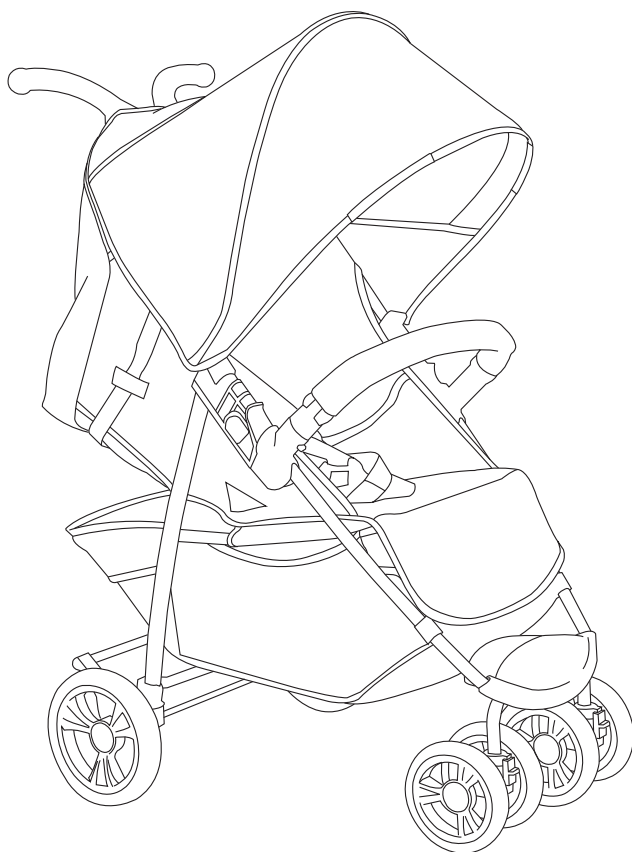




# **Scooter Instruction Manual**

## **33X Series**





# WARNINGS

**Please read this instruction manual completely before using this stroller. Keep these instructions for future reference.**

- Failure to follow these instructions could result in serious injury or death.
- Never leave child unattended.
- Avoid serious injury from falling or sliding out.
- Always use safety belts and ensure that all children are positioned according to these instructions.
- Be certain that the stroller is fully opened, locked securely into position, and the wheel brakes are on before allowing children near the stroller.
- The maximum weight of the child that can be seated in the front seat is 55 lbs.
- Use of the stroller with a child weighing more than 55 pounds will cause excessive wear and stress on the stroller and may cause a hazardous unstable condition.
- Never allow a child to step on the footrest to get into or out of the stroller.
- Do not use the stroller on stairways or escalators.
- Keep all children away from the stroller when folding or unfolding.
- Hanging purses, shopping bags, parcels, diaper bags or other accessory items from the handles or any other parts of the stroller may change the balance of the stroller and cause a hazardous unstable condition.
- The maximum weight that can be carried in the storage basket is 5 pounds. Excessive weight may result in a hazardous unstable condition.
- The maximum weight that can be placed in the zipper pocket is 1 pound.
- The maximum weight that can be placed in the cup holder is 1 pound.
- Never carry hot beverages or open containers in the cup holder.
- The total weight that can be placed in the in-seat mesh pockets should be less than 2 pounds.
- When installing an infant carrier onto the stroller, ALWAYS use the restraining strap to secure the carrier in place.
- Never allow your stroller to be used as a toy.
- Discard all packaging materials properly. Do not allow children to play with them.
- Check your stroller for loose rivets, snaps, worn parts, and torn material or stitching on a regular basis.
- Discontinue use of the stroller should it malfunction or become damaged.

**Please do not return this product to the store**

If you experience any difficulty with the assembly or use of this product, or if you have a question regarding these instructions, please contact our Customer Service Department at (877) 456-5049 between the hours of 8:30 am and 5:00 pm Central Time.

