

Continuing to quietly produce neat, quality, value-for-money tents for family campers

ESIDES SOME nice tweaks on existing tents, this year sees SunnCamp introduce 16 new models and two new trailer tents to its stable. The new tents continue to confirm that this is a manufacturer worthy of consideration when parting with your cash.

If you are in the market for a large family tent on a budget why not check out the **Mercury 1000**? This ten-berth comes in at just £386 – not bad for a vis-à-vis tunnel tent. Front and back entrances coupled with two large vinyl windows brighten the large living area.

For a little extra comfort you could go for the £430 **Constellation 800**. Two bedrooms sleep six – the larger one can be divided by a privacy curtain. The extra two-berth guest bedroom can be removed for additional living space. Large vinyl windows provide plenty of light. Both tents have sewn-in groundsheets and fibreglass poles.

Both the Mercury and Constellation have an optional side extension in the shape of the £118 **Verano DL Extension.** Need more room? Well, an extra £100 will also get you a large front sun canopy extension for the **Constellation 800**.

For stability the new six-berth £446 **Victory 600** has steel risers with fibreglass poles for the roof. Each pair of riser poles crosses for additional support. It features a huge sunporch for sheltered relaxation, or for the kitchen unit.

Following trends, SunnCamp has introduced some really neat tourers. First is the four-berth £125 **Cairn 400 DL** – a simple three-pole tunnel with a single sleeping compartment to the rear. More eye-catching is the £206 **Evolution 400 DL** – an extended version of the popular **400**, and continuing that quirky style much loved here in the office.

Fans of the spacious cabin style will love the new **Elan 400** (£292) and **200** (£228). Steel and fibreglass poles make pitching easy – especially as the outer poles follow the new trend of connecting to the next poles in line rather than descending to the bottom of the tent. The 400 is a small family vis-à-vis while the 200 caters for the touring couple. Huge windows capture the sun as well as view, but the two side doors work well with the vents to keep the air flowing. Headroom is good throughout.

The popular **Shadow** 600 and 800 is joined by the smaller £205 vis-à-vis 400 that should prove perfect for weekend jaunts away with friends. If cash is tight you might want to look at the £164 **Silhouette** 400. Yes, it is smaller, but it uses steel and fibreglass poles so it should prove stable in more inclement conditions.

Such good value continues with the £240 Invader 400 – a four-berth, four-pole tunnel that has the sleeping compartment to the rear – and the £158 Kuro 500. This huge five-berth three-pole tunnel provides

superb value for money – especially if you throw in the optional sun canopy to increase useable space.

SunnCamp reports tremendous success with its trailer tents in 2009 – and for the first time it has sold out of stock on many of its models. New for 2010 are two models. Both have an SE version that includes a DeLuxe Kitchen with two burners, grill, stainless steel sink, storage and a split section worktop. And, of course, the bedrooms sit off the ground and come with mattresses.

The popular Holiday 4005/SE that features two large two-berth bedrooms and detachable awning, can now also be purchased in hard-wearing acrylic (S/SE £2,445 and £3,080 respectively). Then you have the four-berth Holiday 5505/SE (£2,600/£3,230) with its attractive curved 5.5m detachable awning. Buy the optional Under Bed Tents for beneath the bed boards if you want additional bedroom space or storage. Jockey wheel and spare included in the price.

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