

INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE FOR YOUR CROSSBUGGY



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Dear Parents, Congratulations on your purchase of a YippieYo Crossbuggy!

You have selected a very high-quality product. The YippieYo Crossbuggy meets the strict safety requirements in accordance with the European Standard for Pushchairs and Prams. In order to obtain the GS Certification for tested safety the YippieYo was put through its paces in a tough endurance test and rigorously examined for harmful substances. Every Crossbuggy is handcrafted to the highest standard in Switzerland and Germany.

We are confident that the YippieYo Crossbuggy will offer you and your family excellent service, every day and over a long period of time. More freedom, more fun as a family, no matter how tough the terrain – that is our goal.

Outdoors in the forest, in the mountains, in the park or in the city - it goes wherever you go!

These instructions contain important information with regard to the correct and safe use of your Crossbuggy. Please read the instructions carefully and pay special attention to the safety information. Should you lend your Crossbuggy to another person, please ensure that you also pass on this instruction booklet.

Important: Keep this instruction booklet for later reference!

Hotline

Do you have any questions, comments or suggestions with regard to our product or our company? Or do you require help in resolving a problem with your Crossbuggy or your order?

Simply send us an email: service@yippieyo.com

Or give us a call and leave a message. We'll get back to you as quickly as possible.

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1. Safety information

WARNING!

GENERAL SAFETY INFORMATION:

- Never leave your child unattended!
- Please only use the buggy with children over the age of 12 months who can already sit alone without support.
- Use the restraint system at all times.
- This buggy is intended for maximum two children and luggage up to a maximum total weight of 40 kg.
- The carrying rack and the buggy bag are intended to carry maximum 5 kg.
- Any load attached to the pull-bar, the back or on the side of the buggy can affect the stability of the buggy.
- Do not let your child play with the buggy and do not let him/her climb on the backrest.
- Do not sit on the carrying rack due to the risk of tipping over.
- In order to avoid the risk of injury, ensure that your child is well away from the buggy when assembling it or folding it up.
- This product is not suitable for use as a bicycle trailer nor should it be hooked onto any vehicle.
- This product is not suitable for jogging or inline/roller skating.
- When carrying the buggy lift it by the armrests and/or the seat frame only. Do not lift it by the seat covers, the pull-bar or the finger-guard elements.
- Use only accessories and spare parts authorised by the manufacturer.
- In order to avoid the risk of suffocation, ensure that the plastic packaging material and the waterproof packaging material are out of reach of babies and children
- The assembly and disassembly of the product must always be carried out by an adult who is familiar with the operating instructions.

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BEFORE YOU SET OFF:

• Before using the product, ensure that all the locking mechanisms are closed:

- Ensure that the backrest is locked in place and that the two clips around the back crossbar are closed.

- Ensure that the hinge joint on the pull-bar is locked in place and secured with the cam lever.

- Ensure that both wheels are securely attached to the quick-release axles in the axle tube and that both disc brakes are located between the brake pads.

- After affixing the wheels, ensure that the hand brake/parking brake is functioning correctly.

- Ensure that the seat cushion, the backrest cushion, the side bolsters and the restraint system are properly attached to the buggy. The expander is for use on the carrying rack only.
- Children should only be allowed to get into/out of the buggy when it is standing on a flat surface and when it is fully assembled and ready to use.
- Children should be helped into/out of the buggy by an adult.
- Always apply the parking brake when children are getting into/out of the buggy and ensure that the buggy is steady and stable.

DURING THE RIDE:

- Use the restraint system at all times.
- The buggy should be pulled by adults only. Do not let children pull it.
- Never leave children unattended in the buggy. When you park the buggy, apply the parking brake and take the children out of the buggy. Never park the buggy on sloped surfaces or inclines and always apply the parking brake.

