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Your Friends at EternaTree® Present
WHIMMYDIDDLE**

The whimmydiddle (a.k.a. the Hooey stick and the Gee-Haw) is not only one of America's stranger-looking folk toys but it also has some of its weirdest names. Its roots go back in at least two directions: Native American children who played with them called them hoo-doods, and European sorcerers in the Middle Ages (not to be confused with your friends at EternaTree in their middles ages!) used them to cast spells and to detect lies.

Lightly rub back and forth across the 'vertebrae' of the whimmydiddle to make the propeller spin. Don't rub up and down the middle of the notches; instead rub somewhat to the left or right.

When your rubbing stick starts to shred, look over your collection of other useless wood products from your friends at EternaTree – lots of them have dowels you could borrow.

If your whimmydiddle needs assembly, follow these simple directions. Put the brad through the center of the smallest dowel (propeller). Lightly tap the brad into the pre-drilled hole in one of the ends of the largest dowel. Leave room so the propeller spins freely.

