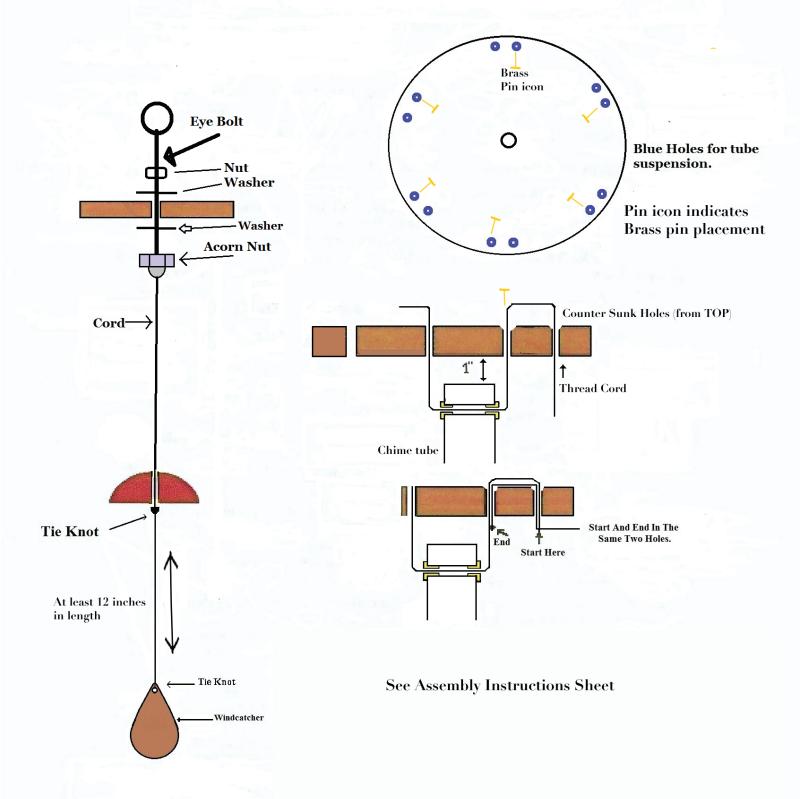
Assembly Drawing For All Makes, Models And Sizes Of Windance Wind Chimes, Wind Chime Kits And Wind Chime Repair Kits.



Threading instruction for wood top (head) and tubing

To begin: In the top there are two holes that are counter sunk, this is where you begin and where you will end. Using the cotter pin that is attached to the cord begin threading up through the first counter sunk hole, pull the cord all the way through leaving an inch or so at the end, and then, down through the next countersunk hole. Place a brass pin in the second hole to secure the cord. Now lace the cord through the holes in the tubing and then back up through the hole in the wood top and back down again through the next hole and so on around the top securing every second hole with a brass pin to secure the cord. Once you have attached all the tubing to the top you will end up back at the two counter sunk holes. Bring the cord back up through the first counter sunk hole, remove the brass pin from the second hole, run the cord back down through and again secure the cord with the brass pin. You have now finished the top part. At this point you can cut the cord, but do not remove cord from the cotter pin, you will need it for the next step. The remainder of the cord will be used for stringing the center part from the eyebolt for the striker (clapper) and catcher (sail).

Attaching instruction for striker (clapper) and catcher (sail)

Place the nut and one washer on the eyebolt. Thread eyebolt through center hole of the wood top and place the second washer on the eyebolt. Make a very tight knot at the end of the cord. Using the cotter pin thread the cord down through the acorn hex nut all the way to the knot that you made. Now pull this knot very snuggly into the acorn hex nut and attach nut to eyebolt. This can prove difficult. So, you will have to work with the knot and may need to use a screw drive to position the knot inside the nut hole until you're able to get the nut to thread to the eyebolt. Once the acorn hex nut is attached to the eyebolt you can tighten the nut on top. Now you are ready to thread through the striker. Position of the striker will depend on the size chime you have. When you determine the correct position for the striker tie a knot in the cord to secure. Next you will attach the catcher. Thread through the hole and position at least 12 from the striker and tie a knot in the cord to secure. If it doesn't get enough wind play from the catcher to cause striker action, lower the catcher until it does. Congratulations your chime is complete.

Protecting the wood parts

The wood parts you have received are unfinished.

The parts have been lightly sanded. You will need to weather proof the parts so they will be protected from the elements.

Painting is one method. Always use a good primer first.

Staining is another good method. After staining use an oil based seal such as Formby's tung oil.

A good quality linseed oil also works well.