

Snoozer Pet Products

Sporty Pet Bicycle Basket

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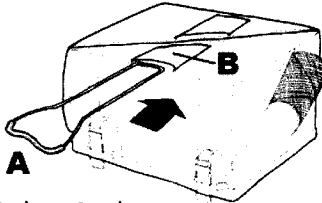
Assembly Instructions

Assemble Bicycle Basket:

The box contains 3 component parts:
the fabric basket
the removable bottom panel
the metal support brace

Unclip the support brace from the safety hook located inside the basket. Unfold the basket so that it forms a square. Locate the diagonal zipper inside the basket and zip closed. Slide the square end of the metal support brace **A** into the sleeve **B** on the bottom of the basket. You may need to loosen the hook and loop closure so the support brace can pass completely through the sleeve.

Turn the basket over and insert the removable bottom panel, cushion side up. Press firmly into the bottom of the basket. The basket is now ready to assemble to your bicycle.

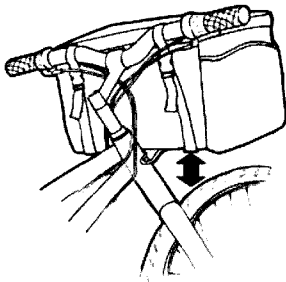


Attach Bicycle Basket to Bicycle:

Bicycle Basket is designed for the support brace to rest against the main bike tube **C**. As you install the bicycle basket, be sure you have comfortable access to the hand brakes. In addition, be sure the bicycle basket does not rub or touch the tire of your bike when your pet is seated in the basket, as this could cause serious injury to you and your pet. If need be, raise your handle bar stem to provide additional clearance. If you need help adjusting your bike, contact your local bike shop. If your bike has a brake cable that runs down the front of the main tube **C**, do not allow the support brace to rest against the brake cable **D**. This could render your brakes ineffective, which could result in injury to you or your pet. Instead, release both front brakes. Pass the released front brake cable through the support brace and reattach the brake cables to your brakes. If you need assistance, contact your local bike shop.

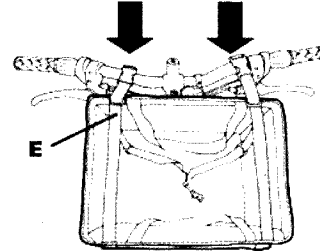


Rest the support brace comfortably against the main tube. Make sure the bottom of the basket has sufficient clearance above the front tire.

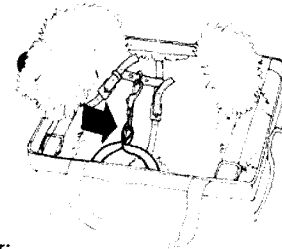


Unfasten the clasps on the basket's straps **E**.

Secure the straps around your handlebars and reconnect them. Tighten the straps so that they are taut and the basket is secure against the front of the bike. Make sure the hand brakes and brake cables are accessible and unencumbered.

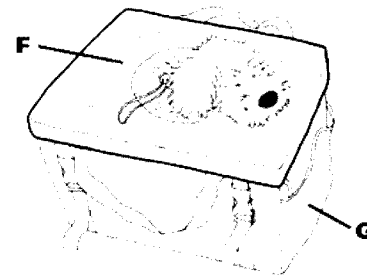


When your pet is sitting in the basket, attach the safety hook to your pet's harness (collar not recommended). Never allow your pet to ride without being attached to the tethered strap. Do not leave your pet unattended in the bicycle basket.



Using the Rain Cover:

In the event it rains, remove the rain cover **F** from its side pocket **G**. Slip your pet's head through the opening of the cover and pull the elastic edges of the cover over the top of the basket. Use the hook and loop material on the back corners to secure the cover to the basket. The drawstring on the cover's opening will enable you to provide ample room for your pet's head so that your pet is comfortable do not overtighten.



Training Your Pet to Ride in the Bicycle Basket:

Your pet may need some time to adjust to riding in Bicycle Basket. To help your pet become used to it, walk the bike with your pet secured in the basket before taking your pet for a longer ride. Encourage your pet to relax while in the basket and reward good behavior with treats and praise. The first few times in the basket, keep your hand gently on your pet, ensuring he/she stays seated at all times. Once you start to ride, be sure to ride on a level area to give your pet a chance to get used to the bicycle's movement. Make sure you can easily and safely reach your pet while riding and keep your hand on him/her, if necessary. Take short rides first, and then increase the duration as your pet becomes more comfortable with the bicycle basket. Avoid situations that will cause your pet to want to jump from the bicycle basket. Always wear your helmet and obey the rules of the road. Riding is a new experience for your pet. If introduced properly, your pet will love biking as much as you.