**Please note: Styles and colors may vary.**

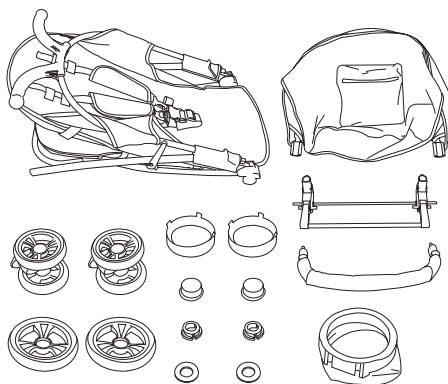
# Assembling and Using your Stroller



**To ensure safe operation of your stroller, please follow these instructions carefully.**

## Unpacking the Product

- Carefully remove stroller and all parts from the box and plastic bag.
- Remove any cardboard packing materials from the stroller.
- Identify the parts (stroller, front wheel set (2), rear wheels (2), rear axle and brake set, canopy with apron (may be attached to frame), bumper bar, axle locks (2), axle caps (2), hubcaps (2), washers (2), cup holder, and documents) with the pictures in Figure 1. Also, extra rear wheel assembly parts may be included.
- Remove all cardboard and plastic coverings from any areas of the product. Remove the metal spacer between the hinges and discard.
- Discard all packaging materials properly. Do not allow children to play with them.



**Figure 1**



## **CAUTION**

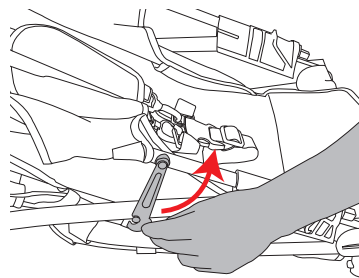
**Adult assembly is required for this product. No Tools Required.**

## Unfolding the Stroller

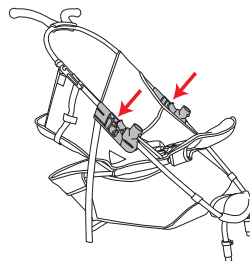
- Keep children away from stroller while unfolding.
- Orient the stroller with the handles facing upward and closest to you.
- If necessary, release the folding lock located on the right side by lifting the lock off of the extended rivet. See Figure 2.
- Pull upwards on the handles until the stroller is completely opened and the latching mechanism on each side is engaged. See Figure 3.

NOTE: Be careful not to scratch the floor when opening the stroller.

- Visually check and gently push downward on the handles to ensure that the stroller is completely opened and locked before ANY use of the product.



**Figure 2**



**Figure 3**



## **WARNING**

**ALWAYS keep children away from the stroller when unfolding.**

## Installing the Rear Wheel Axle and Brake Set and Rear Wheels

- In a clean, dry place rest the stroller upside down with the rear legs facing upwards.
- Locate the rear axle and brake set and slide it onto the rear legs with the link brake facing the rear of the stroller. Be sure to slide each side all the way on until the push pins are engaged in the holes of the plastic. NOTE: You may need to push each of the push pins in to slide the plastic into place. See Figure 4.
- Pull upward on each side of the rear axle to ensure it is installed properly.
- Push the bar linking the brake levers into the disengaged position. See Figure 5.

### TO INSTALL A REAR WHEEL

- Locate a rear wheel and slide it onto the rear axle with the brake cluster facing inward.
- Slide a washer onto the axle.
- Locate an axle lock and orient it with the larger side closest to the wheel and snap it onto the axle. See Figure 6. Pull outward on the wheel to ensure it is locked securely onto the axle.
- Locate an axle cap and push it onto the axle lock until you hear and feel it snap completely into position. See Figure 7.
- Locate a hubcap. While holding the wheel, line up the four prongs on the hubcap with the holes in the spoke of the wheel and snap it into place. See Figure 8. Be certain that all four prongs have snapped into place. Pull on the hubcap to ensure it is installed correctly.
- Repeat these steps on the other side.
- Be sure that each wheel is secure before proceeding.

## Rear Wheel Brakes

- The Scooter comes equipped with a linked rear wheel brake system.
- To engage the rear wheel brakes, push down on one of the brake levers or the bar that connects the levers. See Figure 9. The stroller may require slight forward or rearward movement in order to line up the teeth on the brake with each wheel brake cluster.
- Check that the brakes are properly applied by attempting to push the stroller backwards and forwards.
- To release the brakes, gently lift up on one of the brake levers or the bar that connects the levers. See Figure 10.

