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RORY'S SWING SEATS



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I. DESCRIPTION

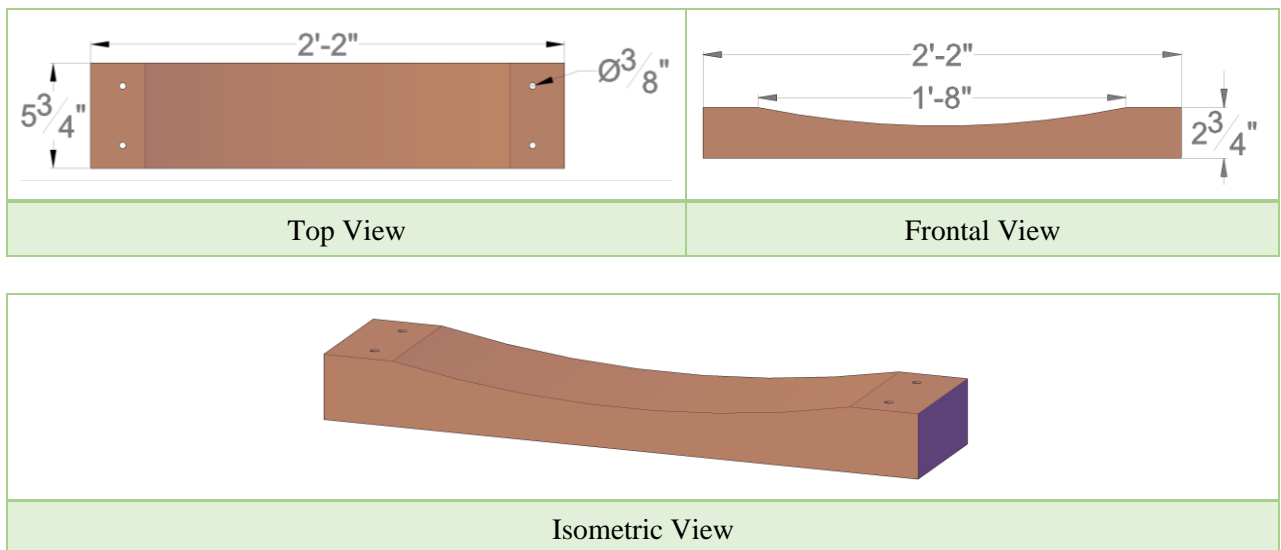
Create your own swing with a real 100% wooden swing seat.

- **Design:** Rory's swing seat is designed to be used with ¾" or 1" diameter rope (available at any hardware store).
- **Quality:** Natural weather resistant Redwood seats can be purchased with ¾" or 1" hole to match the size of your rope.
- **Customize:** Option to purchase all or part of the hanging hardware and choice of sealant is available under More Options.

II. SPECIFICATIONS

A. Dimensions & Drawings

Rory's Kid's Playground Swing is sized for children ages four to nine, while the rest of the swings can be enjoyed by adults and children alike. Rory's Big Playground Swing has 3" x 3" timber framing and a 2 ¾" x 5 ½" main timber, while the beefier Rory's Grande Playground Swing is a few inches wider with 4" x 4" timber framing and a thicker main timber. The Big swing is rated for up to 500 total lbs. for 2 swingers and the Grande is rated for up to 650 total lbs for large swingers! Also, check out Rory's Giant 3-Person Swing for the ultimate swinging experience!



Swing Size	Ground Footprint L x W	Total Height	Main Timber L x W x H	Framing (full dimension)	Approx. Weight	Capacity
Small Kid's	7' 2" X 5' 6"	6'	7' 2" X 1 7/8" X 5 1/2"	3" X 3"	160 lbs.	350 lbs.
Big	10' 8" X 8'	9'	10' 8" X 2 3/4" X 5 1/2"	3" X 3"	250 lbs.	500 lbs.
Grande	11' X 9'	9'	11' X 3 3/4" X 5 1/2"	4" X 4"	300 lbs.	650 lbs.
Giant	15' 1" X 12' 6"	12'	17' X 5 1/2" X 5 1/2"	4" X 4"	420 lbs.	800 lbs.

