

## M501 ANCHOR BASE SET WELDED STANCHION

## **Features:**

- Heavy gauge rubber cover over high-density foam interior
- Rustproof bolted stanchion pan
- Welded Stanchion
- 3 bases
- 3 hinged ground anchors
- 15" x 15" x 3"

## **PLEASE NOTE:**

Ground anchors must be installed as explained below. If ground anchors are not installed as instructed the chances of serious injury are increased and base life may be reduced.



## **Instructions:**

Great for use in recreational or competitive leagues, the Champion Sports Pro Anchored Base Set with Welded Stanchion is sure to provide any baseball diamond with top-of-the-line bases.

- 1. Locate the base paths and lay out the field.
- 2. Install or mark position of home plate to first and third bases. Square bases with center line of field running from home plate through the center of the pitcher's rubber.
- 3. Measure the proper distance from first and third bases to second base. Straight lines of the proper length measured from each base will meet at the proper location for second base. This location should be in line with an extension of the straight line from home plate through the center of the pitcher's rubber.
- 4. Dig a 12" x 12" hole, 9" deep at each base location.
- 5. Drive a 1.5" square wooden stake into the center of hole. This stake should be 6.75" inside each of the two base lines at the point of intersection. A level or a plumb bob should be used to check this. (The stake will be removed later).
- 6. Slide ground anchor over the stake with the anchor extensions at the bottom. Press the anchor into the soil until top is one inch below the ground level of the area surrounding the base.
- 7. Put a small amount of soil around the steel anchor to prevent concrete from coming in contact with the wooden stake.
- 8. Pour concrete into hole to within 2" of top of steel anchor. Insert rubber ground anchor plug in top of steel anchor to prevent soil from entering.
- 9. When concrete has hardened completely, remove the wooden stake and fill hole to ground level with soil. The top of rubber plug should protrude enough to be visible.
- 10. When you are ready to install bases remove the rubber plug and any dirt which may have fallen into the steel anchor. When the base is inserted be certain that the bottom of the base is resting solidly on the ground. If it is not, dirt must be removed from the steel anchor.

