

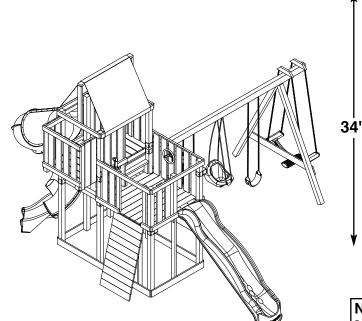
# **PB 5010**

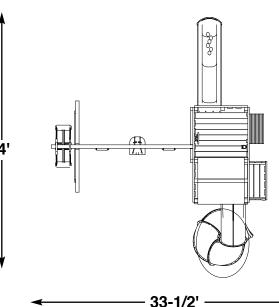
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# **ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS**

# Kodiak

**PROJECT 515** 





No. of Children: Up to 10 Min. Use Zone: 34' x 33-1/2' Set Dim. 22'W x 21-1/2'L x 14'H Est. Building Time: 5-10 hr.

#### **IMPORTANT!!**

#### PLEASE READ BEFORE BEGINNING ASSEMBLY!!

Please make sure all lumber, hardware and accessory parts are accounted for. If you are missing anything, please **DO NOT RETURN** to the store where purchased. Please call our Customer Service Department at the number below.

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Other benefits include information on product warranties, assembly plan updates, joining our mailing list for new products and promotions, receiving our newsletter, and providing feedback on products.

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will exist at the time the set is discarded.

#### Safety Checklist for Swing-N-Slide Play Sets and Accessories

#### Observing the following statements and warnings reduces the likelihood of serious or fatal injury

| nstalla | ation Safety – Have You:  |
|---------|---|
|         | Consulted the assembly instructions supplied with your particular model?  |
|         | Noted this accessory is to be used only on Swing•N•Slide approved designs? (Do not alter its design or add/remove components.)              |
|         | Made sure all hardware is tightened securely? (Supplied bolt covers must also be fastened securely.)  |
|         | Using a hacksaw, cut off all protruding threaded ends of bolts and other fasteners and remove any sharp edges with                          |
|         | a metal file as needed, and coated fastener ends with lead free paint?  |
|         | Placed the equipment on level ground, not less than six feet (1.8 meters) from any structure or obstruction such as a fence, garage,        |
| _       | house, overhanging branches, laundry lines, or electrical wires?  |
|         | Made sure home playground equipment is not installed over concrete, asphalt, packed earth or any other hard surface? (A fall onto           |
| _       | a hard surface can result in serious injury to the equipment user.)   |
|         | Verified that suspended climbing ropes, chain, or cable are secured at both ends?   |
|         | Consulted in assembly instructions of your particular model for minimum use zones?  |
|         |   |
|         | Used a water sealant on your play set to protect the wood and prevent cracking and warping?   |
|         | Followed all anchoring and shock absorbing surfacing requirements on the back of this sheet as they apply?                                  |
|         | Made sure not to allow children to use equipment until it is properly installed?  |
|         | Made sure to adjust all swings so there is a minimum 8" clearance between the swing and the ground surface?                                 |
|         | ting Safety – Have You:   |
|         | Determined that on-site adult supervision is provided for children of all ages?   |
|         | Warned children the following before allowing them to use the equipment?  |
|         | Not to walk close to, in front of, behind or between moving items.  |
|         | Not to twist swing or any other accessory chains or ropes or loop them over the top support bar since this will reduce the                  |
|         | strength of chain or rope.  |
|         | Not to swing empty seats or other accessories.  |
|         | Not to slide down swing chains.   |
|         | Be sure to sit in the center of the swing seat and other accessories with full weight on the seat.  |
|         | Not to attach items to the playground equipment that are not specifically designed for use with the equipment such as but not               |
|         | limited to, jump ropes, clotheslines, pet leashes, cables and chain. They may cause a strangulation hazard.                                 |
|         | □ Not to climb or walk on the top of swing beams, railings or roof.   |
|         | ☐ Not to use equipment in a manner other than intended.   |
|         | □ Not to get off equipment while it is in motion.   |
|         | □ Not to climb on the equipment when it is wet.   |
|         | Be sure to go down slides feet first.   |
|         | Determined that only one child per planned occupant seat should be allowed on this set at one time.   |
|         | Determined children must be dressed appropriately for play. Avoid hooded jackets, bicycle helmets, clothing with draw strings and           |
|         | loose fitting clothes which could become entangled or snagged on equipment.   |
|         | Determined that suspended climbing ropes, chain, or cable cannot be looped back upon itself.  |
|         | Made certain the slide is placed so that is is not in direct sunlight.  |
|         | Maintenance – At the beginning of every season and twice monthly thereafter:  |
|         | Rake and check depth of loose fill protective surfacing material to prevent compaction and maintain appropriate depth. Replace as           |
|         | necessary.  |
|         | Check all nuts, bolts and C-Links during the usage season for tightness and tighten as required. (It is                                     |
| _       | particularly important that this procedure be followed at the beginning of each season.)  |
|         | To prevent the deterioration of materials, remove plastic swing seats and other plastic accessories when outdoors temp dips down to         |
| _       | or below 32° F and take indoors.  |
|         | Oil all metallic moving parts monthly during usage period.  |
|         | Check all hardware and equipment for sharp edges during usage season. (Replace when necessary. It is especially                             |
|         | important to do this at the beginning of each new season.)  |
|         |   |
|         | Check swing seats, chains, ropes and cables monthly during usage season for evidence of deterioration. Severe rusting or excessive wear,    |
|         | especially near the top swing hanger or at the seat connection are evidence of chain deterioration. Cracks in the protective plastic sleeve |
| П       | or seat itself are also signs of deterioration. If any of these conditions exist, call 1-800-888-1232 to order replacement accessories.     |
|         | Sand rusted metal parts and repaint using non-lead based paint.   |
|         | Check all wood members for deterioration and splinters. Sand down splinters and replace deteriorating wood members.                         |
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Important! Additional Safety Instructions for all Swing-N-Slide Playground Equipment. Save this instruction sheet in the event the manufacturer needs to be contacted.

When the equipment is taken out of service, it must be disassembled and disposed of in such a way that no unreasonable hazards

#### This product is intended for single family home/residential use only and not intended for use in any public setting. Placement in any public setting constitutes a misuse of this product.

#### IMPORTANT!

#### ADDITIONAL REQUIRED SAFETY INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

According to ASTM requirements, all kits must be anchored to the ground and, if the unit has a climbing rope, the rope end must be anchored to the ground. If soil conditions permit stakes to be pulled out easily, cementing into ground is necessary.

- To anchor the unit to the ground, Follow the instructions included in this plan for applying Anchor-It devices to your unit, or use 2" x 4" x 18" (45mm x 95mm x 457mm) pressuretreated stakes. Pound stakes into ground at least 12" (305mm) at all inside corners of the posts (including A-frame legs and climbing unit posts). Attach with four (4) 16D (3-1/2") galvanized nails per stake into each tower and/or A-frame upright.
- If the unit has a climbing rope, anchor the rope end.
- Once the unit is completely assembled and before children are allowed to play on it, proper shock-absorbing surfacing material must be installed. This may be accomplished by using loose-fill materials at a sufficient depth. The Consumer Product Safety Commission "Handbook for Public Playground Safety" lists the following materials and required depths that are sufficient for home/residential application. For fall height protection up to 9 ft. (2.742m) [recommended for Swing•N•Slide kits]:

#### LOOSE FILL MATERIAL

REOUIRED (UNCOMPRESSED) DEPTH<sup>1</sup> in. (mm)

Wood Mulch Double Shredded Bark Mulch **Uniform Wood Chips** Fine Sand Fine Gravel

9" (229mm) 9" (229mm) 12" (305mm) 12" (305mm)

12" (305mm)

When properly installed, shock absorbing material will completely cover the horizontal baseboards on climbing units. This protective surfacing must extend a minimum of 6 ft. (1.828m) in all directions from the perimeter of the equipment or from the outermost edges of any component. For example, a slide extending beyond the platform must have protective surfacing at least 6 ft. (1.828mm) out from both sides as well as the end. For swings, the protective surface must extend at least 14 ft. (6m) out from both the back and front of the swing when the swing is in its rest position.

For further information on playground safety, the Consumer Product Safety Commission (CPSC) publishes the Outdoor Home Playground Safety Handbook which can be downloaded for free from www.cpsc.gov. An additional resource is the American Society of Testing and Materials (ASTM) Standard Consumer Safety Performance Specification for Home Playground Equipment (ASTM F1148) which can be purchased and downloaded from www.astm.org.

#### Swing-N-Slide® MANUFACTURERS LIMITED WARRANTY

Swing-N-Slide® takes great pride in the quality and durability of our products. Our Manufacturer's Limited Warranty provides confidence and demonstrates our commitment to providing quality residential playground products.

#### MANUFACTURER'S LIFETIME LIMITED WARRANTY

Swing-N-Slide® warrants its thermoformed slides and climbing mountains to be free from defects in workmanship and materials, under normal use and conditions, for the lifetime of the product.

#### MANUFACTURER'S 5 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY

Swing-N-Slide® warrants its Custom Ready-to-Build Play Set kits and accessories to be free from defects in workmanship and materials, under normal use and conditions, for a period of 5 years.

#### **MANUFACTURER'S 5 YEAR LIMITED WARRANTY**

Swing-N-Slide® warrants its No-Cut and Wood Complete Ready-to-Assemble Play Set kits against wood rot and termite damage, and to be free from defects in workmanship and materials, under normal use and conditions, for a period of 5 years for structural wood components.

Cosmetic defects that do not affect the structural integrity of the product, or natural defects of wood such as warping, splitting, checking, twisting, shrinkage, swelling or any other physical properties of wood that do not present a safety hazard, are not covered by this warranty.

#### MANUFACTURER'S ONE YEAR WARRANTY

Swing-N-Slide® warrants its canopy roofs and/or tarps, and Timber GLOVE lumber wrap to be free from defects in workmanship and materials, under normal use and conditions, for a period of one year.

Swing-N-Slide® will repair, or at its discretion, replace any part within the stated warranty period which is defective in workmanship or materials. This decision is subject to verification of the defect upon delivery of the defective part to Swing-N-Slide® at 1212 Barberry Drive, Janesville, Wisconsin, 53545. Any part(s) returned to Swing-N-Slide® must have prior approved Return Authorization Number and proof of purchase, including the date of purchase. This warranty is valid only if the product is used for the purpose for which it was designed and installed at a residential, single family dwelling. This warranty is void if the product is put to commercial or institutional use. This warranty does not cover (a) products which have been damaged by acts of Nature, negligence, misuse, or accident, or which have been modified or repaired by unauthorized persons; (b) the cost of labor; or the cost of shipping the product, any part, or any replacement product or part.

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#### This warranty also does not apply to:

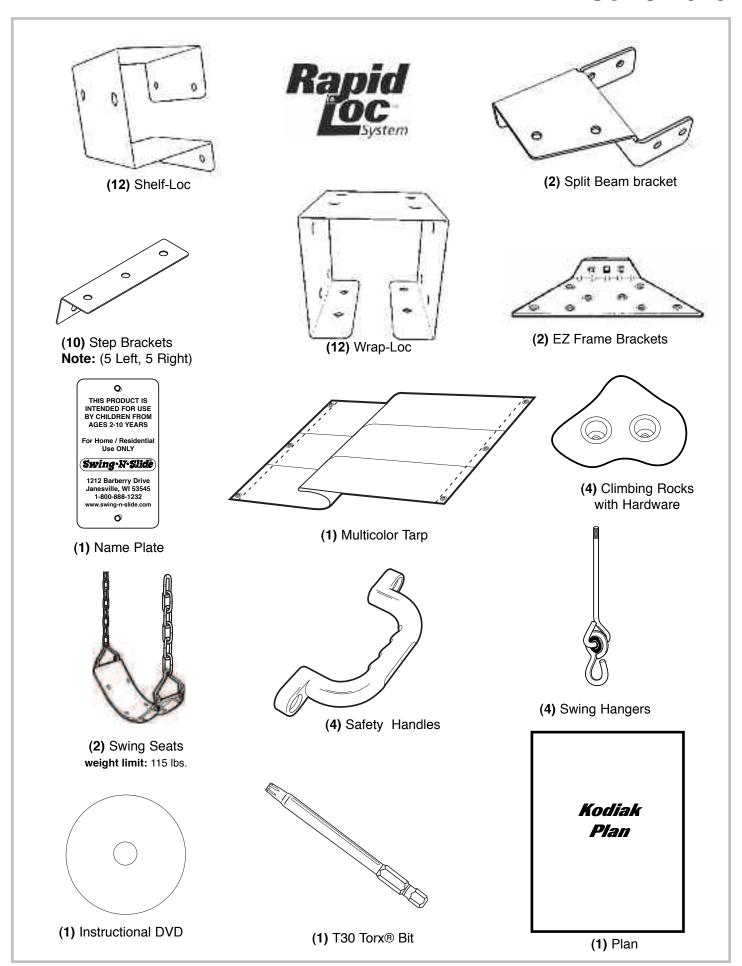
- · Structures not erected, maintained or inspected in conformance with Swing-N-Slide® installation plans
- Structures that have had parts added or substituted not in conformance with Swing-N-Slide® installation plans
- Parts that have been modified, altered or misused
- Parts that have not been used as designed or intended
- Damage due to acts of Nature, vandalism, abnormal use or abuse as determined by Swing-N-Slide®