Rory's Swing Seat Dimensions

3" thick x 2' 2" long x 5 3/4" wide. The seat has a 22 1/2" wide seating capacity (inside the eyebolts or holes). Capacity is 400 lbs. However, ultimate weight bearing capacity will depend on what you use to attach the seat (e.g., rope, chain, etc.) and what you attach it to (e.g., a tree or beam). The hanging hardware is 4"L x 2 1/4"W x 2"H.

Some customers ask us about not having to touch the chain with their hands. If you don't want to touch the chain, the easiest solution is to order the seat without chain and instead buy high quality manila rope from your local hardware store or online. If you like the idea of using chain, you can slide a plastic sleeve over the chain (at least the bottom 2 feet or so which will be touched regularly). Any hardware store has plastic tubing that can be cut to slide the chain into. If you have a large diameter old garden hose, which will do the trick also.

Toddler/Small Kid's Swing Seat Dimensions

The Toddler/Small Kid's Swing Seat is recommended for ages 6 months to 3 years old. It is 15 1/2"W x 13"D x 8 1/2"H to top of front safe

Our swings are so massive that they do not need to be secured to the ground. The only thing we recommend is that you add a few inches of gravel underneath each of the four post corners so that the posts won't settle into the ground.

B. Hanging Hardware

Our Chain Hanging hardware is similar to the Swing hanging hardware at Playgrounds. The pivoting steel moves with the swinging motion. We use 1/4-inch-thick steel plate construction.

We ship springs with each swing set. The springs allow the seat to give just a bit and is a favorite of many customers. The springs are easily added and removed depending on whether you like the softness it adds to the ride.



All Stainless Steel Hanging Hardware to attach to beam. (pivoting steel hangers, chain, seat eyebolts, springs & quick links). When you make an order please write in height and diagonal width of your beam in comment section



All Stainless Steel Hanging Hardware to attach to tree (Branch chain loop, chain, seat eyebolts, springs & quick links) plus chain loop with protective plastic hosing for tree branch installation. When you make an order please write in height and diameter of tree branch in comment section

We ship 1/4" thick stainless steel chain assuming your beam or tree branch is 10 ft. off the ground. If you need more chain because your beam or branch is more than 10 ft. off the ground, please make a note in the comment section at checkout. There is an additional charge for extra chain. If your beam or branch is less than 10 ft. off the ground, please let us know the distance so we do not send extra chain unnecessarily. Thank you.

C. Tree Swings

If you have a big, beautiful tree from which you'd like to hang a swing, check out our Rory's Tree Swing option. This comes with all necessary hardware to attach a swing to your tree, including the seat, eyebolts, chain, and chain loops to go around the tree limb. We recommend you use an old garden hose to wrap around the tree limb. Slice it open lengthwise and place the chain in it. Don't wrap the chain tightly around the tree limb. Give the limb some growing room. Our standard length of chain is 10 ft., plus 3 ft. for the loops. But let us know at checkout if you need more or less, and we'll be glad to send you exactly the length you need.

D. Money Saving Options

There are 2 ways to buy a Swing Seat without spending much:

1. **Go with Rope instead of steel chain to hang the swing.** Order the swing seat alone with holes for a rope (total of 4 holes). You have the option of 1/2", 3/4" or 1" diameter holes. The wider the rope, the more comfortable it is to hold and the longer lasting. Good rope is available at most hardware stores or online. Figure out the rope size you want and order the swing seat with the same diameter holes. Just make one or two knots under the seat to hold the rope in place.
2. **If you prefer steel, don't buy the hardware in Stainless Steel.** Our Swing chains and hardware are made of 100% stainless steel to avoid rust or stain issues. To save \$, you can buy standard steel chain (1/4") and hardware at your local hardware store for a fraction of the cost. Order the seat alone and your local hardware store can provide the chain, eyebolts (set of 4 - 3/8" x 6") and the fasteners (set of 4 clasps) to tie the chain and eyebolts together.

E. Finish Options

All our furniture ships finely sanded to 220 grit for a smooth to the touch finish.

The most popular finish is our Transparent Premium Sealant. This sealant leaves your furniture looking natural and helps keep the beautiful wood surface colors from fading for several years. We use Sickens brand finishes because they are the best finishes on the market. For more information about our finishes and how to keep your furniture looking great year after year, please go to: [Care & Finish](#).

