SHELTER SET / MEASURED OUTDOOR PLANNING

Canopy site & space record

Use the actual ground footprint. A roof-size label may describe a different rectangle.

Activity, date, venue, and person responsible

Available site rectangle / units

Furniture layout with chairs and lids open

Actual ground footprint of the exact model

Anchoring positions and required installation zone

Lowest entry height and overhead obstructions

Clear route to a suitable weather retreat

Planning formula: footprint + twice your chosen margin on each axis

Your margin is an assumption, not a required clearance or anchoring prescription.

Equipment & event decisions

Complete these checks with the manufacturer, property owner, or professional supplier.

Exact make, model, manual, and approved accessories

Helper requirements and lifting arrangements

Vehicle opening, packed dimensions, and storage route

Anchoring arrangement approved for this surface

Venue permissions, documentation, and access requirements

Weather limits and the person monitoring conditions

Retreat destination and how everyone will reach it

Drying space, cleaning instructions, and replacement parts

Decision: buy / rent with installation / another covered-space project

Open canopies are not a safe refuge from lightning. Keep grills and flames outside.

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