer support directly.

Firegear Customer Support: Refer to your purchase documentation or the manufacturer's website for current contact information.

Related Documents - GWS-3838

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	<p>SuperATV Full Glass Windshield Installation Instructions for Honda Talon</p> <p>Detailed installation guide for the SuperATV Full Glass Windshield designed for the Honda Talon. Includes step-by-step instructions, component lists, and important safety and liability information.</p>
	<p>Assault Industries Polaris RZR PRO XP Glass Windshield Installation Guide</p> <p>Comprehensive installation guide for the Assault Industries Glass Windshield for the Polaris RZR PRO XP. Includes a detailed parts list, step-by-step instructions with textual descriptions of diagrams, hardware specifications, and important safety and warranty information.</p>
	<p>Bosch GWS Professional Angle Grinder Operating Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive operating manual for Bosch GWS Professional angle grinders, covering safety instructions, technical specifications, assembly, and usage guidelines for models 700, 710, 750, 750 S, 750-100, 750-100 I, and 750-125.</p>
	<p>Bosch GWS Professional Angle Grinder Manual</p> <p>Comprehensive safety warnings, operating instructions, and technical specifications for the Bosch GWS Professional series of angle grinders. Learn about proper use, maintenance, and safety precautions.</p>
	<p>SuperATV Glass Windshield Installation Instructions for Can-Am Maverick Trail</p> <p>Step-by-step installation guide for the SuperATV Glass Windshield designed for the Can-Am Maverick Trail. Includes parts list, liability statement, and mounting instructions.</p>