2. Intended use

The Crossbuggy is purpose-built to transport a maximum of two children with a maximum total weight of 40 kg (incl. luggage) in the outdoors. During transport the children must be fastened into the buggy by means of the safety harnesses. Only children who can already sit alone without support and who are at least 12 months old should be transported. The Crossbuggy should only be pulled by an adult.

Warning! Check the following before you set off!

- Are both wheels locked into the axle tube and are both brake discs positioned between the brake pads?
- Is the hand brake/parking brake functioning correctly?

• Are the pull-bar and the backrest locked in place properly? Risk of injury!

When using the buggy, please adhere to the following instructions:

- When on sloping terrain, always brake the buggy with the hand brake.
- Always take your children out of the Crossbuggy on extremely steep or sloping terrain.
- When carrying the buggy lift it by the armrests and/or the seat frame only. Do not lift it by the seat covers, the pull-bar or the finger-guard elements.

/! Warning! Do not use the Crossbuggy as a bicycle trailer, do not hook it onto any vehicle and do not use it for jogging or inline/roller skating. Risk of injury!

Danger! Do not use the buggy on extremely steep or sloping terrain. Risk of injury!

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3. Assembly

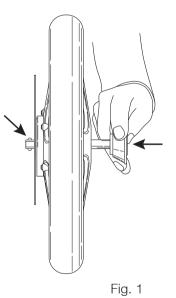
In order for you to be able to take your Crossbuggy wherever you go, we have reduced the amount of space it requires as far as possible. Simply remove the wheels, collapse the backrest and fold in the pull-bar – and your Crossbuggy is ready to transport. Please follow the instructions carefully.

3.1 Attaching and removing the wheels

Your YippieYo Crossbuggy is equipped with two high-quality disc wheels with quick-release axles (QR axles), enabling them to be attached or removed quickly and simply. The tyres require no maintenance and the axles do not need to be oiled or greased. In order to keep the wheels maintenance-free the QR axles and the bearings need to be regularly cleaned. If the wheels show sign of wear or become damaged, it is essential that they are replaced with original parts.

Assembly:

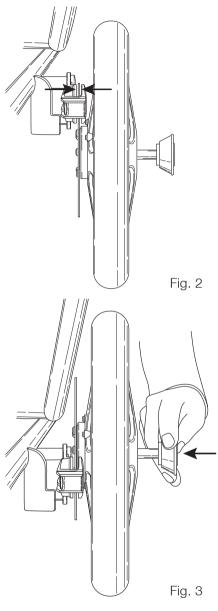
- Place the chassis carefully on a flat surface with the axle pointing down. Ensure that the brake is not engaged, otherwise the disc will not fit between the pads.
- 2. Using your thumb press the black button on the QR axle and push it through the wheel so that a small part of the axle with the two balls protrudes on the inner side of the wheel (Fig. 1).



 Lift the buggy up slightly with one hand and, using the other hand, position the wheel so that the disc brake is located between the two black brake pads and the QR axle can be pushed into the axle tube. (Fig. 2)

Please note that each wheel is designed specifically to be fitted in either the right or the left hand side. To ensure this is correct the tyre tread zigzag design should be pointing forwards.

- Press and hold the black button and push the QR axle into the axle tube until it locks firmly into position. (Fig. 3)
- 5. Repeat the procedure with the second wheel.
- Engage the parking brake to ensure that the buggy does not roll away.



 \angle ! Warning! Before use check that both wheels are locked in place in the axle tube and that the brake discs are located between the brake pads. Risk of injury!

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Removing the wheels:

- Firstly, release the brake then push the black button on the QR axle. Pull the QR axle out of the axle tube as far as the wheel so that only a small part of the axle with the two balls is visible on the inner side of the wheel. (Fig. 1)
- 2. Slide the brake disc out from between the two brake pads, then remove the entire wheel. (Fig. 2)

3.2 Collapsing and pulling out the backrest

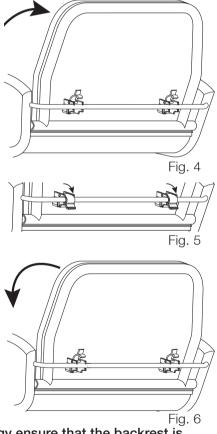
The backrest can be quickly and easily collapsed for transport purposes.

