

Installation Instructions

Purple Sky Flags have a reputation for being easy to install, a great improvement to safety, and a fabulous aesthetic addition.

Parts Included

- 1x Top Pole, with rubber tip
- 1x Bottom Pole, with red dot and either 6mm or 1/4" end
- 1x Flag, with awesome style
- 1x Ribbon, with attacher ring

Assembly

Installation involves inserting the top pole into flag, connecting the bottom pole, adding your ribbon, and waving the flag happily before putting it onto your trike.

1. Find the pole with the rubber tip. This is the Top Pole. Insert the end with the rubber tip into the opening at the bottom of the flag. Be sure to insert the rubber tip all the way to the top of the flag.



2. Locate the pole with the red dot. This is the Bottom Pole. Insert the end with the red dot into the opening in the Top Pole. Be sure to insert the Bottom Pole all the way through the soft gripper end tubing and into the black ferrule until the pole cannot go any further.



3. Fasten the ribbon. Your flag has two metal grommets to which you can attach the ring that holds the bright and reflective strip of ribbon. Choose either the top or bottom grommet (or both, if you ordered an additional ribbon) and attach the ribbon much like you would add a key onto a keychain.



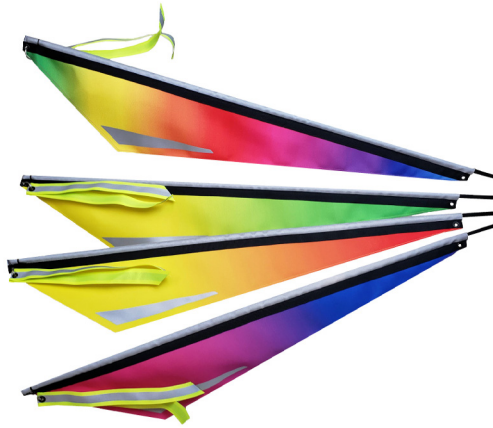
Note the zip tie: The fabric of the flag is secured to the pole with a small zip tie. If you ever need to change out the flag or the pole, then you will need to first cut off the zip tie.

4. Place the flag into your trike. We sell poles that are either 1/4" or 6mm diameter at the bottom. Because 1/4" is about 0.01378" larger than 6mm, there will be fitting issues if your holder is a different size than the pole. Alternatively, you can order another bottom pole from us, or you can sand down the pole down yourself. **BE CAREFUL** if you choose to sand down the pole, as it is fiberglass. Wear gloves, a proper dust mask, and eye protection because we care about you.

A note on separating poles: The soft tubing on the end of the ferrule grips the bottom pole and creates a vacuum. This keeps the poles together while you're riding. If you're having trouble separating the two poles, pinch or peel back the tubing slightly to break the vacuum, then gently twist and pull the bottom tube out. If you don't relieve the vacuum, the grip will just get stronger the harder you pull. You will need to pinch or peel back the bottom of gripper tubing to separate the poles. The flags will seem stiff at first, but as you put more miles on them, the flag body will loosen up and flap more freely in the wind.

These are amazing flags and they're made in the USA. Really. They're made from USA cloth that gets printed in Minnesota and sewn in Portland, Oregon. Even the pole material comes from Washington and the ribbons from New Jersey. This is some high quality stuff. May you enjoy years and years of riding with your brand new flag!





6 mm Pole Bottom

1/4" Pole Bottom