Challenge: Johnson likes to check his reels in the flat position but doesn’t like getting down on the ground to do it.

Solution: Johnson cut a pair of two-inch square hole in his bench just under the top and inserted two-inch hollow metal tubing about 22” apart. Inside the first tubing is inserted a one and three-quarter piece of tubing that can slide out to become the platform the reel rests upon. Height and cut can easily be checked, and the inside tubes can easily be stowed under the bench when done.

If you or your Equipment Manager has any unique ideas, big or small, drop us a line and we will share it with your peers in the Mechanic’s Corner.

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