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Recall Notice

Recall #TS-0042 : Trailer Winch Strap Routing

Condition: The current winch stand configuration may lead to potential fraying of the strap

Models Affected: 2024 and 2025 Topper Trailers

Time Allowed: 15 Minutes


Recall Information

DESCRIPTION OF CONCERN:
Winch strap could fray when pulled tight if it contacts the forward bunk assembly crossbar.

REQUIRED PART NUMBER:
374140 KIT, TRAILER ROLLER

CORRECTIVE ACTION:
Please perform the correction as per attached instructions. Once completed, file a claim for parts and labor. Please contact your regional warranty coordinator with any questions. Once the recall correction has been completed, the trailer can be released for sale.

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Tracker Topper™ Trailer 374140 KIT, TRAILER ROLLER INSTALL

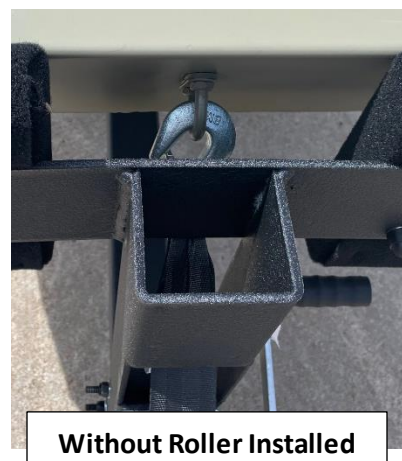
Purpose: This document is intended to guide dealers on the essential modifications needed to install a 3-inch roller into the existing winch stand. The current winch stand configuration may lead to potential fraying of the strap as it comes into contact with the metal crossbar of the forward bunk assembly. This contact could result in fraying of the winch strap when it is pulled tight.

Installation Time: (15 minutes)


Models Affected:

Brand	Model
Tracker	Grizzly 10 Jon w/ 12' 6" single-axle trailer
Tracker	Grizzly 12 Jon w/ 12' 6" single-axle trailer
Tracker	Grizzly 14 Jon w/ 12' 6" single-axle trailer
Tracker	Grizzly 15 Jon w/ 12' 6" single-axle trailer

Current State: Assess the current condition of the winch stand to confirm that it has not undergone any modifications, such as the addition of a 3-inch strap roller. During this assessment, it is crucial to inspect the condition of the existing winch strap. Verify that there are no signs of fraying or damage to the strap. If any damage is detected, kindly request a replacement.



Without Roller Installed

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Alterations: Installation of a 3-inch roller allows the strap to be deflected from touching the metal. This requires dealers to drill two 7/16" holes in the winch stand, installing a bolt, washers, nut and roller.

Parts Kit Required: 374140 KIT, TRAILER ROLLER

Description	QTY
ROLLER, W/S, BLK, PL	1
SCREW, HXCAP, 3/8-16X4.5 GR5, CTD	1
NUT, NYLOCK, CTD, 3/8-16, BLK	1
WASHER, FLAT, 3/8, SAE, BZ	2

Tools Required:


Description
Power Drill
9/16" Socket
9/16" Wrench
7/16" Drill Bit
Tape
Hole template
Grease pencil



Installation Steps:

Step 1: Remove the lower two lag screws from the winch stand bunk boards and rotate boards 90 degrees as shown.



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Step 2: Overlay the template provided on page (4) to mark the hole locations with a grease pencil.


Step 3: Drill the two 7/16" holes in the winch stand.



Step 4: Place a flat washer onto the 3/8" bolt and insert it through the first drilled hole on the winch stand. Simultaneously, slide the 3-inch roller between the two holes, ensuring the bolt passes through until it emerges from the other side.

Step 5: Attach a flat washer and nut onto the 3/8" bolt and securely fasten the nut.



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Step 6: Extend the winch strap and connect it to the bow eye of the vessel. Use the winch handle to tighten the vessel against the bow stops. Verify that the winch strap moves smoothly over the newly installed roller without any issues. Ensure that the roller spins freely.

Roller Hole Placement Template

