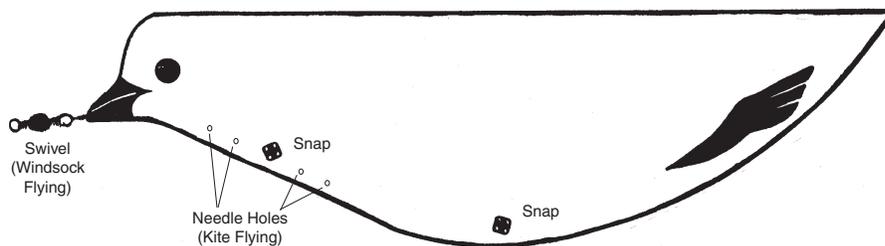


Jackite™ Dove of Peace and Love

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

Your **Jackite™** Dove is tough, constructed of Tyvek® and a solid fiberglass spar. It is water resistant and highly tear resistant, and will provide you with many hours of flying pleasure.

The **Jackite** Dove original was made for the 1996 Summer Olympic Games. The original artwork was drawn with gold and silver ink.



Peel tape along edge of head. Press together to form head.

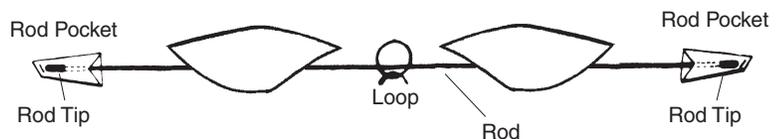
Snap together body.

Insert rod under rod holders and through ring.

Install rod ends in pockets.

Attach swivel through holes in beak.

Attach line to tip of pole.



STORAGE: Remove the rod. Unsnap body. Lay on flat surface, body side down. Roll up and store in tube.

DISPLAY: You may desire to share the beautiful design of the **Jackite** with others as a decoration for your home or office. It's a real conversation piece. Attach wire from the fore ring to the aft ring with a loop midpoint. Suspend by the loop. **ENJOY!**

LINE: Use 6-10 lb. test line.

POLE FLYING: Drive a stake into the ground and attach a 20' telescoping fishing pole or cane pole.

JACKITE TRAIN: Attach swivels to each end of a 3 foot line: attach a swivel to the aft ring of one kite and other swivel through the beak of the next line. It's fun to fly a pair.

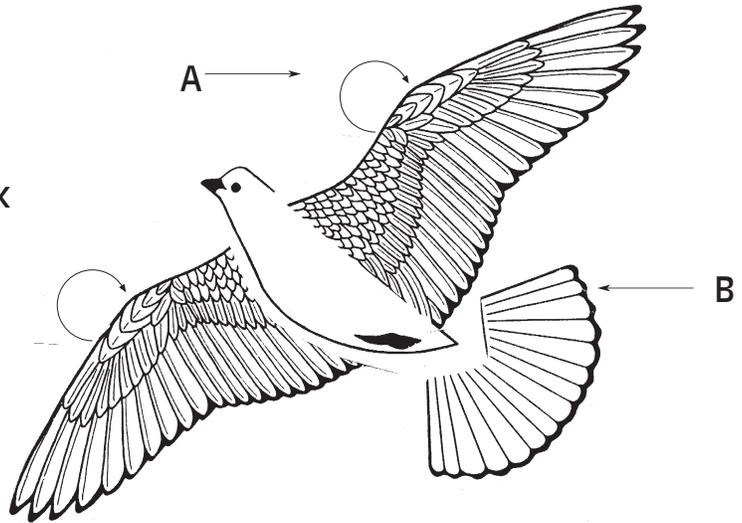
Flying Your *Jackite*[™] Dove

Your **Jackite**[™] was designed as a gentle-wind kite, but flies well in varying windspeeds.

Initial Flight

Your **Jackite** is formed by the wind:

- A. Leading edges of the wings fold back up and over the rod.
- B. Sides of tail diverge upward.
- C. Hollows form in wings.



Your **Jackite** Dove has to learn to fly. In a light wind, gently bend the leading edges of the wings (A) backward. In a strong wind, bend the leading edge of the wings backward hard. It is important that the bends are *uniform*, stabilizing the kite and flexing with the wind to correct positions of the kite. (Wet the wings with water.) Pole fly until the **Jackite** adjusts its wings to their proper attitude. Your **Jackite** is precision balanced and once the kite is formed by the wind, it will “remember” its shape.

Note: If you fly your **Jackite** in a very strong wind, it may be necessary to form it again. Remove the rod, and lay it flat on its back. Smooth the wings and tail with a damp cloth. Allow to dry. It will again form to a gentle wind.

Kite Flying

An exciting way to fly your Jackite is to attach it to the light-weight line of a fishing rod. Disengage the anti-reverse on the reel, enabling you to control the line.

Because a **Jackite** is so wind sensitive, you can fly it on as little as ten feet of line. As it lifts to the sky, let out the line as it pulls upward. We like to fly our **Jackite** on about 100-200 feet of line, amazed as it flits across the sky.

Emulating a bird in flight with a natural grace and beauty, your **Jackite** will actually flap its wings, soar to a new position, flaps its wings again and soar to another position. Lo and behold! Is it a dove or is it a **Jackite**?

Windsock Flying

Winds tend to be variable and gusty, posing many problems for the kite flyer. Your **Jackite** will fly wonderfully from a pole even under these conditions. Using 8 feet of line, simply attach your **Jackite** to a 20 foot flexible pole (collapsible, available from **Jackite**), and let the wind take over. We recommend pole flying in low to moderate winds only.

We fly our **Jackite** along a river to the delight of passing boaters.