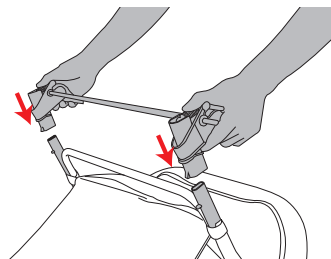


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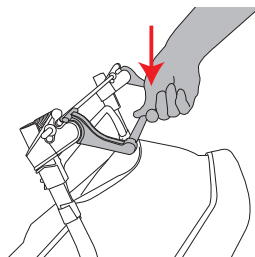


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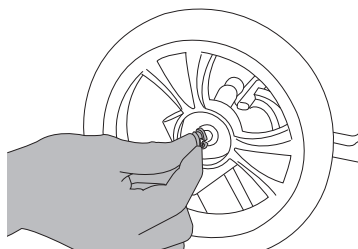


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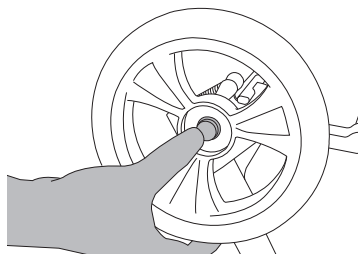


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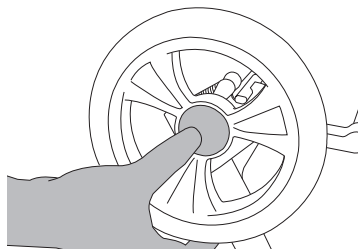
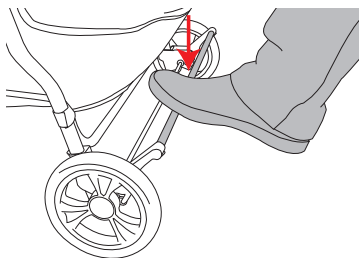
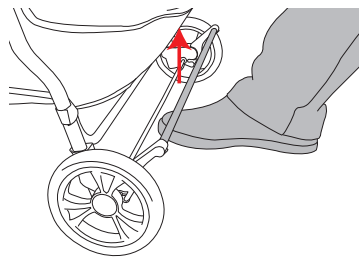


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**Figure 9**



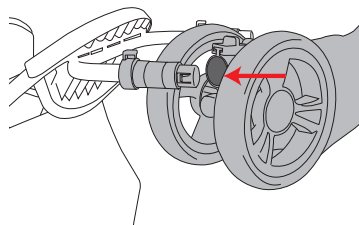
**Figure 10**

## **WARNING**

**Always make sure the wheel brakes are engaged when the stroller is not being pushed so that the stroller will not roll away.  
Never leave stroller unattended, especially on a hill or incline, as the stroller may tip over or slide.**

### **Installing the Front Wheels**

- Orient the stroller so it is resting on the rear wheels and the handlebar. Locate one front wheel set and orient the wheel set with the swivel lock facing upward. Insert it onto a plastic post located at the bottom front on one side of the stroller until an audible click is heard. See Figure 11.
- Pull outward on the wheel to ensure the wheel is installed properly.
- Repeat this procedure for the other wheel.

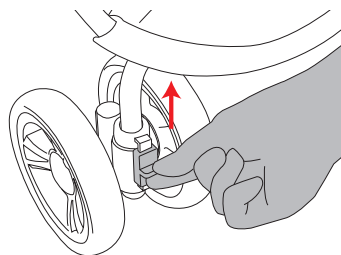


**Figure 11**

### **Front Wheel Locks**

The front wheels can be either in swivel mode or locked mode.

- To put each front wheel set into its locked mode, push up on the locking button located between the wheels. Be sure to lift the button all of the way up. You will hear two clicks. See Figure 12. Note: You may need to rotate the front wheel so the swivel lock button is facing the front of the stroller.
- To unlock each wheel and put it into swivel mode, push down on the button to disengage the lock.