(127) 2" screws

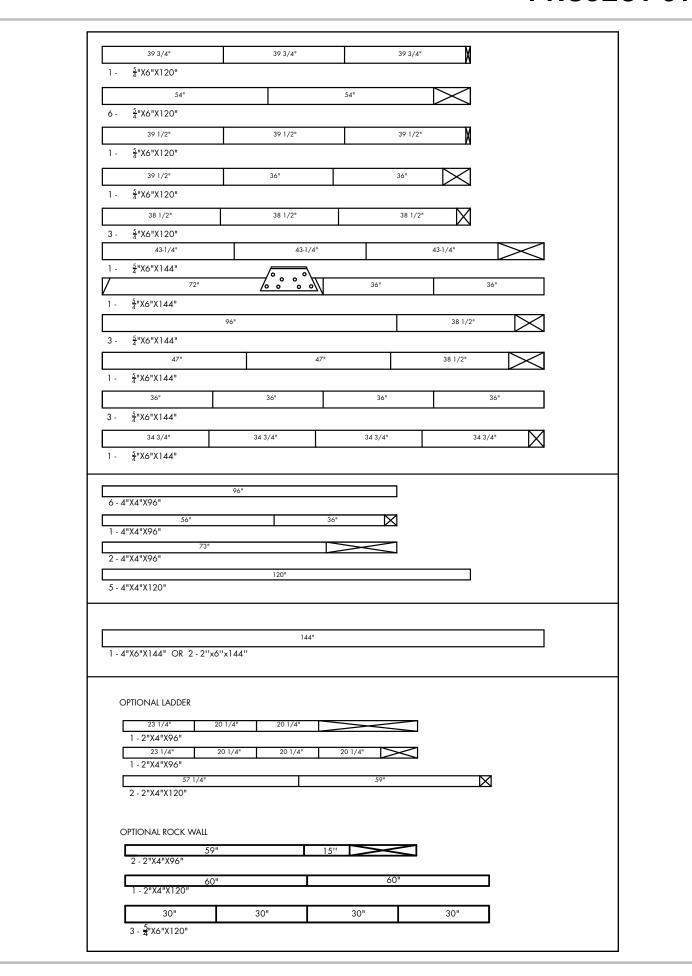
(453) 2-1/2" screws

## **TOOLS REQUIRED HAMMER CIRCULAR SAW ELECTRIC DRILL** 1/2" SOCKET & WRENCH **SAFETY GLASSES CARPENTER'S SQUARE PHILLIPS BIT TAPE MEASURE** 3/8" DRILL BIT (6" Min.) & DUST MASK (2) 1/2" panhead screws (4) 1" Truss Screws (10) 5/16" flat washers (6) T- nuts (8) 1-3/4" panhead screws (4) 1/4" flat washers (111) 2" lag screw (6) Tarp Washers (2) 5-1/2" Bolts (64) 1-1/4" screws

(4) Clamp Slotted

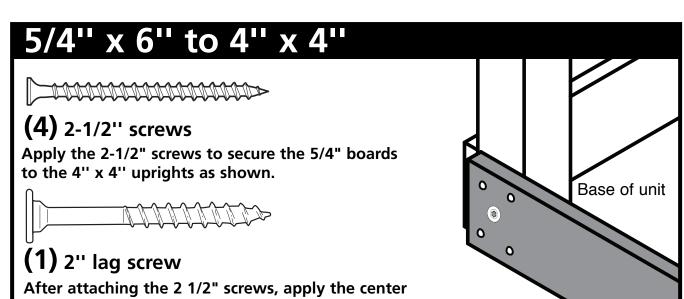


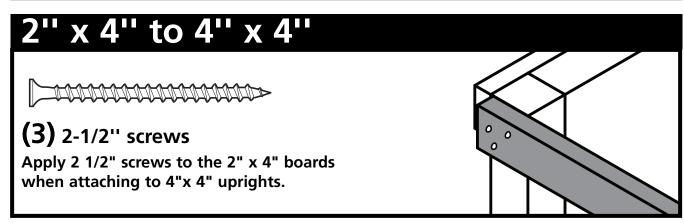
#### **KODIAK 515** 8 - 2"X4"X96" OPTIONAL LADDER 2 - 2"X4"X96" 6 - 2"X4"X120" 2 - 2"X4"X120" 12 - 5/4"X6"X120" 10 - 5/4"X6"X144" OPTIONAL ROCK WALL 9 - 4"X4"X96" 2 - 2"X4"X96" 1 - 2"X4"X120" 5 - 4"X4"X120" 1 - 4"X6"X144" 3 - 5/4"X6"X120" 2 - 2"X6"X144" 39 1/2" 2 - 2"X4"X96" 25" 23 1/4" 20" 8'' 1 - 2"X4"X96" 27 1/4" 1 - 2"X4"X96" 48 1/2" 43-1/2" M 1 - 2"X4"X96" 43-1/2" 28" 1 - 2"X4"X96" 29 1/2" 1 - 2"X4"X96" 36" 54" 1 - 2"X4"X96" 43-1/2" $\boxtimes$ 1 - 2"X4"X120" 36" 36" 28" 1 - 2"X4"X120" 58 3/4" M 1 - 2"X4"X120" $\bowtie$ 60" 56" 1 - 2"X4"X120" 54" 54" 1 - 2"X4"X120" 39 1/2" 20" $\boxtimes$ 1 - 2"X4"X120"



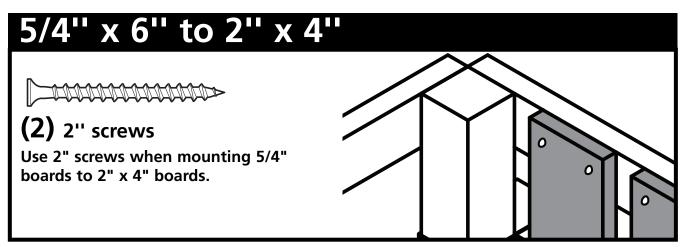
## How to select the correct fastener

Use these 3 pictorial guides to help select the correct fastener(s) for the lumber attachment you are making. Each diagram will highlight the correct number of fasteners to use, and where to attach them.

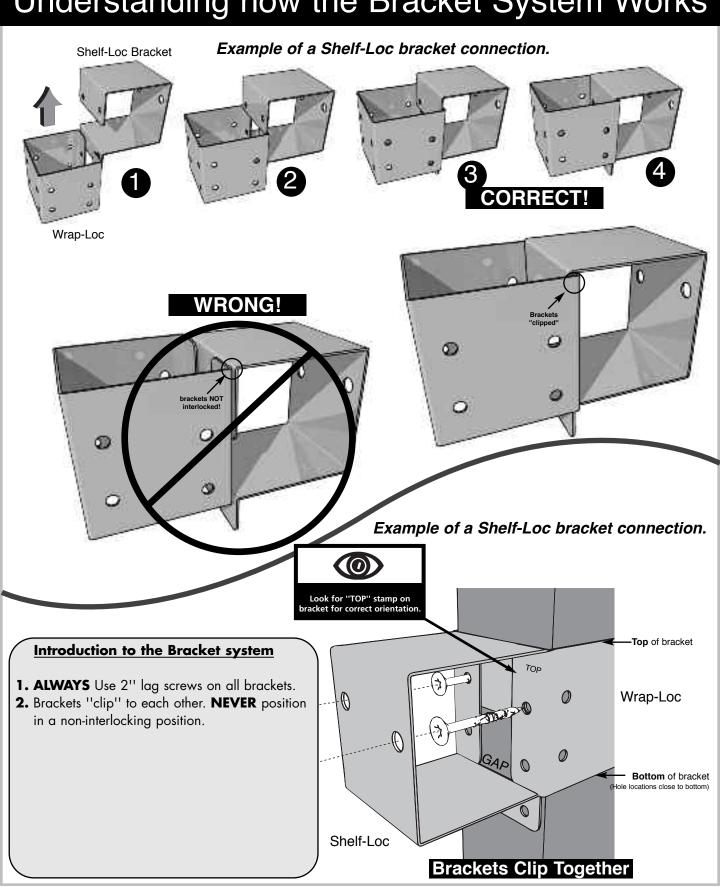


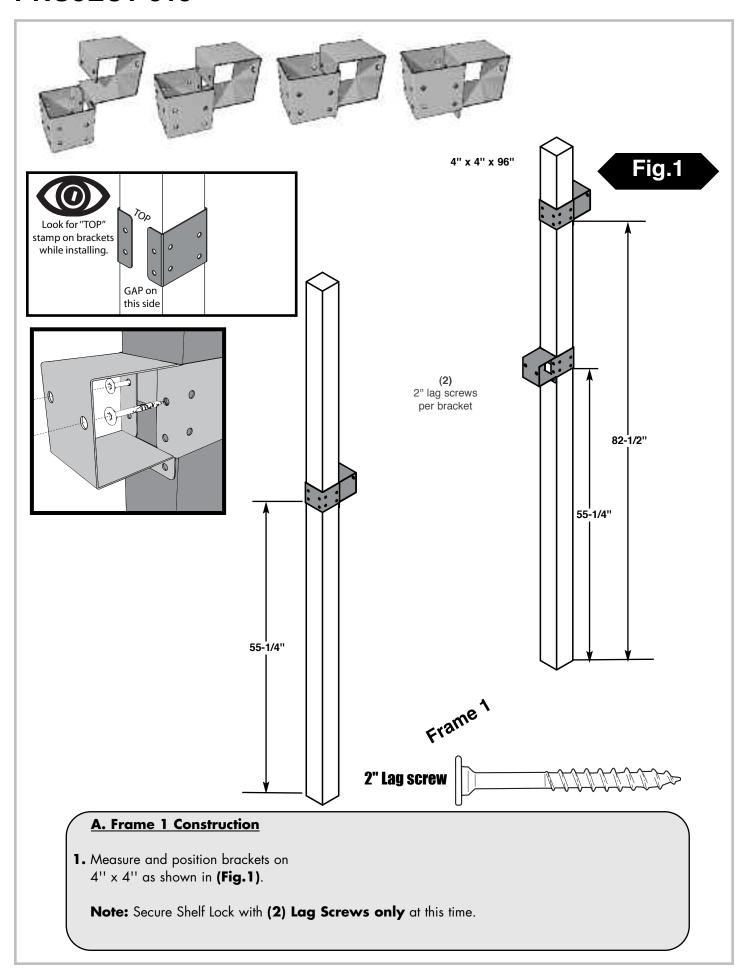


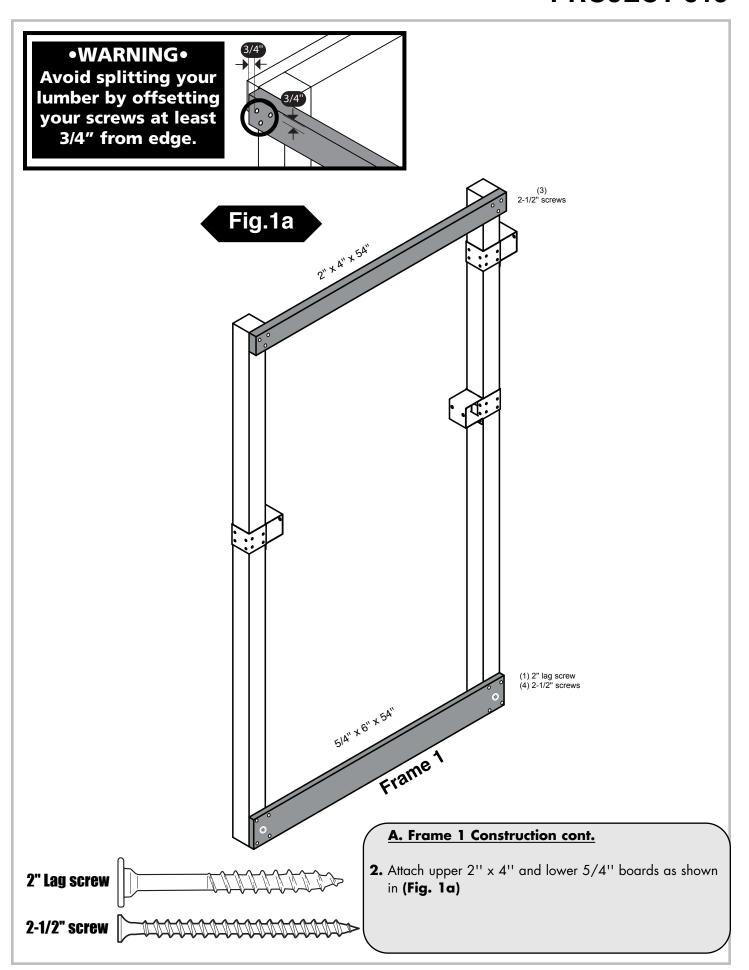
(1) 2" lag screw as shown for additional support.

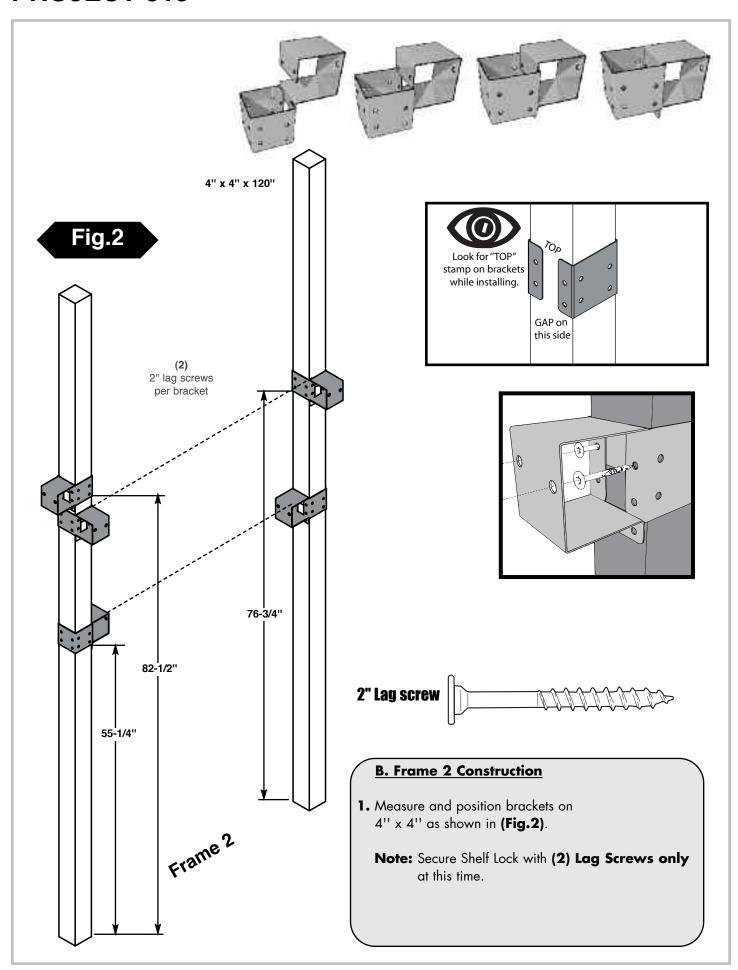


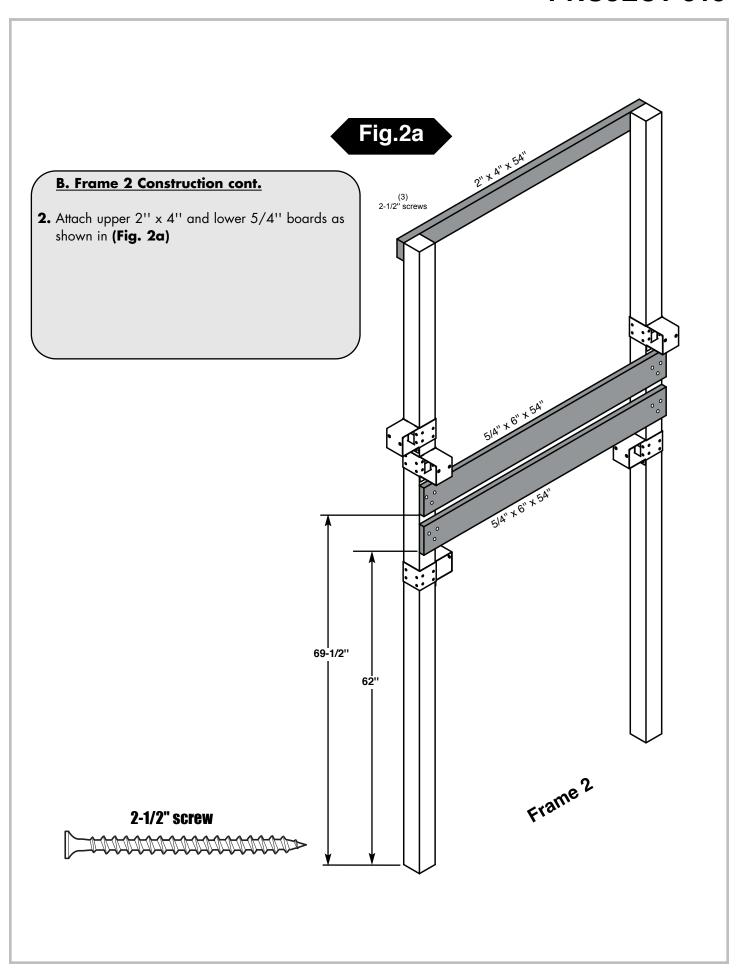
## Understanding how the Bracket System Works

