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Bridge question

Cory T · Sep 17, 2019



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Active Member

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Messages: 189

Sep 17, 2019

#1

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New Member

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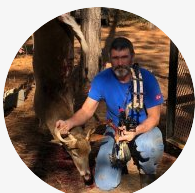
Messages: 4

Location: Michigan

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#2

I tied a whoopie sling as my bridge and so it makes it adjustable length or tight eyes on my d-loops if it's pulled tight



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#3

took 550 paracord and tied my bridge to d-loop in place where it cant slide to the middle where it wants to sit. to me it sits better if it at the bottom of the loop.

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Crüzr v. Tethrd

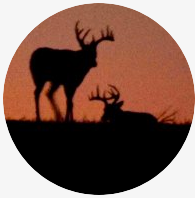
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**Allegheny Tom**

Well-Known Member

SH Member

Joined: Feb 4, 2018

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Location:
Western Pennsylvania

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🔗 #4

Cory T said: ↑

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I see the Flex bridge uses a tri slide. I assume that it was tested.

I wonder where Aerohunter sources those slides??

**drew13**

Well-Known Member

Joined: Sep 11, 2014

Messages: 1,111

Location: Maine

Sep 18, 2019

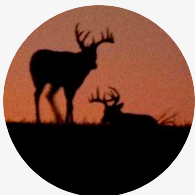
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🔗 #6

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#7

I like the fishermans knot for this application because its easily loosened an repositioned if needed. I'm no expert by any stretch of the imagination I was wandering if anyone has any concerns using this knot? I do really like my webbing bridge though. Maybe I'll consider tri glides.



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#8

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Before I changed too a fixed length amsteel bridge, I was using an adjustable Samson predator bridge with a prusick tied to the saddle with a double fisherman's knot. Worked great



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#9

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If you find a source for good, rated tri-glides please let me know! Thanks.

👍 Allegheny Tom

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#10

I guess what I'm asking is does anyone see an issue with tying my bridge on both loops with a fishermans knot?

 **Blacksmith****Blacksmith**

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SH Member

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#11

I Use a Web Bridge W/ Water Knots on Both Sides. Works Great and Easy to Un Do and Move.

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