**Figure 12**

## Seatback Positioning

The seatback can be adjusted to any position from fully upright to reclining. The fully upright position should only be used for a child that is at least 6 months old.

- Engage the rear wheel brakes.
- Locate the recline mechanism on the backside of the seat.
- To recline the seat, grasp the buttons on the top and bottom of the recline mechanism and gently pull towards the rear of the stroller until the seat is in the desired position. See Figure 13.
- To adjust the seatback to a more upright position, pull the straps at the end of the recline mechanism rearward while pushing the mechanism forward until the seatback is in the desired position. See Figure 14.

NOTE: To get the seatback into its most upright position you may need to push the seatback toward the front of the stroller before pulling the straps.



Figure 13



Figure 14

## **WARNING**

**ALWAYS** ensure that the seat back is secured into position before placing a child in the seat. Push down on the seatback to be sure it is secure. **NEVER** adjust the seatback when the child is in the seat.

## Adjusting the Leg Support

The leg support can be adjusted to two positions horizontal or all the way down.

- To place the leg support into the down position, locate the trigger mechanism underneath BOTH sides of the leg support on the bottom. Squeeze BOTH triggers and rotate the leg support down. See Figure 15.

NOTE: The leg support does not “lock” into the down position, but will remain there by gravity only.

- There are fabric flaps that cover the triggers. If necessary, pull each flap over the trigger and attach the Velcro® to secure it.
- To place the leg support into the horizontal position, pull up on both sides of the leg support until it is locked into position. See Figure 16.
- Push down on both sides of the leg support to ensure it is secure.



Figure 15



Figure 16

## **WARNING**

**NEVER** allow a child to step onto or sit on the leg support. This may cause the stroller to tip over and injure the child.

## Installing/Removing the Bumper Bar

- Remove the two safety caps from the frame mount points by pressing the release button and pulling each cap off. See Figure 17.
- Locate the bumper bar and orient it with the male fitting pointed towards the seat unit and the shiny round rivet head facing upward. While holding the male fittings straight, insert the male fittings on the bumper bar into the female fittings located on both sides of the seat. You will hear both sides of the bumper bar “click” in. See Figure 18.
- Pull outward on the bumper bar to ensure it is installed properly and securely.
- To remove the bumper bar, press the buttons located on the underside of both male fittings inward and pull the bumper bar away from the seat. See Figure 19.
- The bumper bar fabric cover can be removed for cleaning. To remove the fabric cover, simply open the zipper on the inside of the fabric cover and pull the cover off of the bumper bar.
- To replace the cover, remove the bumper bar from the stroller, fit the cover over the bumper bar with the zipper facing inward and close the zipper completely.
- When using the stroller without the bumper bar always replace the safety caps.

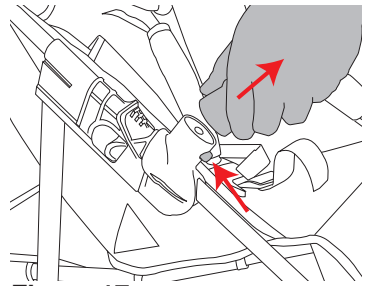


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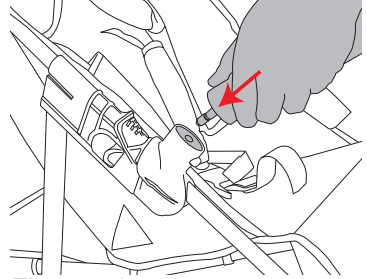


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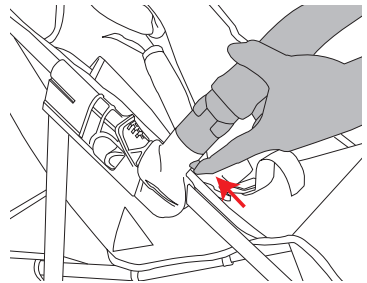