Pulling out the backrest::

- Lift the backrest up until the two black safety clips engage with the crossbar on the back. (Fig. 4)
- 2. Lock the clips, one at a time, by pressing them down with both thumbs until they click into place and are firmly clamped around the crossbar. (Fig. 5)

Collapsing the backrest:

- To release the backrest press the two safety clips up using both thumbs until the backrest disengages from the crossbar.
- Fold the backrest forward onto the seat cushion for transport. (Fig. 6)

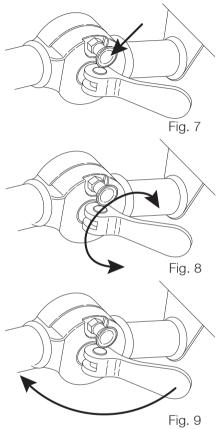


 $\angle ! \$ Warning! Before using the buggy ensure that the backrest is securely locked into place. Risk of injury!

3.3 Collapsing and pulling out the pull-bar

The pull-bar can be quickly and simply collapsed for transport purposes.

- When the buggy is to be used, pull out the pull-bar until the small pin with the red button locks into place in the hinge joint. (Fig. 7)
- For fine adjustment, the cam lever can be rotated in both directions. (Fig. 8) The cam lever must be set in such a way that considerable strength is required to open and close it.
- Push the cam lever inward as hard as you can so that the hinge joint is immobilised. (Fig. 9)



To release the hinge joint, pull the cam lever away from the joint. Next pull the red pin all the way out to fully release the locking mechanism. Then simply collapse the pull-bar and place it over the already collapsed backrest and the buggy is ready to transport.

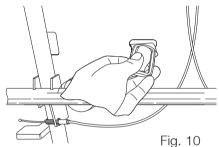
<u>Vi</u> Warning! Always check that the hinge joint is fully locked and that all locking mechanisms are securely engaged. Risk of injury!

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3.4 Putting on and removing the seat covers

When you order your YippieYo from us, then it generally comes assembled and ready for use, i.e. the seat covers are already on. If you want to remove the seat covers for purposes of cleaning or in order to put on a new set of seat covers, then please note the following information:

- To remove the seat cushion open the two Velcro® fasteners on the underside of the buggy with which the seat cushion is attached to the seat shell.
- Next, pull the two crotch belts through the slits in the seat shell and seat cushion by turning the black end pieces of the belt in such a way that the short sides can be fed through the slits. (Fig. 10)



To put on the seat cushion follow the above instructions in the reverse order.

Removing and putting on the back cushion

- 1. To remove the back cushion pull it upwards over the backrest and pull the back of the cushion (with the mesh) forward over the backrest.
- 2. Next, feed the black end pieces of the safety harnesses with the short side through the slits in the backrest and the back cushion. The cushion can then be removed entirely from the buggy.

To return the back cushion to the backrest follow the above instructions in the reverse order, i.e. feed the belt end pieces through the slits in the cushion and backrest first, then pull the cushion over the backrest.

Removing and putting on the side bolsters

Removing the side bolsters:

- 1. Untie the knots on both ends of the cord and remove the cord stoppers.
- 2. Pull the cord through the eyelets of the side bolsters.
- 3. Pull the side bolster flaps out of the slits between the seat shell and the tubular frame.

Putting on the side bolsters:

- Feed the side bolster flaps through the four slits between the seat pan and the tubular frame. Place the upper part of the bolster over the armrest so that the finger guard element is positioned between the two upper slits and the side bolster.
- 2. Pull the rubber cord through the eyelets and connect the upper and lower eyelets. Begin at the back end of the buggy and pull both cord ends at the front through the cord stopper. (Fig. 11)
- 3. With the help of the cord stopper tighten the rubber cord to tauten the side bolsters. For extra safety you can tie a knot in each of the cord ends.