Unfinished (fine sanding only):

If you are applying your own stain or want the surface color to fade to a "weathered look" in a few months. We do not recommend you leave your furniture unfinished outdoors for any extended period regardless of wood quality. Outdoor weather changes constantly and it is best to at least seal the wood to protect it from consistently absorbing and losing moisture.

Transparent Premium Sealant - Recommended for Outdoors:

Below are the 5 grades of wood we offer with the Transparent Premium Sealant applied. The color tones shown are close representations of the color your furniture will look like. There is no extra charge for the Transparent Premium Sealant:

				
Douglas Fir (10 yr. Warranty)	Mosaic Eco-Wood (10 yr. Warranty)	Redwood (15 yr. Warranty)	Mature Redwood (20 yr. Warranty)	Old Growth Redwood (30 yr. Warranty)

We also offer the Transparent Premium Sealant with the following stains. There is a small charge for adding these stains because it increases the total amount of coats to 4 with the sealant as the final coats:



Here is the Coffee Stain looks like on Redwood.



Here is the Cherry Stain looks like on Redwood.

Tiger Stripe Effect

Douglas-Fir when stained dark creates a "tiger stripe" effect as shown in this photo. It is beautiful and most customers love it. If you are looking for a dark consistent stain and do not want to see a "tiger stripe effect", please go with any of the Redwood grades for a more consistent stain finish.



Tiger Stripe Effect

Primers

- **Off-White Oil-Based Primer:** If you are painting a light color. We apply two coats so that it is ready for one final coat.
- **Gray Oil-Based Primer:** If you are painting a darker color. We apply two coats so that it is ready for the final coat.

Custom Paints

Custom Paint Finish (go to BenjaminMoore.com):

Have Forever Redwood paint your order any color you like. We prefer to use Benjamin Moore paints because they make excellent quality products and offer a huge selection of paints and colors to choose from.



Modern Louvered Pergola – Black Stain



Benjamin Moore: Black Stain, 2131-10

First select the type of paint you want: Benjaminmoore.com

Then click the colors tab and choose from the almost endless amount of colors offered.

Just select the Custom Paint finish option and in the Comment box enter the type of paint and the name and number of the color you would like. We will confirm your custom paint request within 24 hours of receiving your order and we will order the paint for you and apply per the specified directions. You only need to let us know the type of paint and the color name and number and we will do the rest.

III. ASSEMBLY & CARE

The **Rory's Swing Seats** ship fully assembled. Just unpack and enjoy.

All You Need is a Few Tools and a Friend.

Assembly is best done by two people and usually takes about half a day to a day, depending on size. Pergolas need a ratchet wrench, a hammer and a ladder to put them together. In some cases, you might need a drill to attach the posts into concrete. As with all our products, we preassemble pergolas in our shop to ensure everything fits together. All hardware is included and all parts are clearly labeled before it is shipped. We also include detailed step-by-step instructions.

Take a look at our assembly instructions below for specific details. If you plan to pour concrete to hold the posts, the project will require an additional half day prior to assembly. Please do the concrete pour a few days prior to assembly to allow the concrete to cure.

Installation Help.

Special talent is not required to re-assemble our pergolas. But, if you would like help, [just let us know](#). We have our own team for installations in California, Nevada and Southern Arizona and a network of local contractors we recommend for farther afield.

Care: Your Forever Redwood Furniture will last for decades in year-round weather without maintenance.

Depending on the wood grade you choose, even with harsh year-round outdoor conditions, you can expect your furniture to last from ten to forty years without maintenance of any kind.

Being outside year-round is rough on any woods finish. The surface absorbs UV rays, pollution, constant variations in moisture and temperature and it also oxidizes. This is why most wood just doesn't hold up and the surface color slowly changes towards a silver patina over the years. But, with Forever Redwood, you don't have to worry. The silver patina is surface deep only (less than 1/64") and is not indicative of decay. Your set will last decades and is not compromised in any way by the surface color change. For example, we keep our display items as is without refinishing to show off this natural aging (we like the patina!).