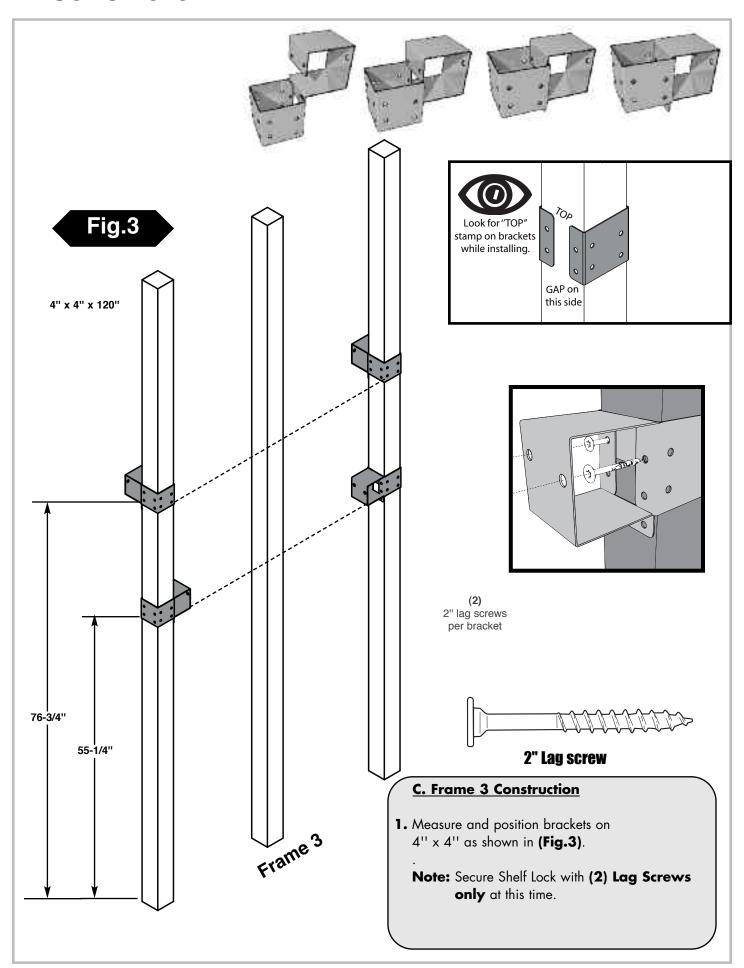


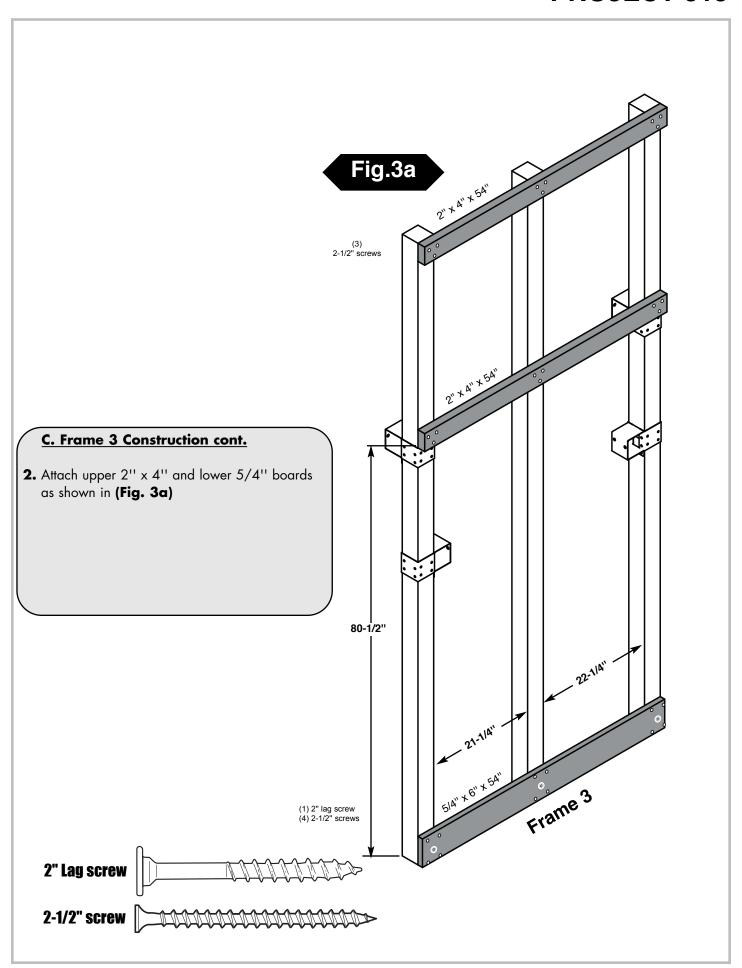


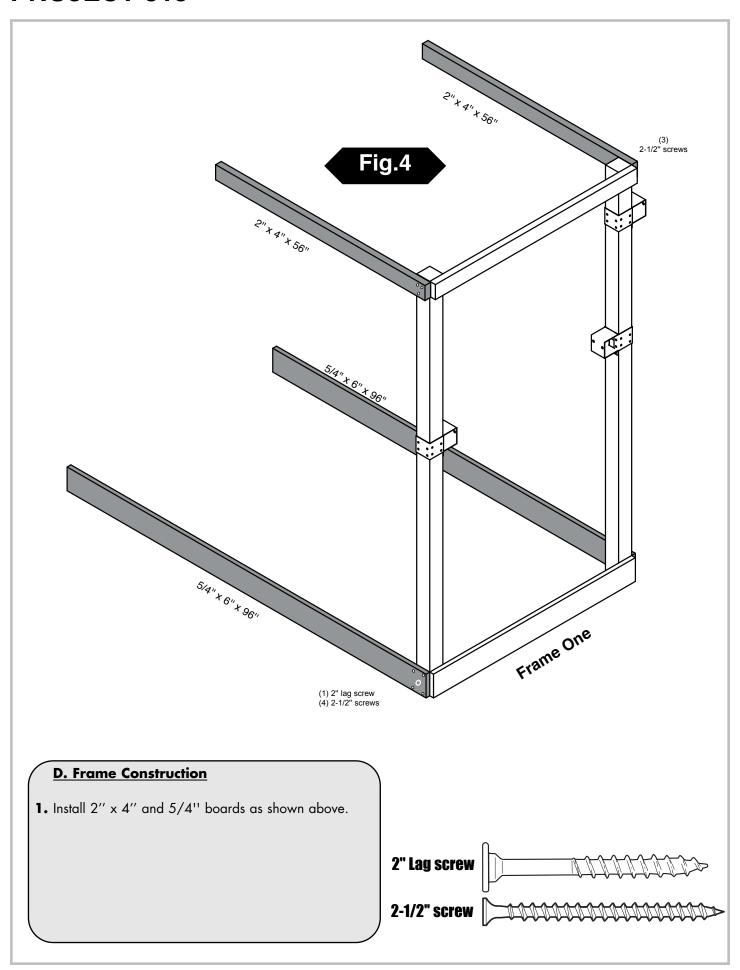


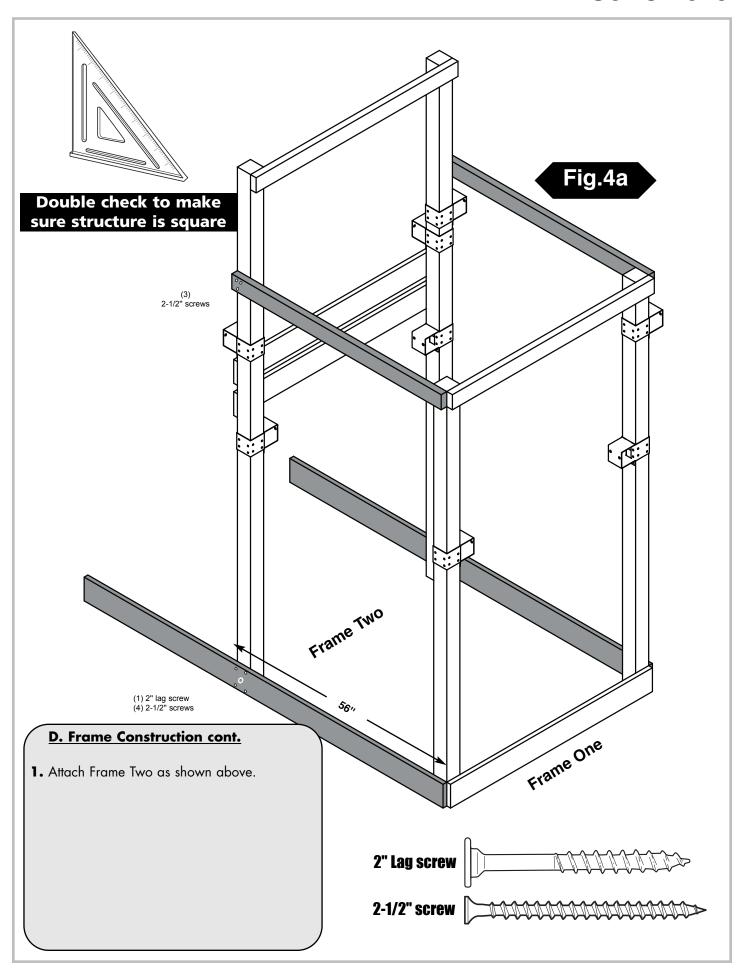


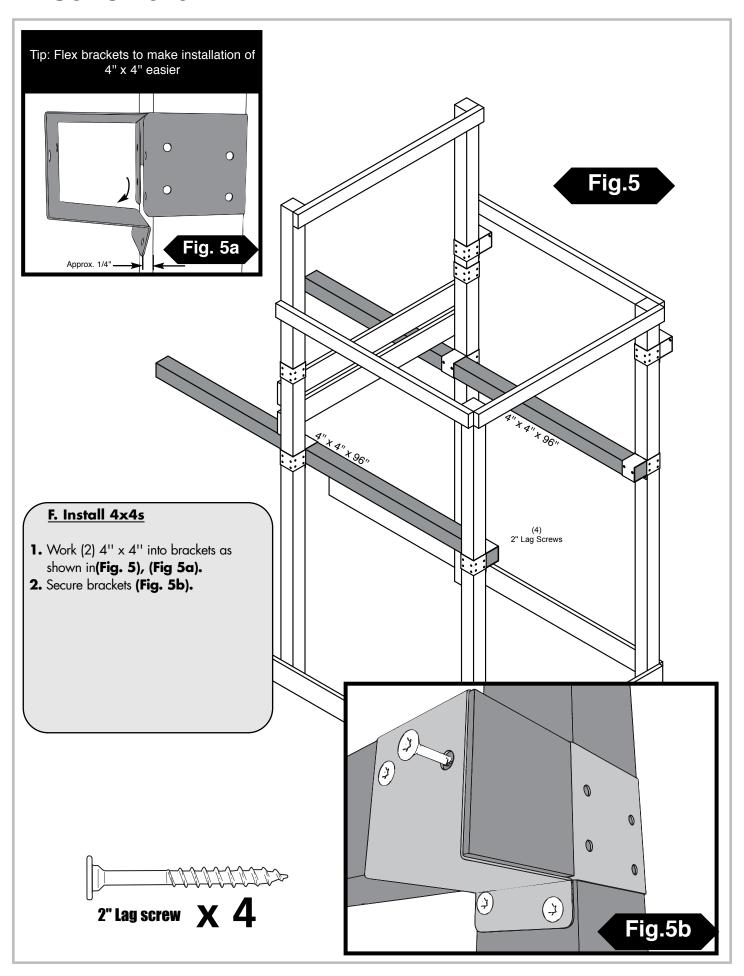


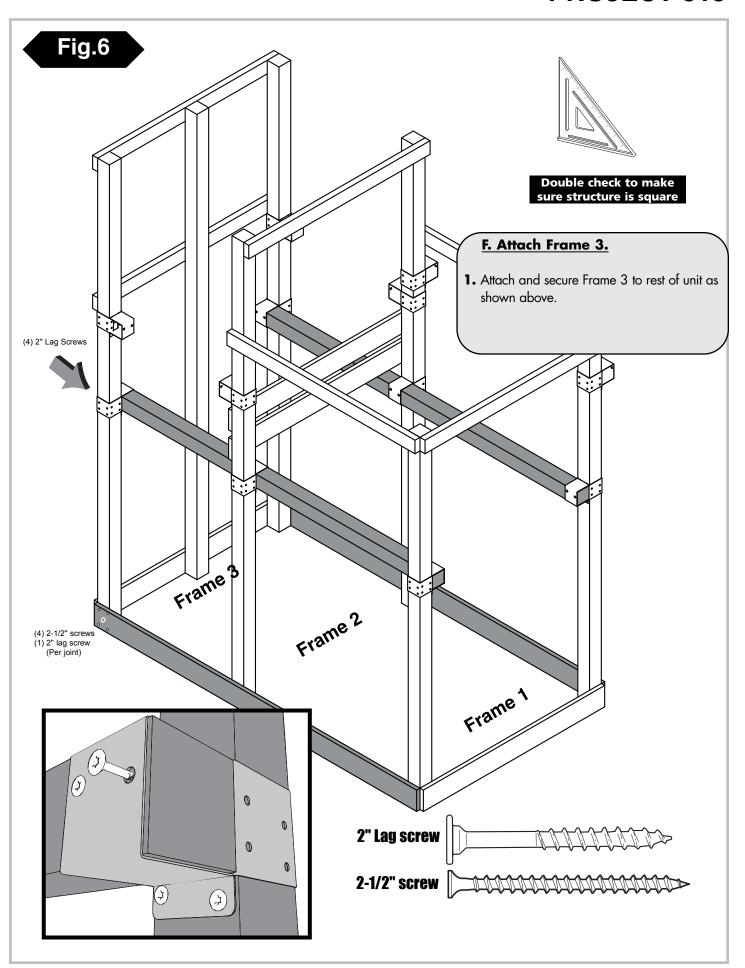


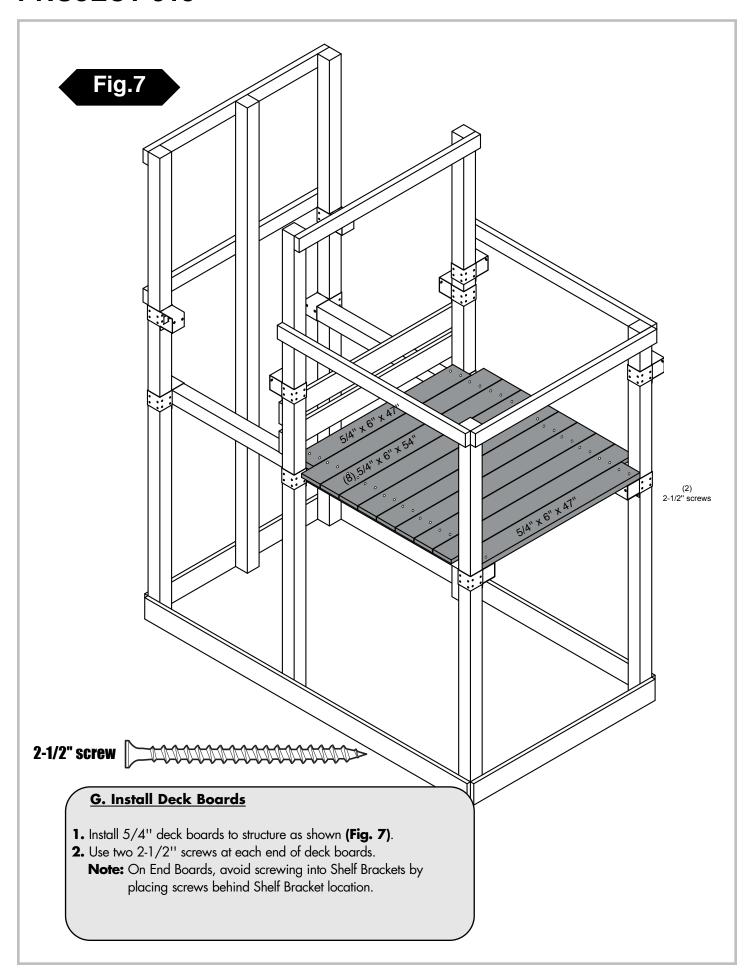


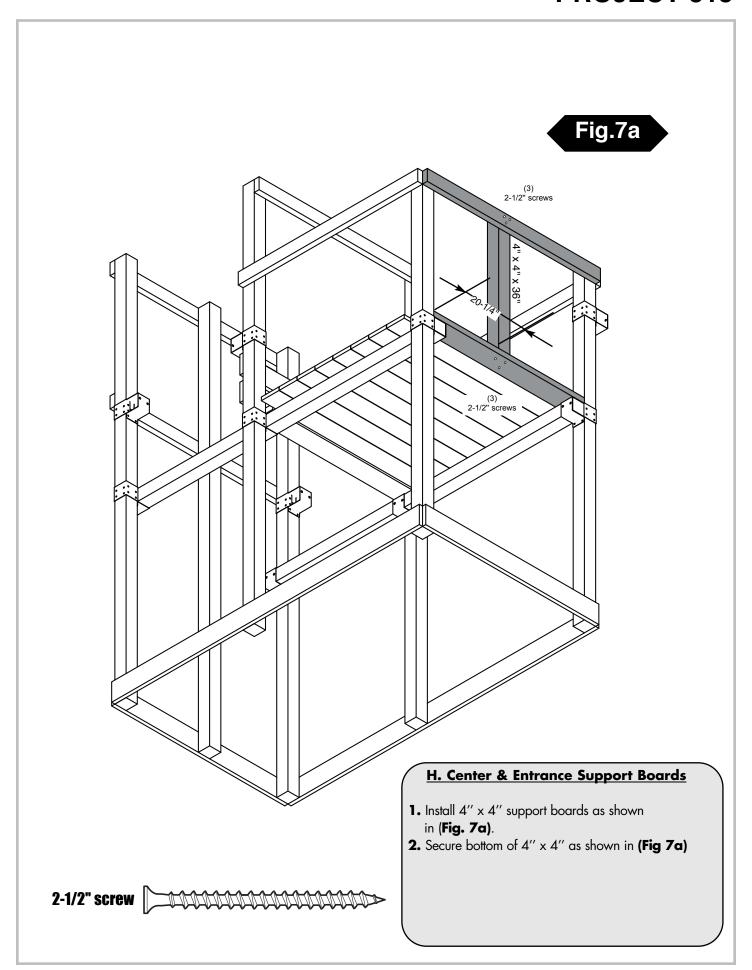


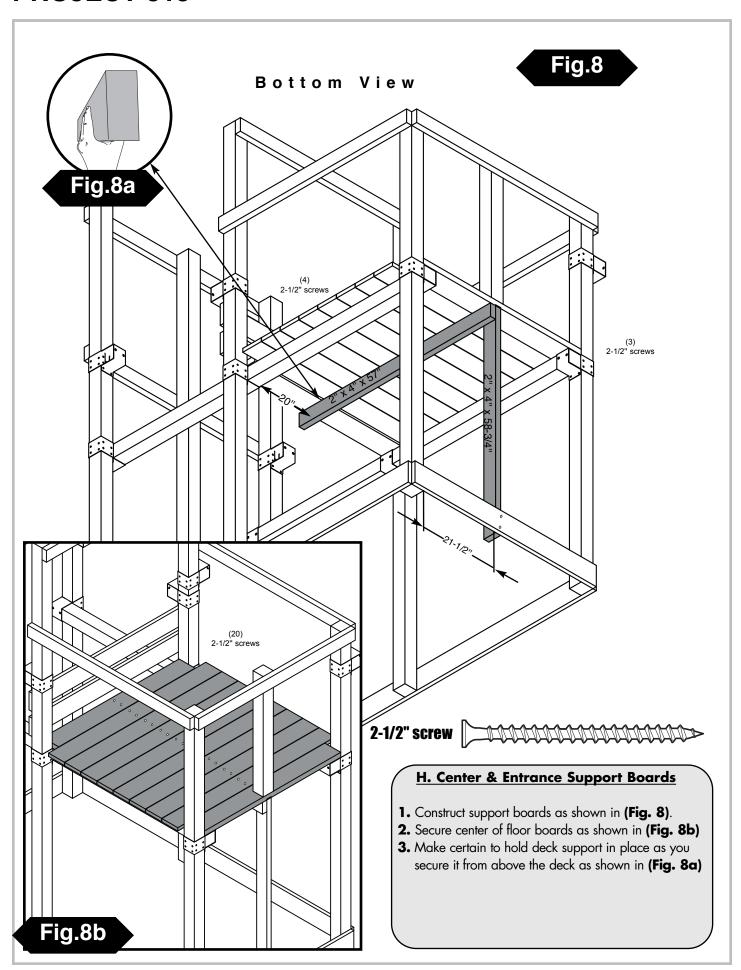


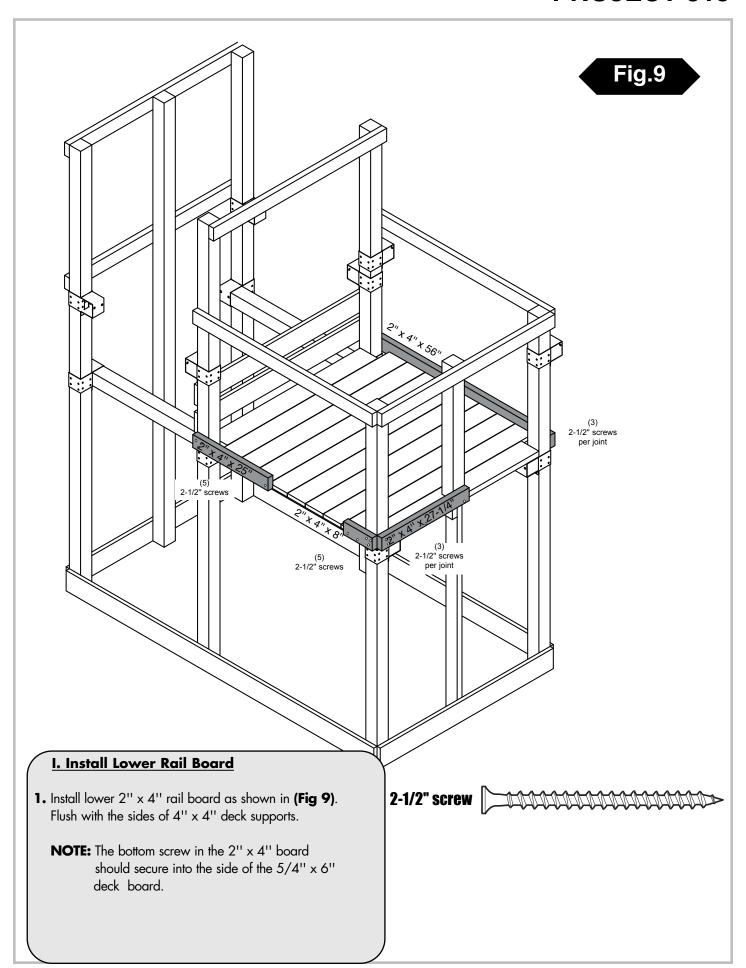