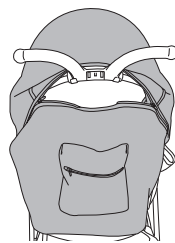
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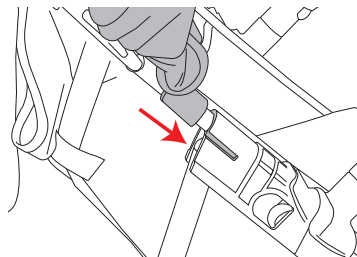
**The bumper bar is not a restraint device. Always secure your child with the seat belt. NEVER lift the stroller by the bumper bar. Use caution when attaching the bumper bar when there is a child seated in the stroller.**

# Installing, Operating and Removing the Canopy

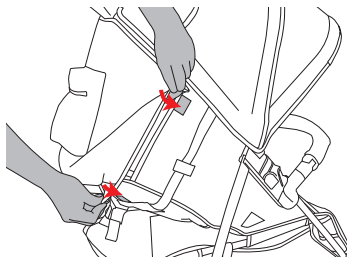
- Stand behind the stroller with the stroller in the unfolded position.
- Open the zippers on both sides of the top of the canopy near the center.
- Fit the handles through the openings created by the zippers and rest the canopy on the frame with the rigid part of the canopy in the front and the rear apron under the handles. Locate the Velcro® flaps on each side of the handles and attach them around the frame tubes. See Figure 20.
- Locate the plastic slide locks on the bottom of each side of the canopy and slide them onto the plastic fitting on each side of the stroller just above the rear leg. See Figure 21.
- Push each side of the canopy firmly down along the fitting until it cannot go any further.
- Close both zippers until they are snug around the base of the handles.
- Attach the Velcro® on the canopy to the Velcro on the sides and back of the seat. See Figure 22.
- Open the canopy by pulling forward on the front edge.
- The canopy and visor can be adjusted into several positions ranging from fully closed to fully extended, or any position in between. See Figure 23.
- The visor can be opened (or closed) by pulling (or pushing) it from under the canopy.
- Note: The top rear portion of the canopy has a roll back window. To open, pull the forward edge up, roll the flap back and secure it using the elastic loop attachment.
- To close the canopy, push the front edge of the canopy toward the rear of the stroller.
- To remove the canopy, undo the Velcro® attachments on the sides and back of the seat. Then, slide the canopy up off of both fittings on the sides of the seat. See Figure 24.



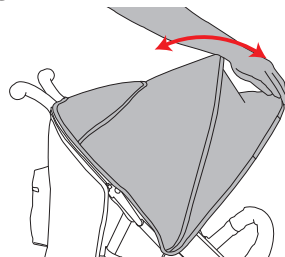
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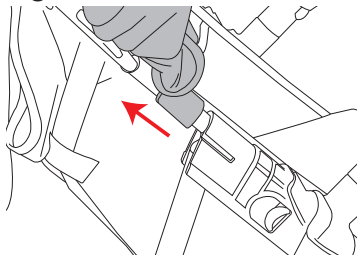
**Figure 21**



**Figure 22**



**Figure 23**



**Figure 24**



## Installing the Cup Holder

- Orient the cup holder with the plastic ring facing upward and the grooves in the plastic facing the handles.
- Slide the grooves on the back of the cup holder onto the fittings between the handles until the cup holder snaps into place. See Figure 25.
- Gently pull upward on the cup holder to ensure it is installed securely.

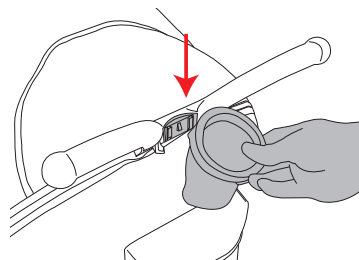


Figure 25

## Securing the Child

NOTE: There are three height adjustment positions for the shoulder harness straps. For a younger child, the shoulder straps should be positioned through the lower sewn-in loops on the seatback. For a young child that is tall, the shoulder straps may be positioned through the upper sewn-in loops on the seatback. For a taller child, use the shoulder straps **WITHOUT** positioning them through these sewn-in loops. To re-position the shoulder straps, unbuckle them from the harness buckle and feed these straps through the sewn-in loops, ensuring that they are not twisted. Re-buckle the shoulder straps onto the harness buckle to secure them.

