

Relative Workshop Inc., 1050 Flight Line,  
Deland, Florida 32720 USA.

Dear Sir

We would like to issue a recall of certain plastic reserve ripcords shipped with Wonderhogs during the first few months of 1979. We will replace the ripcords with ones with metal handles at no charge to the owner. The type we are recalling is made of tan nylon, has a round cross section and a smooth finish. The ripcord cable passes through a post that has the same diameter as the rest of the handle.

Wonderhogs were also shipped with a different type of plastic handle which is not suspected of being inadequate, as per enclosed diagram.

Wonderhog owners that have the type of ripcord being recalled should send the entire ripcord to the Relative Workshop together with the following information: the name and mailing address of the owner; the serial number and date of manufacture of the rig (this information is on the TSO tag that is tucked behind the back pad at the top of the container); the name of the person from whom the rig was purchased, and whether the rig was purchased new or used.

For Wonderhog owners who are not able to supply the above information, or obtained plastic handles from another source, such as blast handle conversions, we will provide replacement ripcords with a metal handle for five dollars, if they return the old ripcord.

We have issued this recall after learning of failures of two plastic handles in the air. The failures did not involve Wonderhogs, but we feel it may be a possibility, and in the interest of safety, we would appreciate your printing this information in Sport Parachutist.

Sincerely yours

Larry M Riddle, Master Rigger

