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GRUNDENS USA INTRODUCES NEW GAGE TECHNICAL GEAR BAGS

Gage Shackelton Duffel Bag and Rumrunner Backpack Provide Rugged,
Fully Waterproof Protection for All Your Gear and Adventures

Grundens USA has added two new products to its recently launched Gage Technical Gear Line — the Shackelton Duffel and Rumrunner Backpack. These rugged, waterproof bags are built to the same tough standards that have made Grundens the choice of Bering Sea crab fishermen and professional mariners worldwide.

Designed for waterproof protection under extreme conditions, new Gage duffel bags and backpacks are like foul weather gear — *for your gear*. Crafted from 500 Denier PVC Tarpaulin Fabric with 100-percent RF welded seams and roll-top closures, these packs will keep clothing, electronics and other gear dry and protected on any adventure — from high-seas voyages to backcountry camping to trekking the misty jungles of Costa Rica.

With its cavernous 105-liter capacity, the Shackelton Duffel can stow a wide variety of items. It will easily hold all the clothes you'll need for a multi-day cruise, float trip or backwoods excursion. With its three-fold roll-top closure to ensure a waterproof seal, the Shackelton Duffel is also a great “dry bag” for whitewater rafting adventures.

The Shackelton Duffel's innovative design includes sturdy padded backpack straps that hide in a zippered compartment in the bag's bottom panel when not in use. With its heavy-duty carrying straps and backpack option, this pack is a versatile way to transport and protect vital equipment like cameras, GPS units, marine electronics and more.

The new 30-liter Gage Rumrunner Backpack is ideally sized for transporting clothing and gear on your back — whether it's onto a waiting boat or a distant campsite at the end of a rainy mountain trail. Like the Gage duffel bag, the Rumrunner Backpack features a roll-top closure for a waterproof seal. This unique pack features a moisture wicking back panel for increased comfort during long treks and strenuous activities. In addition to its large main compartment, the Rumrunner features a convenient front mesh pocket with retention straps, two water bottle pockets and neoprene shoulder strap pockets.

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The new Gage Shackelton Duffel carries a manufacturer's suggested retail price of \$97; the Gage Rumrunner Backpack retails for \$73.50. Both are available through authorized Grundens USA retailers nationwide.

To learn more about the new Gage Shackelton Duffel and Rumrunner Backpack— or the full line of new Gage Technical Gear apparel and accessories— contact Grundens USA toll-free at 800.323.7327 or visit **www.Grundens.com**.

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