

## **Assembly & Care for pine tables and benches**

### **PLEASE READ IN FULL BEFORE COMMENCING ASSEMBLY**

These products are very heavy. Two people are required for assembly and moving.

### **Product Information**

Your furniture is manufactured using FSC Pine from Europe. This is treated with preservative to protect against decay, giving a lifespan in excess of ten years. Under normal circumstances Pine cracks; this is due to its natural characteristics and will not compromise the strength of your furniture, which is designed with this in mind. Pine is prone to weather staining/blackening caused by moisture activating mould spores present naturally in the wood. We strongly recommend a twice yearly application of a water repellent preservative such as Cuprinol to protect against fungal attack and blackening of the wood. Please note: The timber must be completely dry before the application of any treatment.

### **Maintenance**

Your furniture can be cleaned using soapy water and a stiff brush. More severe stains such as spillages, bird droppings, mildew etc, including the weather staining and blackening mentioned above, can be removed using Alexander Rose Cleaner or sanding using a medium grit sand paper. Lifting grain or cracks can be glued using a waterproof adhesive suitable for timber. Clamping may be necessary with excess glue being removed with a damp cloth. The area should be sanded once the glue is dry.

### **Important Safety Note**

This Picnic Table is VERY HEAVY and requires at least TWO PEOPLE for assembly and FOUR PEOPLE when moving. Dragging your table may cause damage to the legs. ALWAYS LIFT the table when moving.