**Thermacell ThermaScent Unit**

If you’ve spent much time in the woods when mosquitoes are thick, odds are you’ve used a Thermacell unit. If you haven’t, you need to. It’s the most effective mosquito-repellant you’ll find. Now, the company has branched out a bit. The ThermaScent unit uses the basic Thermacell unit, which features a butane-fired heating element and added a special bracket to hold a scent pad. You simply add your scent of choice to the pad, turn on the unit and the warm air helps disperse the scent. For those who like to use deer lures and scents, this little unit makes a lot of sense.

[www.thermacell.com](http://www.thermacell.com)

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**Nikon Slug Hunter Scope**

A year ago, Nikon unveiled a scope specifically designed for muzzleloaders that compensated for bullet trajectory at varying yardages. The scope helped make average shooters into good shooters. Now, the technology has been applied to a scope that’s designed especially for slug guns. Designed around Nikon’s patented BDC (Bullet Drop Compensating) reticle system this new scope promises to make long shots much simpler for slug gunners. The scope is engineered specifically for rifled slug guns and the BDC reticle provides simple aiming points for various shot distances. It’s calibrated to be sighted in on the crosshair at 50 yards, and then has two ballistic circles that represent the 100-yard and 150-yard aiming points. There’s even a 200-yard post for guns capable of such accuracy.

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**Family Tradition Treestands HOL-20 Ladder System**

Family Tradition Treestands, a Michigan manufacturer best known for its ladder stands is now offering a ladder system for use with portable, lock-on style stands. Unlike other climbing sticks, this ladder features a full step system that’s stable and safe with 8-inch wide rungs. It’s a full 20-feet in height and is made of high-strength steel. The ladder comes in five 4-foot sections and attaches to the tree using ratchets with an 800-pound working load. The ladder system weighs 29 pounds and can accommodate hunters up to 300 pounds.

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