# **SCHACHT NIDDY NODDY**



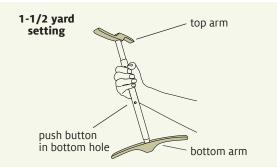
### **USING YOUR NIDDY NODDY**

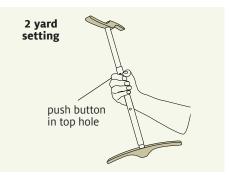
# ADJUSTING THE LENGTH

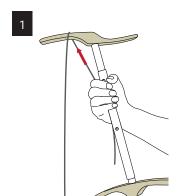
There are two holes in the larger tube and a button in the small tube. Depress the button and slide the larger tube outwards or inwards to change sizes. When the button catches in the bottom hole, the niddy noddy will wind 1-1/2 yard skeins. When the button catches in the top hole, it will wind 2 yard skeins.

# FLATTENING THE NIDDY NODDY

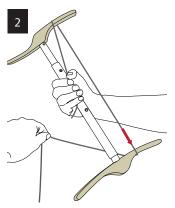
Depress the button and slide the larger tube inwards as far as it will go. As you do so, twist one arm so it lies parallel to the other arm.



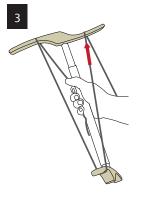




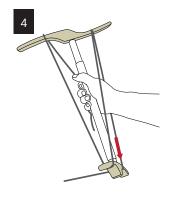
Holding the yarn end against the tube, go up over the top arm.



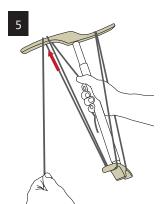
Go down under the bottom arm on the same side.



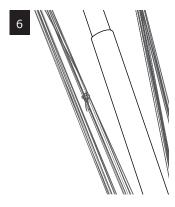
Go up to the top arm on the **opposite** side



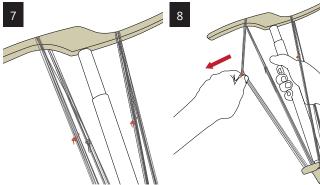
and around the bottom arm on the same side.



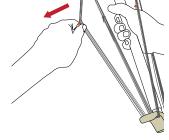
Go back over the top arm where you began winding in Step 1.



Repeat Steps 2–5 to wind all the Secure skein with at least two varn. Tie varn ends together.



ties in a contrasting color.



Remove the skein. Twist it and place one end inside the other.

### **MAKING A SKEIN**

- Set your niddy noddy for 2 yard or 1-1/2 vard skeins.
- Stand a few feet away from your wheel and in line with the bobbin.
- Hold the end of the yarn in the middle of the niddy noddy.
- Wind by going over the top of one arm, down under the bottom arm on the same side, up and over the top of the opposite arm and, finally, around the opposite bottom arm. This completes one round. Once you get the feel of the path, you'll find that you'll be tipping the niddy noddy back and forth as you wind round and round.
- If you see a crossed thread as you wind, you have wound incorrectly. Unwind back to the mistake and rewind correctly.
- When you've wound all the yarn from your bobbin onto the niddy noddy, tie the beginning and ending yarn ends together.
- Using contrasting yarns, loosely tie the skein in at least two places.
- Remove the skein by sliding it off the top
- Hold the skein between your hands, twist it tightly, and then insert one end inside the loop at the other end.