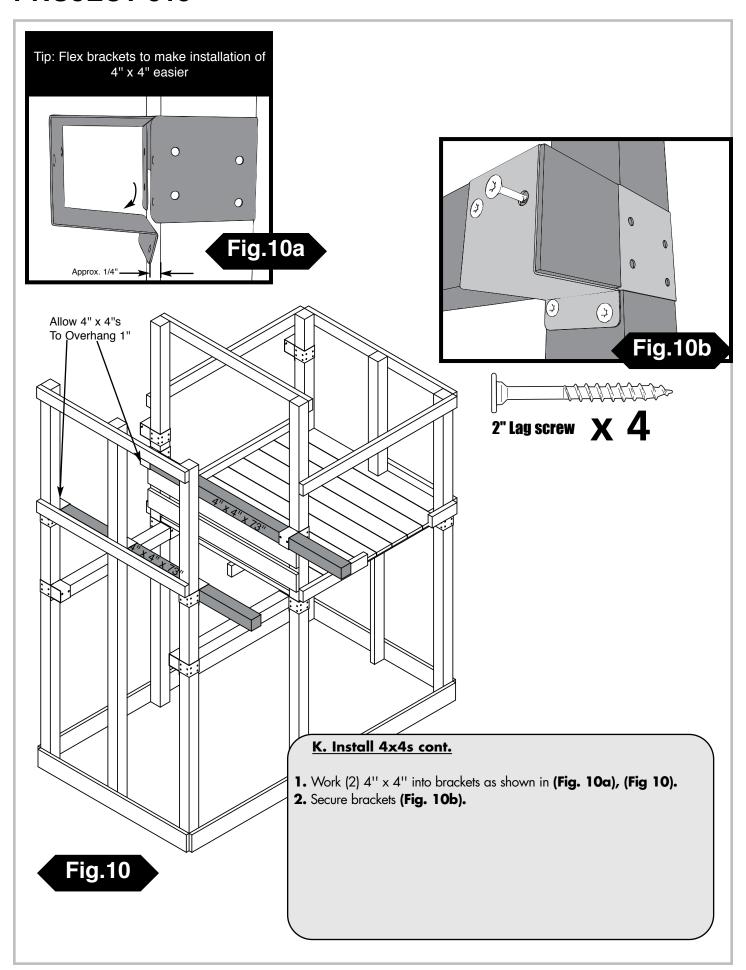


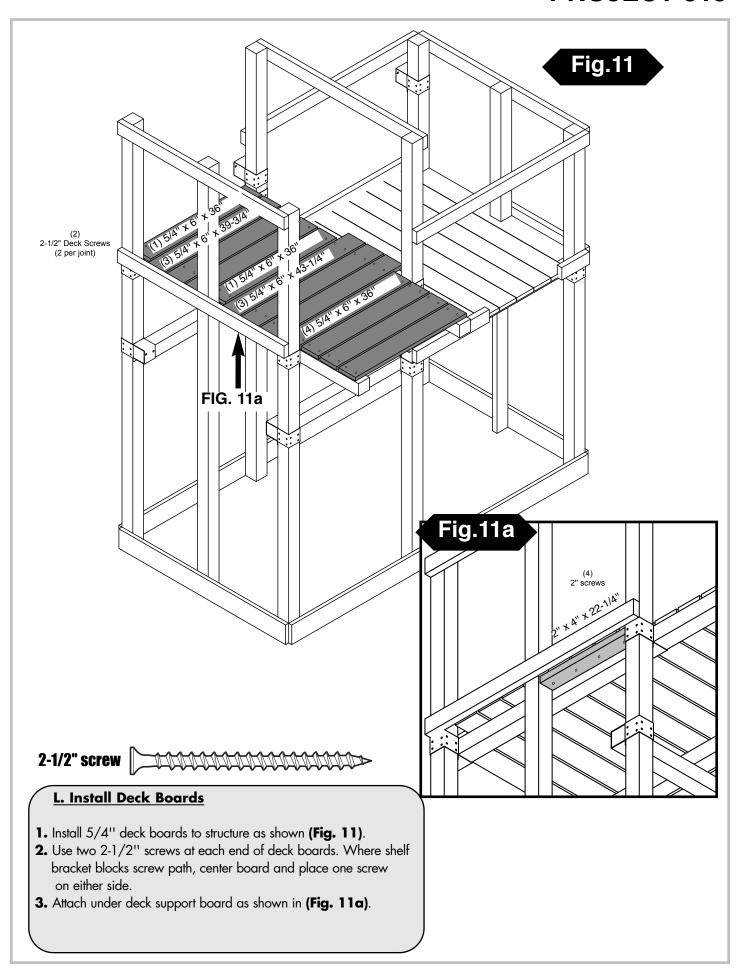


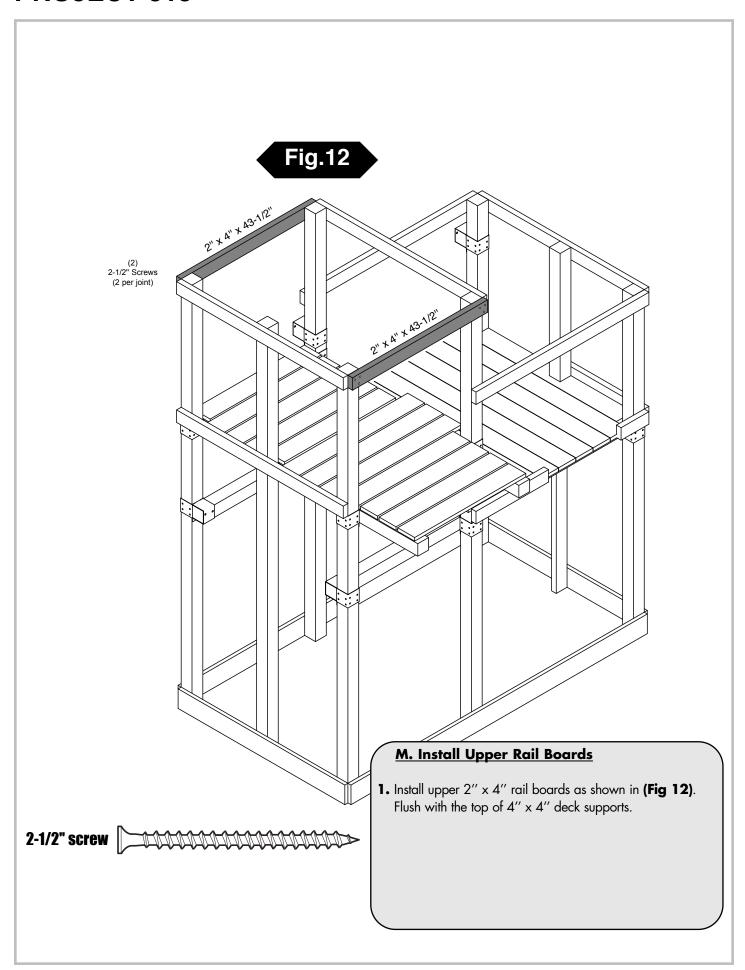


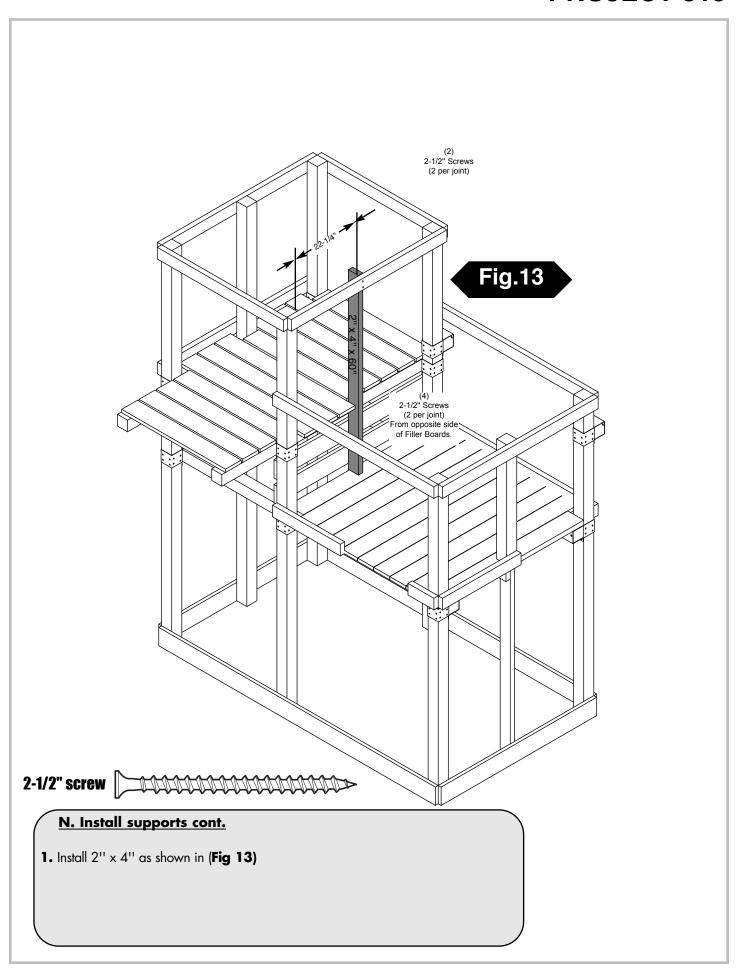


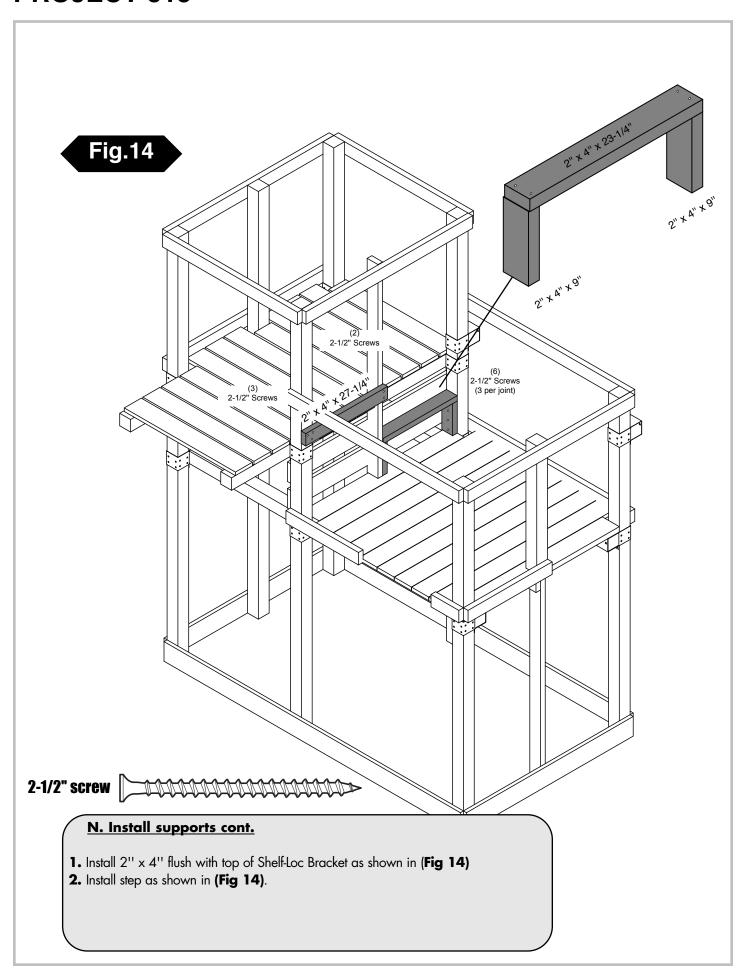


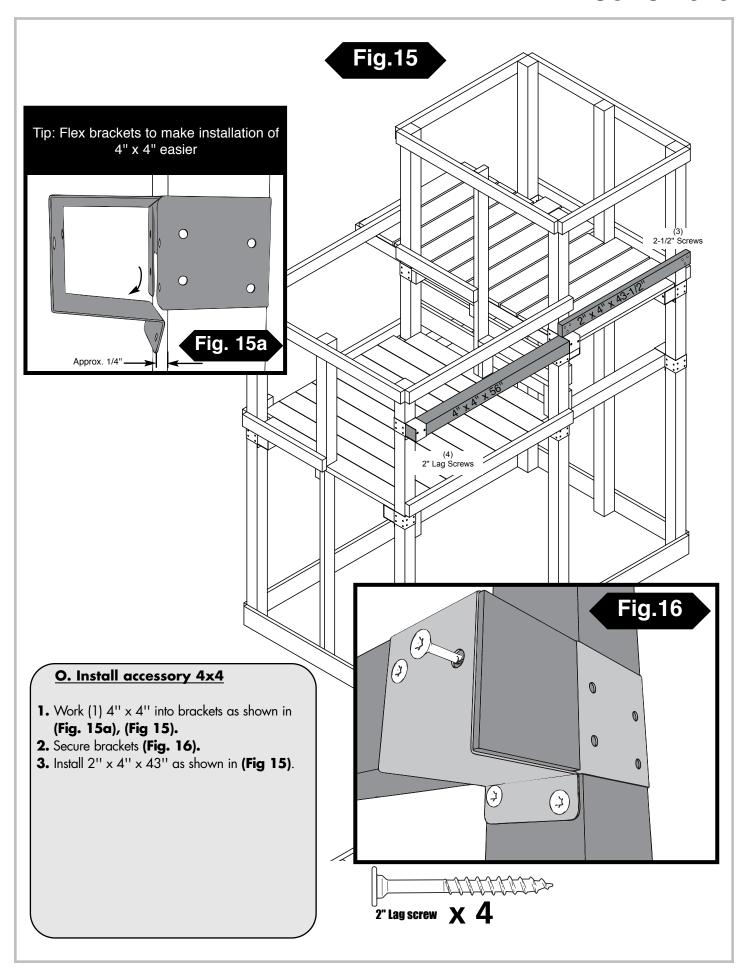


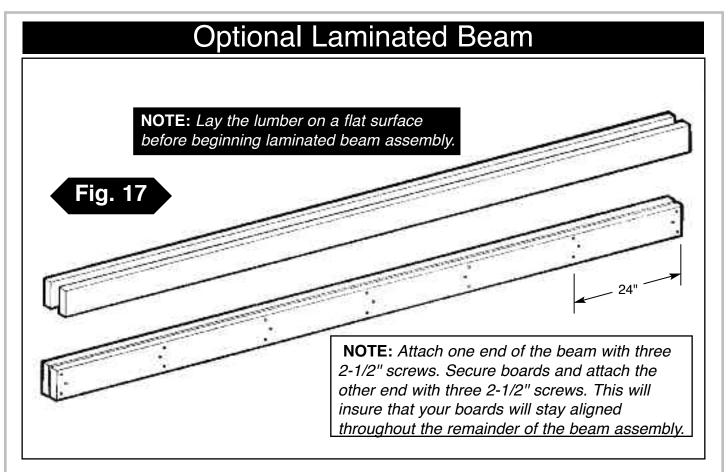


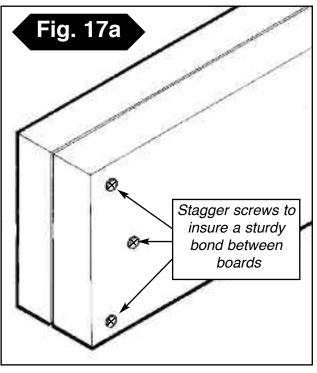








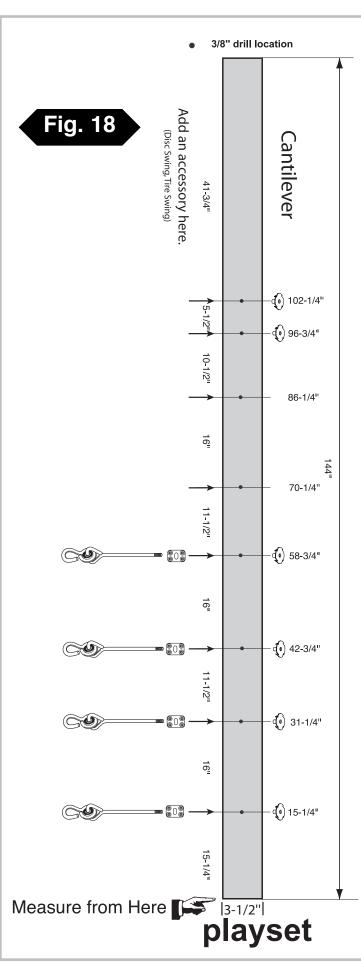




#### **P. Laminated Beam Instructions**

- 1. If 4" x 6" lumber is not available, you may laminate two 2" x 6" x 144" pieces of lumber together to create the beam.
- 2. Lay the lumber on a flat surface and align all of the edges. NOTE: Make sure each piece of lumber is the same length. If it is not, trim board(s).
- **3.** From the end of each board, measure and place a mark at 24" intervals (**Fig. 17**).
- **4.** Assemble the beam by attaching each end together using three 2-1/2" screws (**Fig. 17a**).