- Ensure that both shoulder straps are attached to the waist strap buckles. See Figure 26.
- Unlatch the waist/shoulder buckle by squeezing the latch releases on both sides of the buckle and removing the male ends of each buckle. See Figure 27.
- Carefully place the child in the seat with the shoulder straps over their shoulders and chest. Then place the crotch strap between the child's legs.
- Bring the seat belt around the child's waist and insert the male ends of the waist/shoulder buckle into the female buckle. Ensure that they snap into place. See Figure 28. Tighten the waist belt to be snug around the child's waist.
- Both the shoulder straps and the waist/crotch straps may be adjusted using the sliding buckles on these straps. See Figures 29.

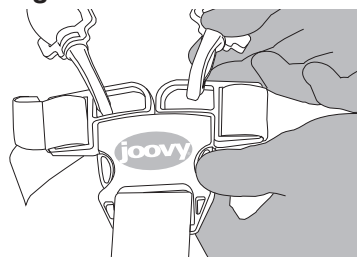


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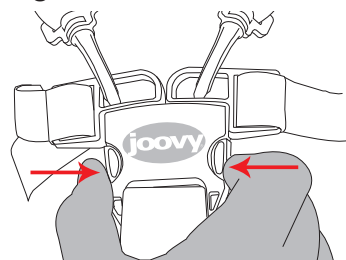


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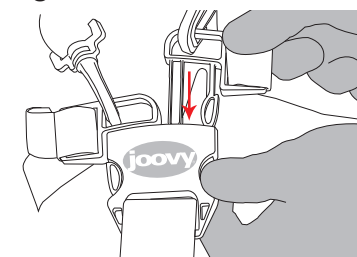


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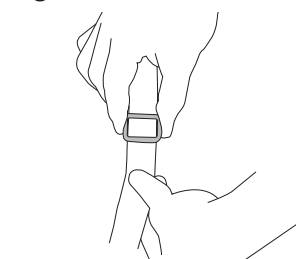


Figure 29

## **WARNING**

**Avoid serious injury from falling or sliding out.**

**Always use the safety harness.**

## Using the Stroller as an Infant Car Seat Carrier

NOTE: The stroller can be used as an infant car seat carrier with the canopy on or off.

- If you remove the canopy and apron from the stroller, store them in a clean, dry place for later use.
- Remove the infant carrier from the car seat base.
- Position the stroller seatback so the silver fabric guide on EACH side of the seatback support webbing is in line with the binding on the sides of the seatback. See Figure 30 & 31.
- Locate the carrier restraint straps located in the pockets on both sides of the stroller seat. Remove each strap from the pocket and guide it between the fabric on the side of the seat and the frame. The straps should be between the fabric and the frame. See Figure 31.
- Place the infant carrier onto the top of the stroller in the REAR FACING POSITION, locating the “hook” on EACH side of the underside of the carrier onto the bumper bar and the feet end of the carrier against the seatback. See Figure 31.
- Thread the straps through the guides on the sides of the infant carrier and buckle them in place over the LOWEST part of the carrier. Adjust the straps so they are TIGHT around the carrier but AWAY from the child’s neck. Gently pull up on the carrier to be sure it is held on securely. See Figure 32.
- Always check frequently to be sure that the restraining straps are tight across the infant carrier but away from the child’s neck.
- To remove the carrier from the stroller, release the buckle on the carrier restraining straps by pressing the secondary lock while squeezing the release on EACH side of the buckle.
- When you remove the infant carrier from the stroller, always replace the two restraining straps back into the pockets on the sides of the seat.