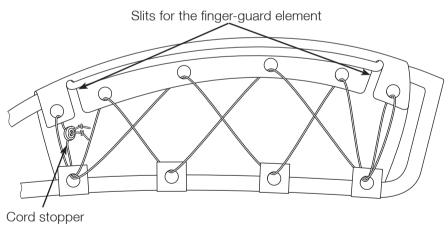


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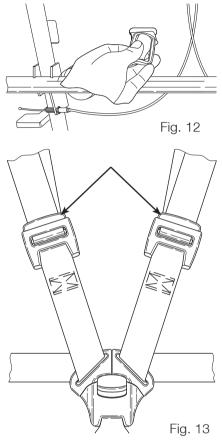
3.5 Adjusting, fitting and removing the safety harnesses

The ends of all five harness straps (two shoulder straps, two pelvic straps, one crotch strap) are attached to the buggy by means of end brackets.

You can release all five strap ends by turning the end brackets and passing them with the shorter side through the slits in the buggy then through the slits in the seat cushion. (Fig. 12)

To fit the harnesses follow the above instructions in the reverse order: Pass the short side of the end brackets of the straps first through the seat cushion/back cushion slits, then through the slits in the buggy itself.

You can adjust the length of the straps using the two adjusters on the shoulder straps. Pull upwards to shorten the straps, downwards to lengthen the straps. (Fig. 13)



2 Warning! Always use the safety harnesses. Risk of injury!

4. Adjusting the disc brakes

Your Crossbuggy comes, as standard, with a high-quality brake system. Using the brake lever on the pull-bar you can brake while on the move and activate the parking brake when at a standstill. The braking power is distributed over both disc brakes by means of a brake distribution device which is directly connected to the wheels.

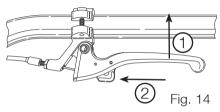
The parking brake

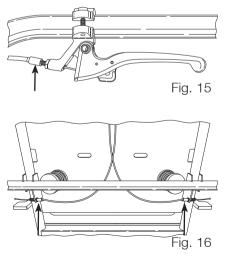
To engage the parking brake pull the brake lever on the pull-bar and, using your thumb, push the silver-coloured locking lever forward towards the Bowden cable. (Fig. 14)

To release the parking brake, pull the brake lever beyond the locked position. This automatically causes the locking lever to spring out of the locked position and the brake is released.

Adjusting the brakes

The brakes can be adjusted at three points: The adjustment screw on the brake lever on the pull-bar, (this changes the settings on both brakes, fig. 15), and the two adjustment screws on the brake pads (here you can adjust the braking action of the two wheels independently of one another, fig. 16). In the latter case you must open the locknut first, then make the necessary modifications using the adjustment screw. Finally, ensure that the locknut is tightened again.





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5. Care instructions

To clean the buggy use a damp cloth and an off-the-shelf cleaning product suitable for aluminium.

The seat covers are not suitable for washing machines or tumble dryers. Clean dirt or stains on the seat covers using a warm, damp cloth and off-the-shelf detergent for coloured fabrics. As far as is possible, keep the seat covers dry and protect them from direct sunlight. Follow the care instructions on the seat cover labels.

6. Disposal information

Packaging materials are raw materials. Please recycle them!

Should the time come when you want to dispose of the Crossbuggy, please bring it to a waste metal collection point. For addresses and opening times of such collection points contact your local authorities.

7. Technical data

Dimensions when folded for transport

Length: 95 cm Width: 75 cm Height: 35 cm Weight (net): 12 kg

Maximum load capacity

The buggy is designed to carry a maximum of two children with a maximum permitted overall weight of 40 kg.

The carrying rack and the buggy bag are intended for no more than 5 kg. The maximum permitted overall weight of 40 kg must not be exceeded.

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