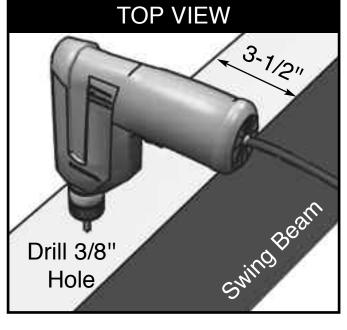
**Note:** Stagger the screws as shown in (**Fig. 17a**) to insure a sturdy bond. Repeat every 24" along the entire length of the beam. When beam is complete, measure, drill holes, and attach beam clamps and nylon bushing swing hangers

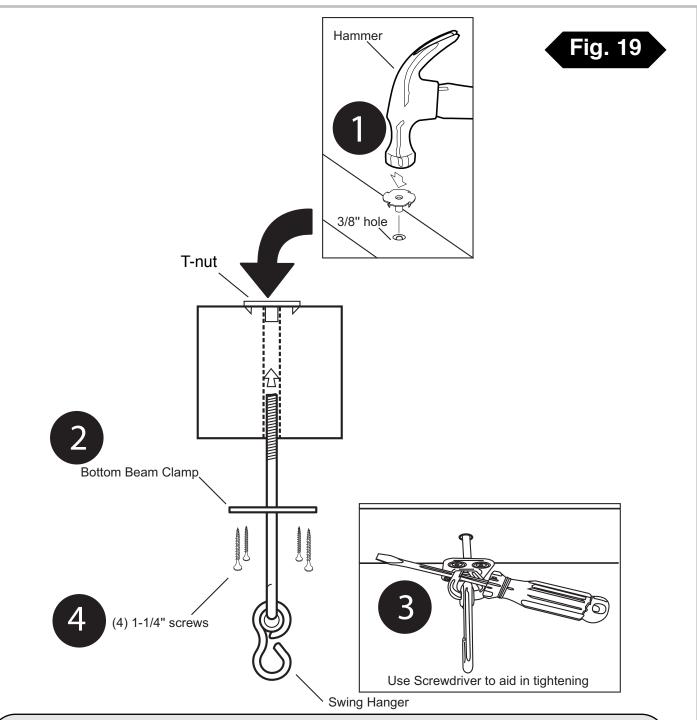


#### **Q. Swing Beam Drill Locations**

- 1. Use a 3/8" drill bit to drill a 3/8" hole through the beam at each location shown in (Fig. 18)
- 2. Install Swing Hangers onto swing beam at locations shown.

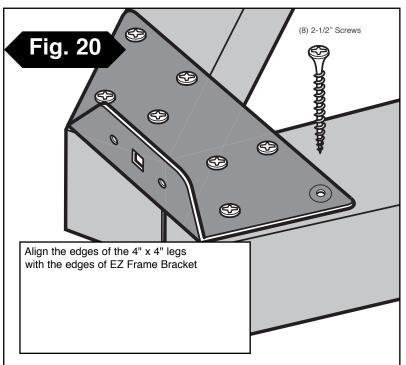
**Note:** Swing Hangers must be installed on same side dimensions were originally marked.





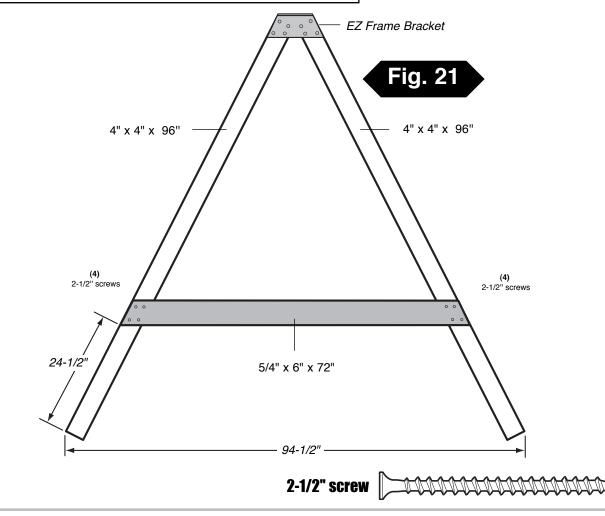
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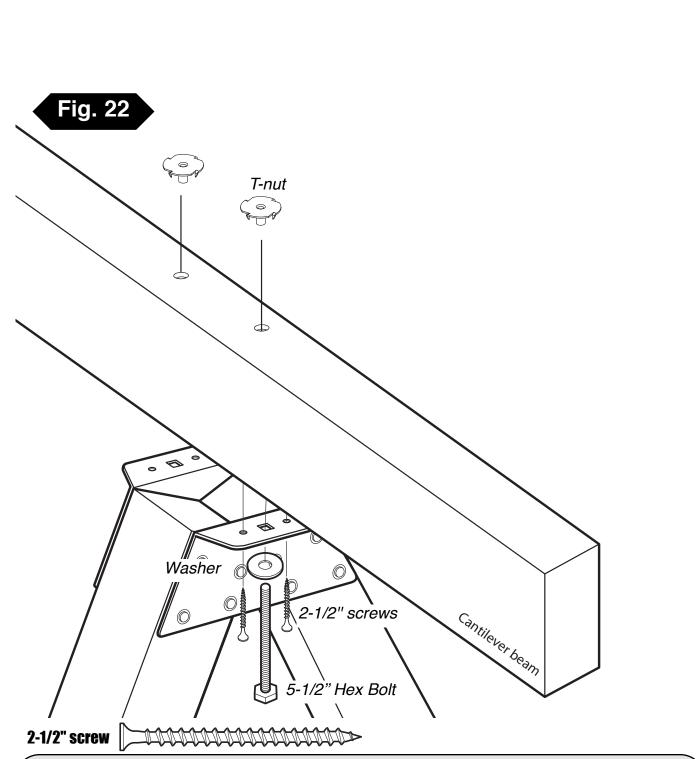
- 1. Tap t-nut into 3/8" hole as shown in (Fig. 19)
- 2. Place a bottom beam clamp over the swing hanger as shown in (Fig. 19)
- **3.** Insert the swing hanger into the beam and thread it into the T-nut until it is flush or near flush with the top of the T-nut. A screwdriver may be used to twist the hanger (**Fig. 19**). Orient swing hanger as shown in (**Fig 19**).
- **4.** Use (4) 1-1/4" screws to secure beam clamp.
- 5. Check hanger to ensure it does not spin.
- 6. Repeat for both swing hangers.



#### **R. A-Frame Assembly**

- **1.** layout 4" x 4"s as shown in **(Fig. 20)**
- 2. Align EZ Frame Bracket with face of 4" x 4"s.
- **3.** Secure EZ Frame Bracket with (8) 2-1/2" screws to 4" x 4"s making sure they are flush with each other.
- **4.** Secure 5/4" x 6" to 4" x 4"s as shown in **(Fig. 21)**
- **5.** Flip over and add 2nd bracket. Repeat steps 2 and 3.





#### S. A-Frame Assembly cont.

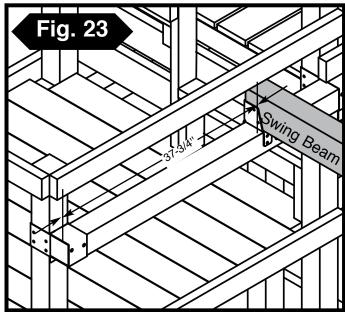
1. 1. Tap T-nut into 3/8" hole as shown in (Fig. 22)

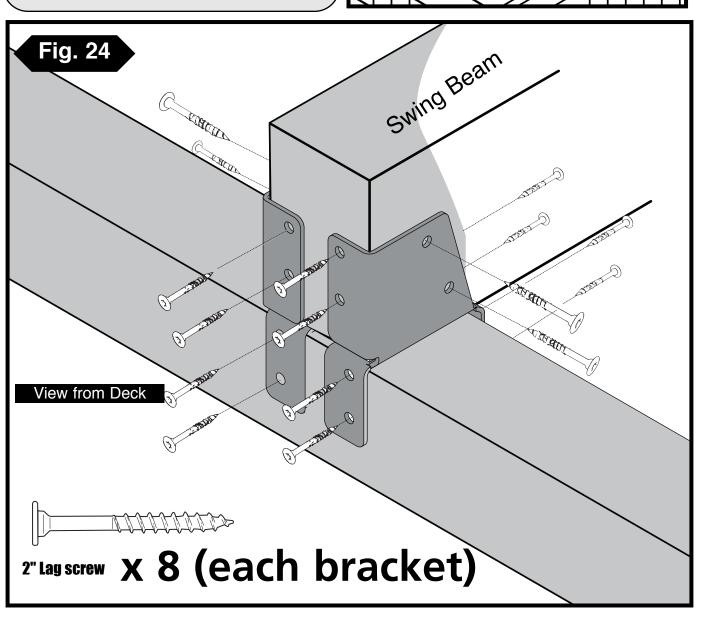
Note: If using Laminated Swing Beam, make sure T-nut teeth do not fall between seams of 2" x 6"s.

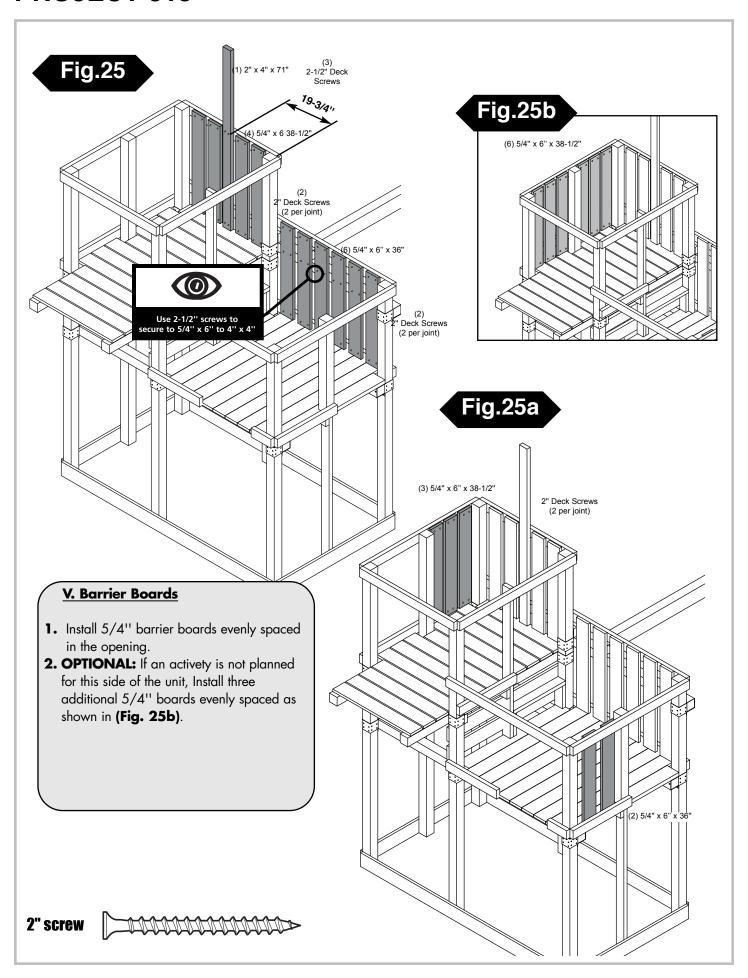
- 2. Attach A-Frame beam to Swing Beam using (2) 5-1/2" hex bolts and 4 screws.
- 3. Tighten hex bolt to flush with top of T-nut. Repeat on other bracket.

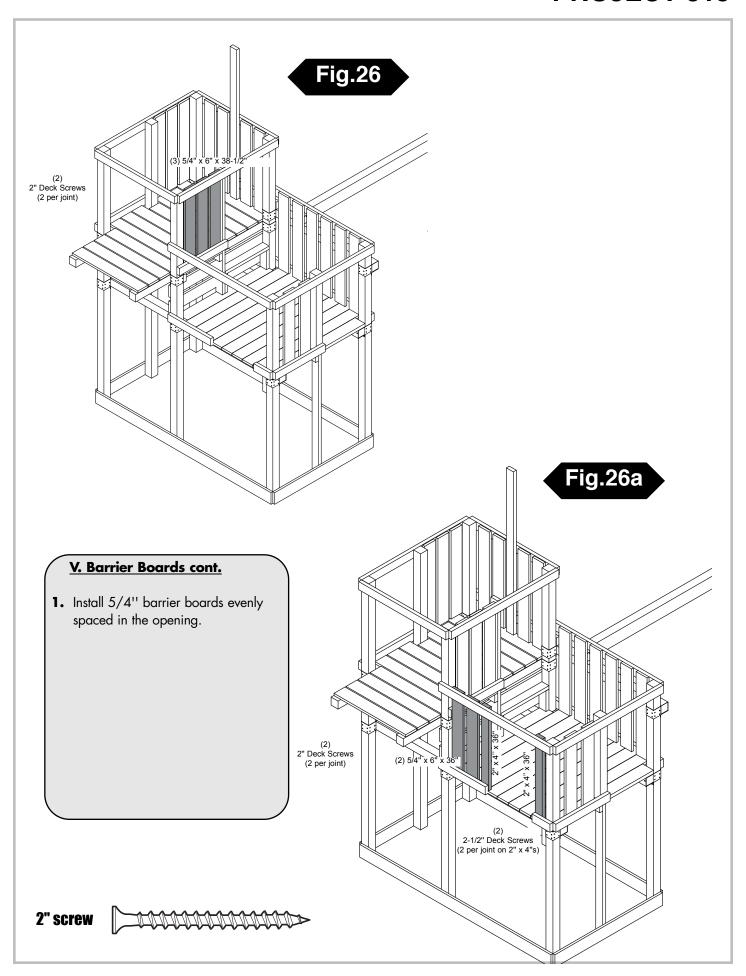
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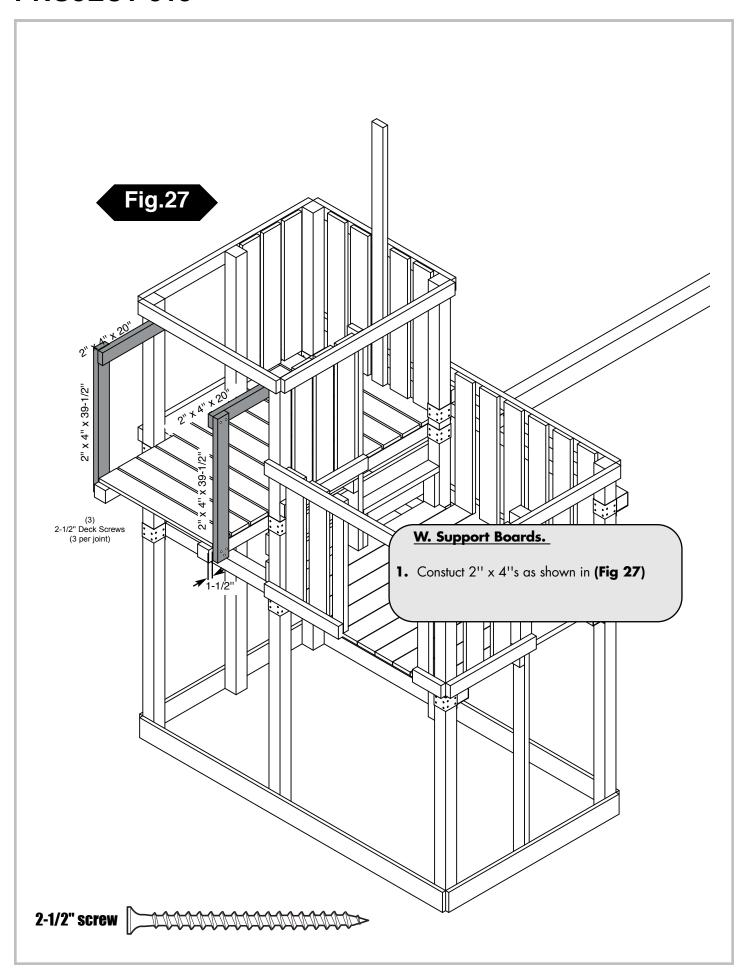
- 1. Position Split-Brackets on  $4'' \times 4'' \times 55''$  (Fig 23).
- 2. With the help of others, lift A-Frame and Swing Beam Assembly and center on to unit as shown in (Fig. 23)
- 3. Secure as shown in (Fig 24).

