

**OK, let's review what equipment I am using. These were my personal choices. There are NUMEROUS other configurations that work. It is up to you what you use.**

**SCOPE - Redfield Rampage 20x-60x scope.** Any scope will do, but you get what you pay for. The rampage is nice, in that it is clear optics, AND a smooth adjusting wheel to zoom in, and it is easily accessed.

**Mount for Camera/Phone - Orion SteadyPix Pro Universal Camera SmartPhone mount.** This device mounts onto the eyepiece of the spotting scope, and it can mount either a small point-and-shoot camera, OR a smartphone. It has horizontal and vertical adjustment screws to correctly align the camera lens to the spotting scope eyepiece.

**Tripod - Vanguard Alta Ca 203AP tripod, with PH-33 Pan Head** The advantage of this tripod is it is not expensive, and it has horizontal and vertical swivel adjusters for the mounted items, and it is NOT a pistol grip. My Pistol grip tripod was too difficult to adjust. Also, the small tripods that come with most spotting scopes are difficult to use in this application, and are not very stable.

With the above three items, plus your phone/camera, you can get started. But, read on, for the customization that I added.