Although Forever Redwood is maintenance-free, we recommended you take a few minutes as needed to clean by either hosing down and/or brushing/dusting away accumulated debris (no soap or chemicals needed). If you'd like to keep your set looking its best for decades, please go to: [Care and Finish](#).

IV. MATERIALS

The secret to outdoor longevity begins and ends with the wood. We use generous amounts of the most decay resistant wood available. We encourage our customers to compare photos of our items side by side with any competing product. Thickness counts. Furniture that is thin and light simply won't last in the year round weather.

To keep your furniture beautiful, we use only stainless steel hardware and the highest quality stains and sealants. We use only the Sickens brand of sealants.

Our primary customer has always been the homeowner that appreciates spending a bit more for quality that will last decades.

Our products are installed with organizations that appreciate longevity like the U.S. Forest Service, U.S. military installations, State and City parks, golf clubs and hotels.

We are favored by many landscape architects and contractors because they can count on exceptional quality and quick personal service to complete projects.

We build each item by hand. This insures your set is finely finished and carefully inspected. Old-fashioned hand building also allows us to adjust the size or design of any item to fit your needs.

Because we are a forestry company, we can offer 5 exceptional wood grades to choose from our carefully managed forests with warranties of up to 30 years against decay in any weather. [Click for more about our 5 wood grades.](#)

V. WARRANTY

Wood decay is warrantied up to 30 years depending on the wood grade. No other outdoor furniture manufacturer has warranties like this. The key is the excellent quality of our wood and the extra-thick timber designs of all our pieces.

Wood Grades and Decay Warranty:

- Douglas-fir: 10 years
- Mosaic Eco-Wood: 10 years
- Redwood: 15 years
- Mature Redwood: 20 years
- Old-Growth Redwood: 30 years

Forever Redwood stands behind its products. We are committed to quickly resolving any issues that might occur. For more information please see our [Warranty](#) page.

VI. SHIPPING

We offer 4 Shipping Options in the U.S.:

- Rush Shipping (ships in 3 weeks).
- Priority Shipping (ships in 6 weeks).
- Standard Shipping (ships in 10 weeks).
- Free Shipping in the Continental U.S. (ships in 14 weeks).

Notes for Orders requiring drawings or approvals:

All Shade Structure orders (Pergolas, Pavilions, Gazebos and Arbors) require drawings to make sure all details are agreed upon prior to building and to give our customers the ability to customize their structures to meet their needs. We also sometimes make custom changes to Swings, Planters, Benches, Tables and other standard production items per customer requests. If your order has a custom detail or is a shade structure, you will receive your first drawings via email within 5 business days of receiving your completed order with a deposit.

We will go back and forth with you as needed to fine tune the design to your liking prior to building it. Once you sign off on your drawings, your timeline for shipping will begin. Please keep this in mind. If you need a Rush Order and also drawings, it is best you call in your order so that we can organize ourselves to both complete your drawings on an expedited basis and meet your shipping deadline.

Yes, you can have free shipping plus save 3% off your order! We carefully hand build each Forever Redwood item. When you choose a longer ship out date, you give us more time to build. This lowers our cost and we pass the savings to you. If you choose the Wait & Save Shipping option and prefer, we ship out on a specific date (up to 6 months in advance), just enter the date in the Comment Box at Checkout. If no note is included, we'll ship in 3 months.

Orders ship from San Diego, CA. Add 3 to 6 business days transit time (depending on location).

We ship to any country. Canada orders ship in 6 weeks. To see Canadian shipping costs, just add item to cart.

For orders outside the U.S. or Canada, just enter your country in the shipping information section at checkout or in the shopping cart to see your freight cost. We ship outside the U.S. or Canada in 6 weeks. For all international shipments, the shipping companies handle any customs paperwork and then contact you to arrange delivery.

Assembly Service Available Nationwide: All orders over \$3,000. in size can choose to have Forever Redwood assemble for you. Just choose White Glove Service in the Shopping Cart or at Checkout. For more information on White Glove, please go to: [WHITE GLOVE COMPLETE ASSEMBLY SERVICE](#)



If your artistically inclined, the crating makes a great canvas to:
Lion of the Tribe of Juda by Patricia Vallejo



Some of the ugly guys from our install crew that will scare your children when they come install your order!