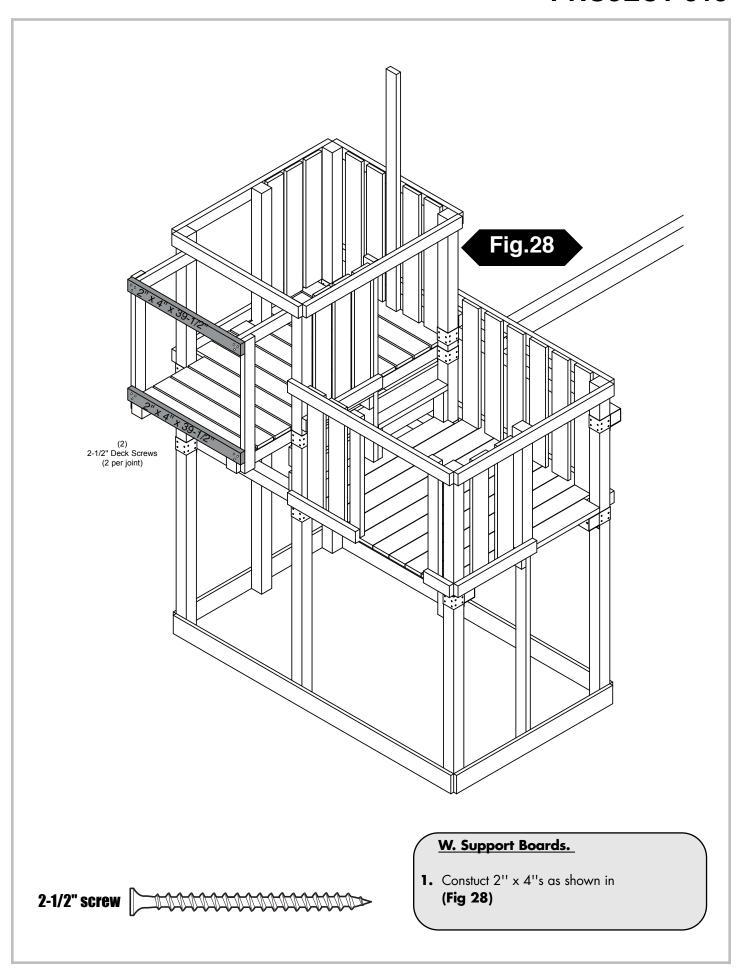


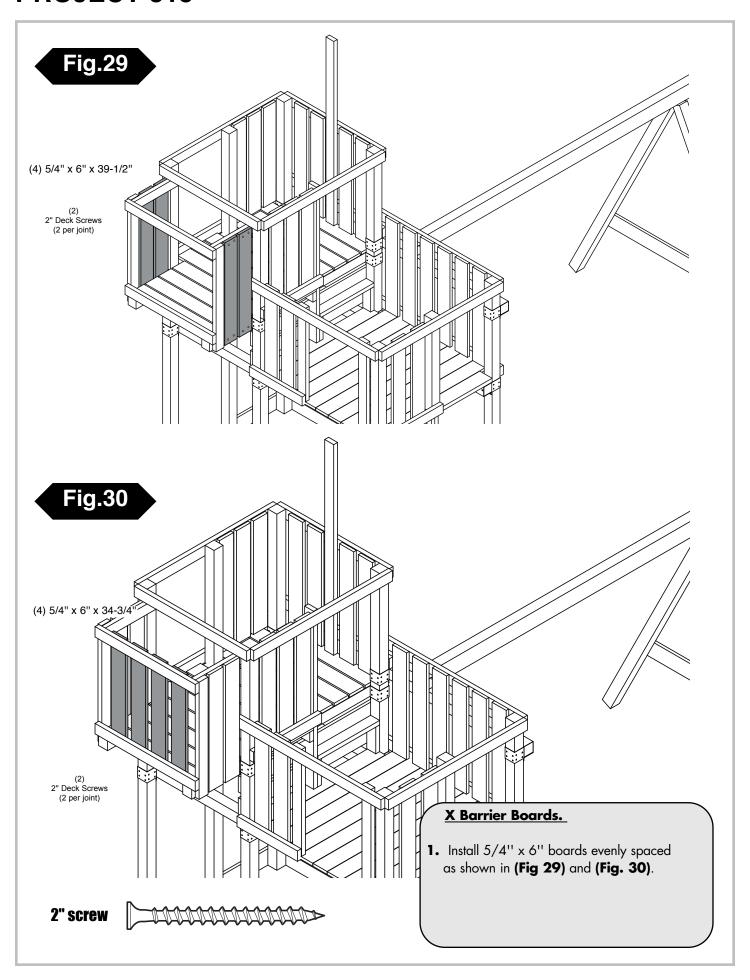


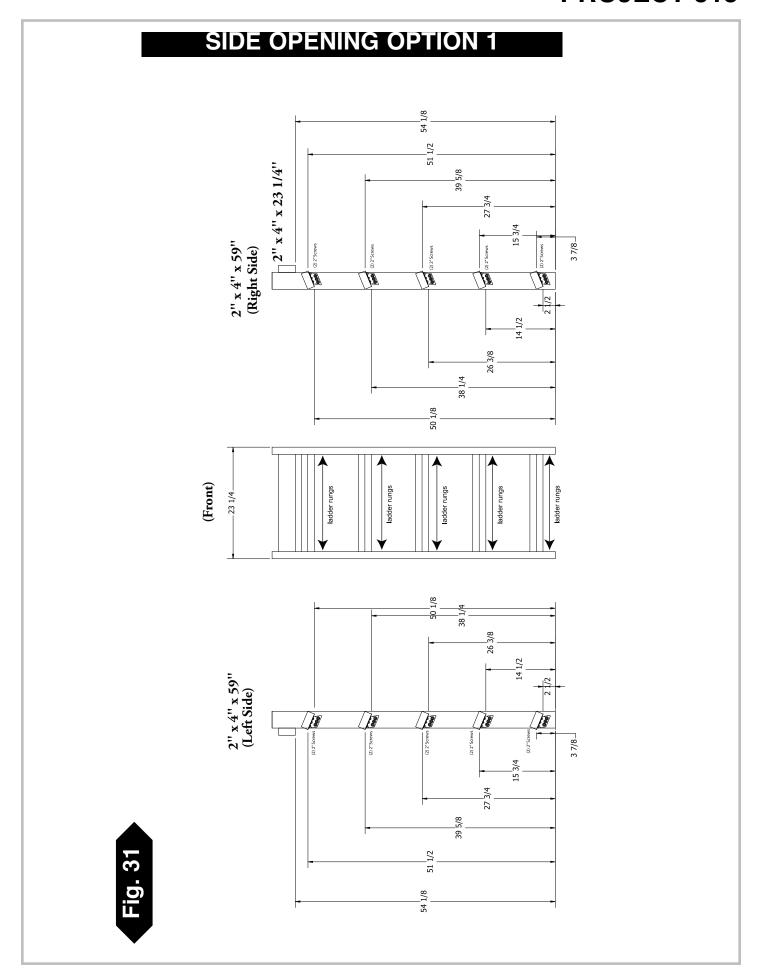


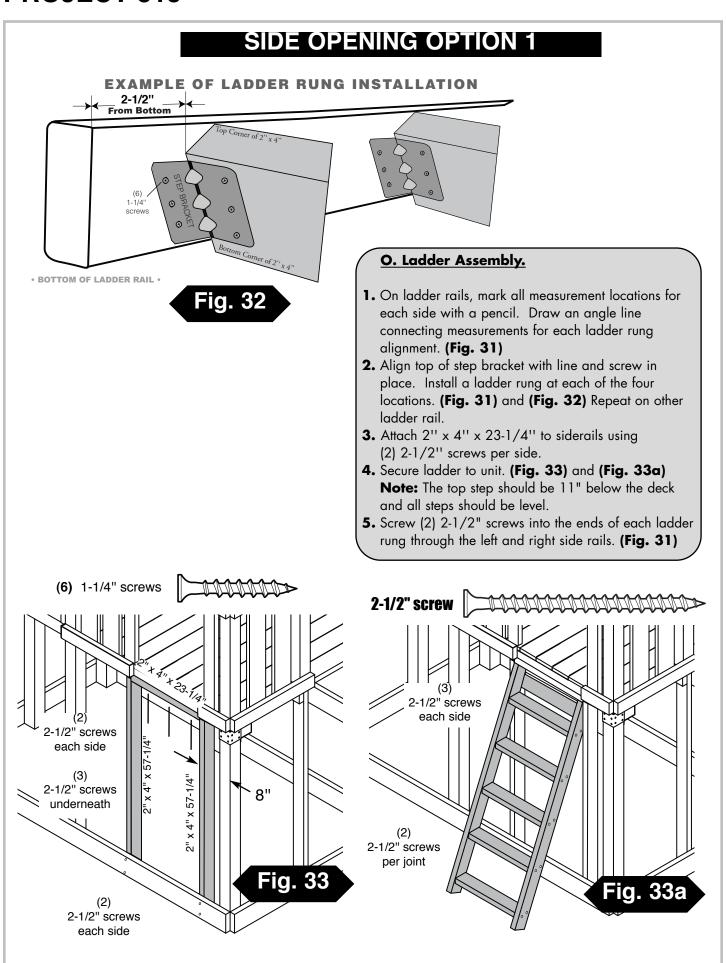


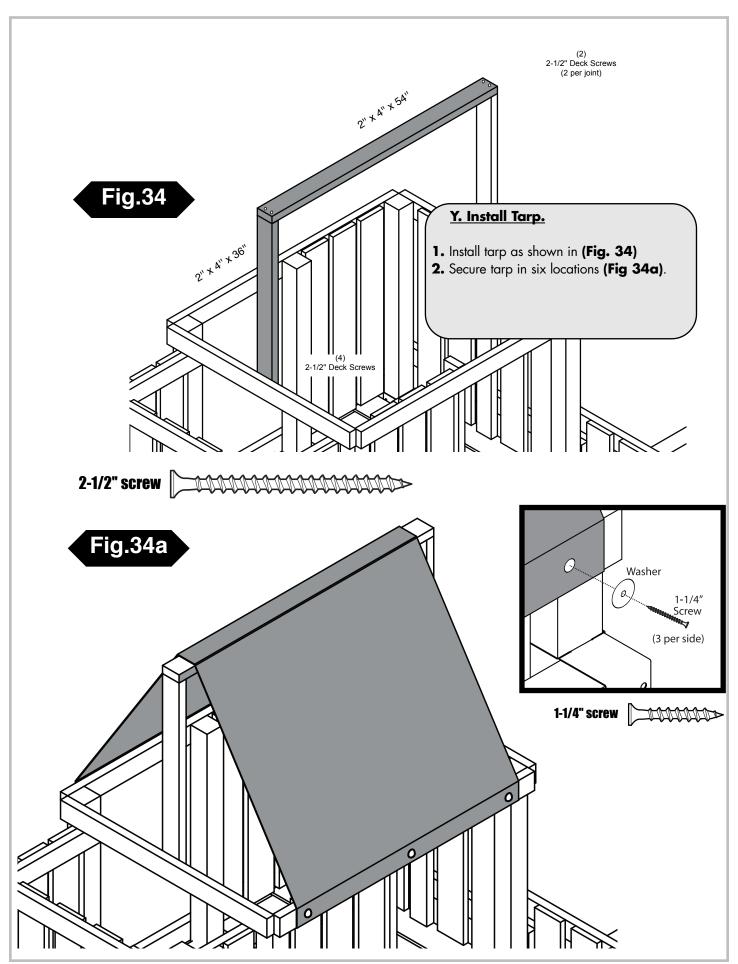


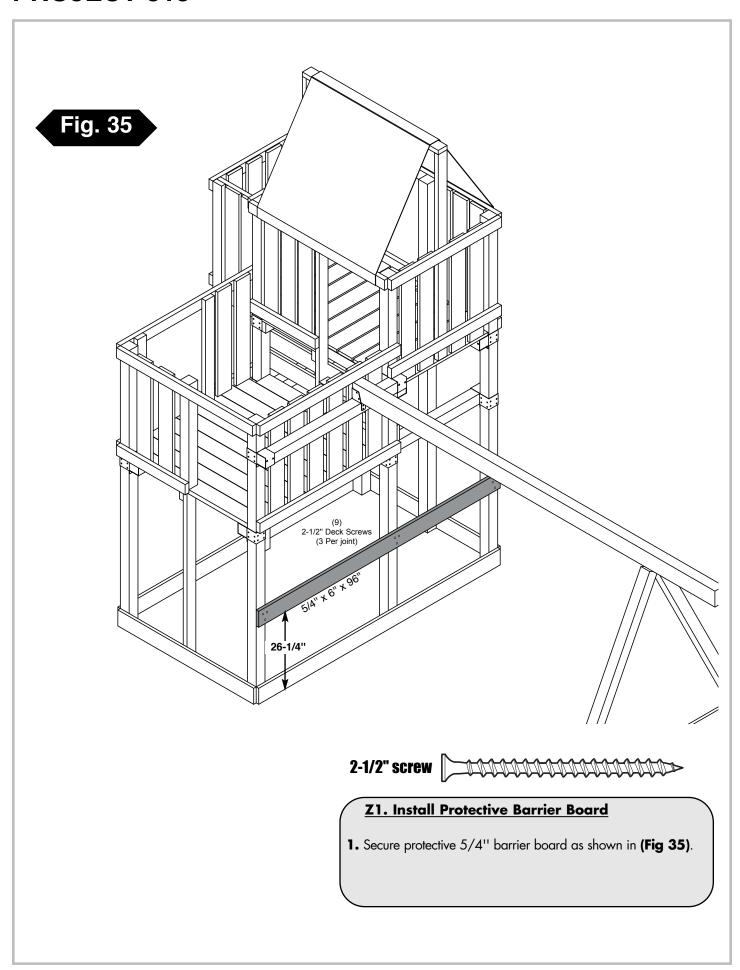


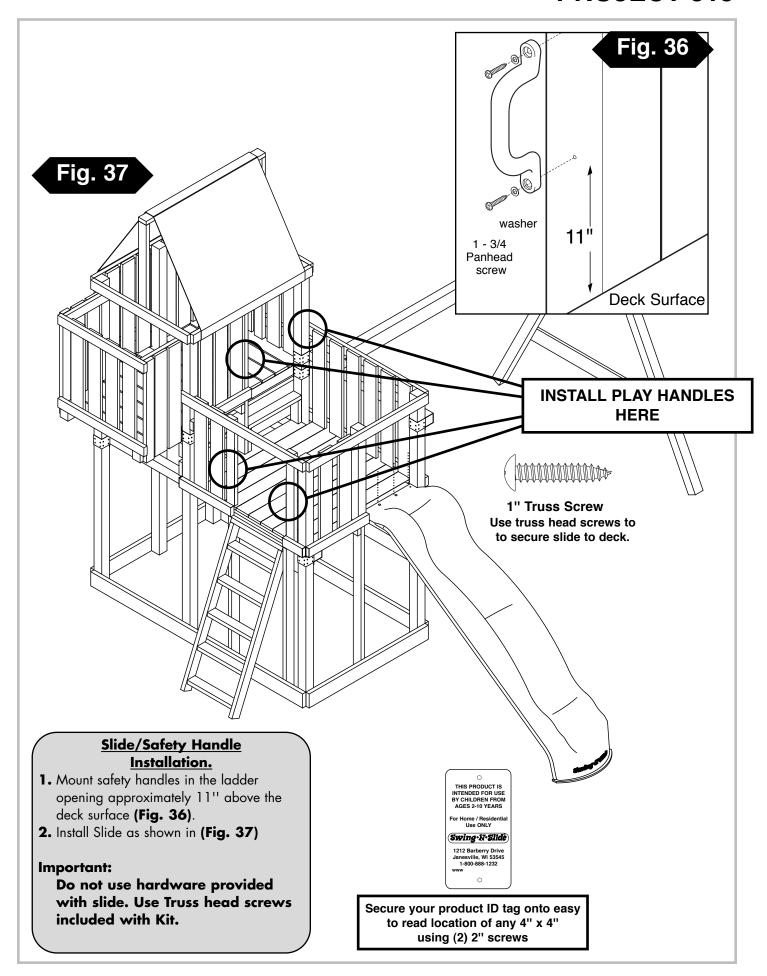




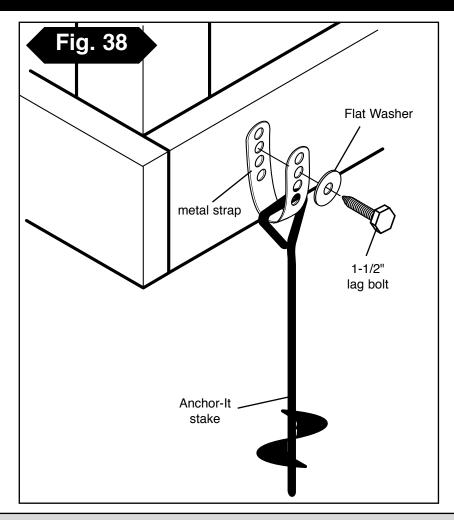








## Anchor-It (Sold Seperately)

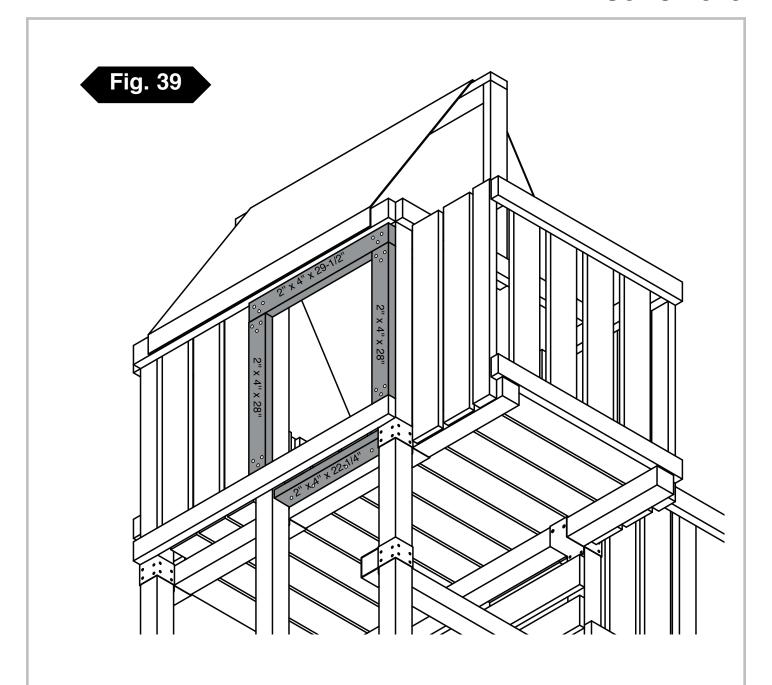


#### S. Anchor-It Installation (optional).

#### Instructions for Anchoring Swing • N • Slide Activity Centers

Determine the final location of your activity center.
 Place the Anchor-It stakes adjacent to the base and near the corners of your activity center (at the bottom of the legs on swing sets) and twist the auger-style stakes into the ground until only the loop is exposed.
 Place the metal strap through the loop of the Anchor-It stake and secure it to the unit with a lag screw and washer

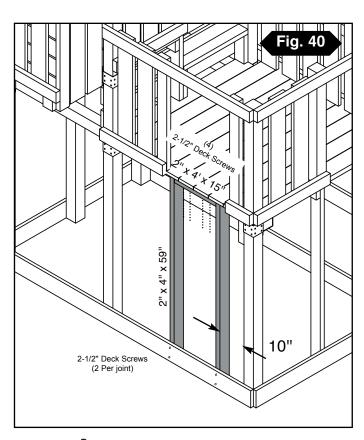
as illustrated to the right. Note: Attach the strap to the unit with as little play as possible using whatever holes in the strap that work best.

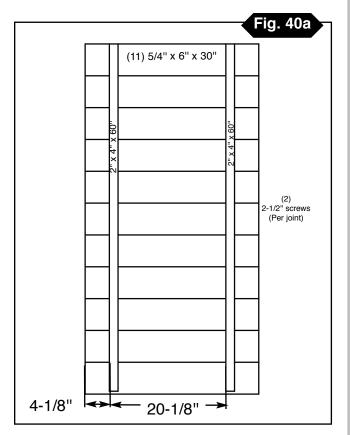


2-1/2" screw

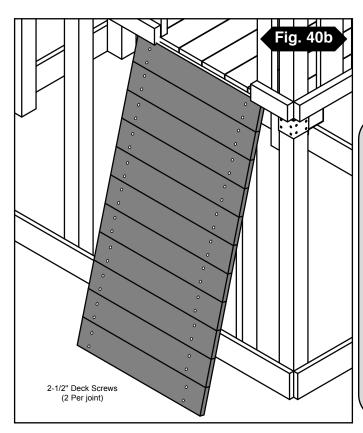
#### **A2.** Unit Modification cont.

(1) Install 2" x 4" frame and support as shown in (Fig. 39).









#### **NOTE:**

5' Climbing Rock Wall will require Min. 12 Climbing Rocks

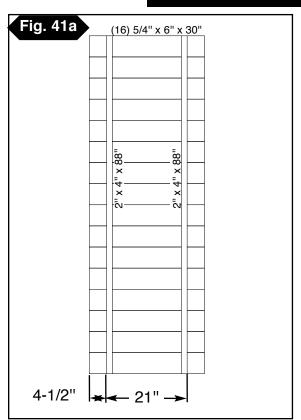
(3) Bags of NE 4543S Climbing Rocks.

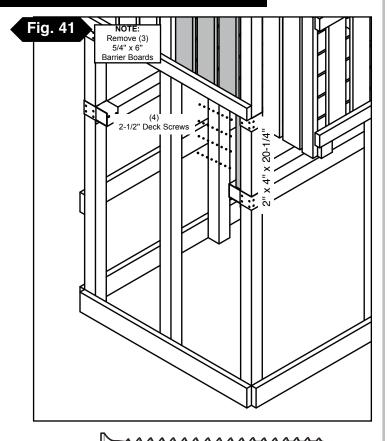
#### **Climbing Wall Lumber Cut List.**

- (1) 2x4x96 ----- (1) 2x4x59 (1) 2x4x15
- (1) 2x4x96 ----- (1) 2x4x59
- (1) 2x4x120 ---- (2) 2x4x60
- (3) 5/4x6x120 (4) 5/4x6x30