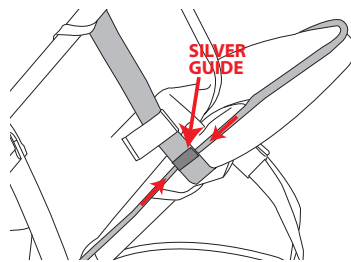


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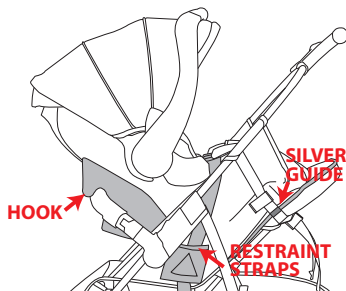


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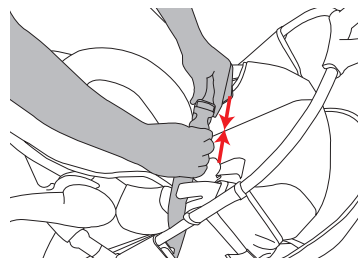


Figure 32

## **WARNING**

**ALWAYS** install the infant carrier so that the child is facing toward the rear (handle) of the stroller with the restraining straps secured.

**ALWAYS** position the infant carrier so that it is securely placed on the bumper bar.

**NEVER** position the carrier restraining straps on or near the child’s neck as this may result in strangulation.

## **IMPORTANT NOTE**

When using the stroller as an infant car seat carrier, the following are the compatible infant car seat models that the Scooter will accommodate:

- Graco® Snug Ride™ 32
- Graco® Safe Seat™
- Graco® Snug Rider™ Series

For the most updated list of compatible infant car seats, please either check our website at [www.joovy.com](http://www.joovy.com) or call our Customer Service Department at (877) 456-5049.

## **Storage Basket**

The maximum weight that can be carried in the storage basket is 5 pounds. Excessive weight may result in a hazardous unstable condition.

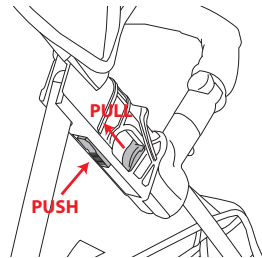
NOTE: The basket can be removed if desired by unsnapping all of the snaps and releasing the Velcro® straps.

## **Folding the Stroller**

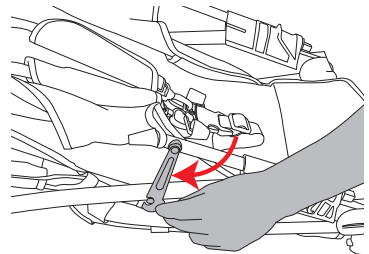
NOTE: THE SEATBACK MUST BE FULLY RECLINED TO ACHIEVE THE MOST COMPACT FOLD.

- Keep children away from stroller while folding.
- Position the stroller with the handle bars closest to you.
- Engage the rear wheel brakes.
- Close the canopy and push it to the rear of the stroller.
- Recline the seatback downward until it cannot go any further.
- To fold, push up on the secondary trigger lock located on the underside of the right plastic hinge and pull the triggers on BOTH sides all the way up. Rotate the stroller downward until the stroller is collapsed. See Figure 33.
- Locate the locking latch near the canopy on the right side of the stroller and rotate the latch until it is engaged on the extended rivet on the rear leg tube. See Figure 34.

CAUTION: While folding the stroller, be careful to keep your fingers from being pinched by moving parts.



**Figure 33**



**Figure 34**

## **WARNING**

**ALWAYS** keep children away from the stroller when folding.

## Maintenance

All of the fittings, snaps, locks, rivets, and other hardware and plastic parts on the stroller should be inspected periodically to ensure that they are secured properly and not damaged or malfunctioning. The safety harness, as well as all other straps and fabric items and their stitching should also be inspected periodically to ensure that they are secured properly and not loose, torn or otherwise damaged. All moving parts, such as wheels, brakes, and hinges should also be checked periodically to ensure they are operating properly.

Any missing, broken, or worn components should be replaced immediately, and the stroller should not be used until they are replaced. Only original manufacturer's components should be used. If needed, please contact Joovy at our toll-free phone number.

## Cleaning

The fabric material on this stroller can be cleaned using mild household soap or detergent and warm water on a sponge or clean cloth. Always allow the fabric to completely air dry before using the stroller.

The frame and wheels should always be kept clean and free of dirt and foreign matter, especially after operating the stroller in rain, snow, or other harsh environments. Use a sponge or cloth dampened with warm water and a mild detergent cleaner to clean the wheels after such use.

## **SATISFACTION GUARANTEED**

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