How to Install a Poly-Cap Fence Topper

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In this detailed installation guide, we'll walk you through how to install a poly-cap fence topper using a poly-cap installation tool, (also known as a zipper tool). Using this tool can save you time and energy on the tedious process of installing a fence topper.

Why Use a Poly-Cap Baseball Fence Topper?

For baseball and softball facilities that typically use chain link fence as a boundary, a fence topper is a great way to improve the field appearance and increase safety measures. In fast paced games, the sharp or protruding edges can be hazardous in the event of a collision. Adding a barrier such as a fence topper significantly reduces the risk of injury.

What is the Poly-Cap Fence Topper Installation Tool?

Commonly known as the zipper tool, the poly-cap fence topper installation tool is designed to make setting up a fence topper easy and efficient. Poly-cap toppers are long plastic tubes that snap on top of the chain link fence, which can be a very slow process without the tool. It works by prying open the fence topper as you slide it along the rail. When used correctly, the zipper tool guides the cap into place with minimal effort.

Tips For An Easy Installation Process

- **Work with a partner:** Have one person pull the tool while the other feeds the fence topper.
- **Wait for warm weather:** The poly-cap topper will be more flexible in warmer conditions.
- **Wear gloves:** Though not required, gloves will protect your hands from rough edges of the fence.
- **Take care of the tool:** Store the tool in a dry place after use and keep it clean for better results.

Step-By-Step: How to Use the Poly-Cap Fence Topper Installation Tool

1. Prepare the Fence
Completely unroll the poly-cap fence topper so it is laying along the base of the fence. Be sure the top rail of the fence does not have sharp edges or damage.

2. Start the Installation
Start by manually opening a few inches of the poly-cap fence topper and place it onto the top of the fence.

3. Insert the Installation Tool
Take the zipper tool and place the curved or notched end into the open poly-cap fence topper channel. The curved edge should be facing the direction which you will be pulling.

4. “Zip” the Cap Along the Fence Line
Pull the tool along the top rail while allowing it to guide and open the poly-cap fence topper as you go.

5. Feed the Poly-Cap as You Go
Continue to feed the fence topper onto the fence as you move along the fence line. Utilize a second person to guide it for a faster process.

6. Finish the Fence Run
Once you reach the end of the fence or run out of your line of poly-cap, manually snap the last few inches into place. Trim the fence topper as needed.

Where Do I Find the Topper and Installation Tool?

Baseballfencetopper.com carries all the tools and materials you may need for adding a topper to a baseball fence. If you have any questions about what you need for your facility, don’t hesitate to contact us!

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