- 1. Assemble and install Climbing Wall Frame as shown in (Fig. 40), (Fig. 40a).
- **2.** Attach (11) 5/4" x6" boards to (2) 2" x 4" boards and install on unit as shown in **(Fig. 40b)**.
- **3.** Secure Rock Wall to unit using (3) 2-1/2" screws per side.

**Note:** Make sure the 2" x 4" supports do not interfere with the mounting of the climbing rocks.

### **BACK OPENING OPTION 2**





7' Climbing Rock Wall will require

16 Climbing Rocks

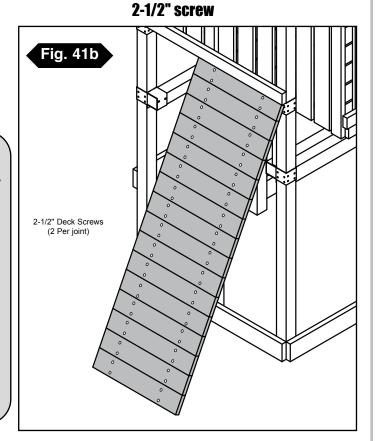
**NOTE:** 

(4) Bags of NE 4543S Climbing Rocks.

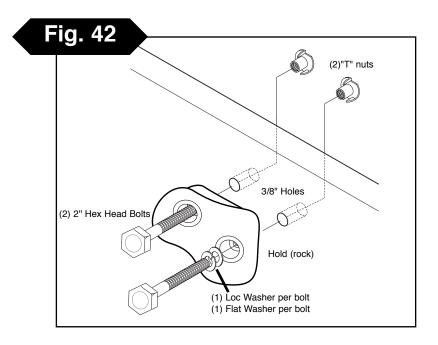
#### **Climbing Wall Lumber Cut List.**

- (1) 2x4x96 ----- (1) 2x4x88
- (1) 2x4x120 ----- (1) 2x4x88 (1) 2x4x20-1/4
- (4) 5/4x6x120 --- (4) 5/4x6x30
- Assemble and install Climbing Wall Frame as shown in (Fig. 41), (Fig. 41a).
- **2.** Attach (16) 5/4" x6" boards to (2) 2" x 4" boards and install on unit as shown in **(Fig. 41b)**.
- **3.** Secure Rock Wall to unit using (3) 2-1/2" screws per side.

**Note:** Make sure the 2" x 4" supports do not interfere with the mounting of the climbing rocks.

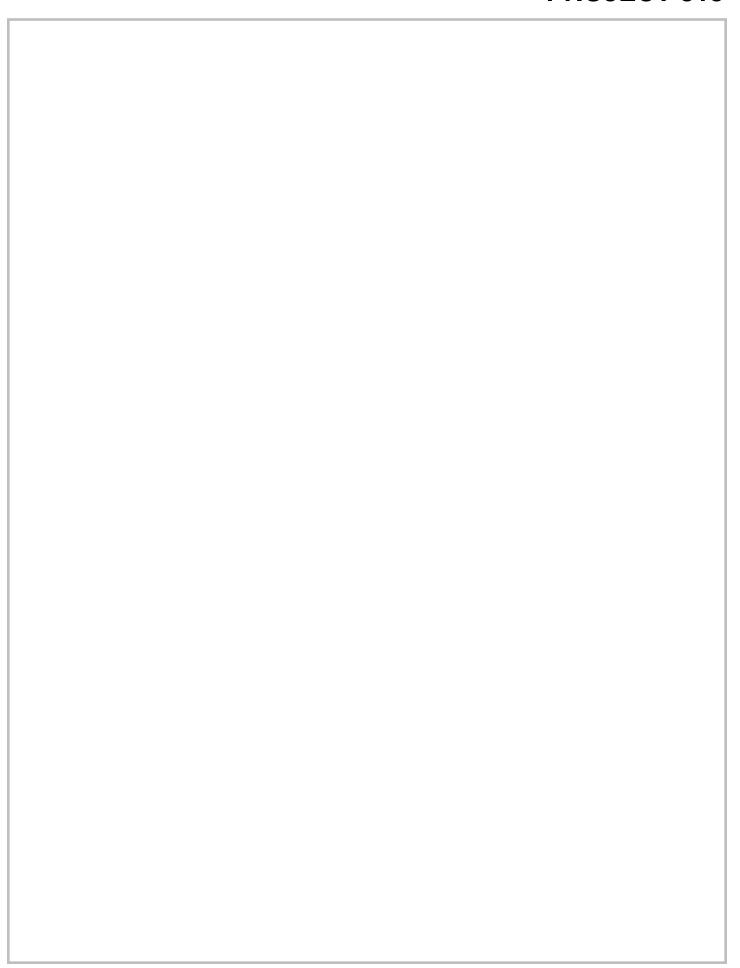


# Climbing Rock



#### **Climbing Rock Installation**

- 1. Mark locations of Climbing Rocks on the Climbing Wall in a pattern that will easily allow your child to climb to the deck. Make sure the bolt hole locations are clear of wall supports before drilling.
- **2.**Drill holes through the wall at the desired locations using a 3/8" drill bit. Install Climbing Rocks as shown in **(Fig. 42)**.
- **3.** Make sure the Climbing Wall and Climbing Rock connections are secure before allowing any children to play on the Climbing Wall.





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