

## USE & CARE INSTRUCTIONS

### EASY TO FILL, EASY TO CLEAN

Wide top allows you to fill and clean with ease.

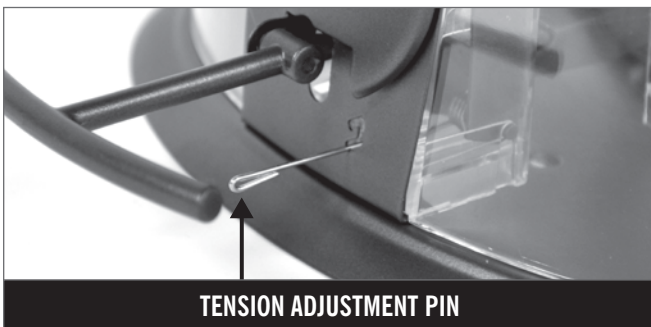


### Filling the Feeder

**Step 1:** Remove the locking roof by gently pulling out on the metal clips below the roof and lifting.

**Step 2:** Pour seed into the wide top.

**Step 3:** To lock the roof back onto the feeder, gently pull on the metal clips, align roof with plastic tabs on feeder and release. Your feeder is now ready to hang. The locking metal roof keeps squirrels out of your feeder



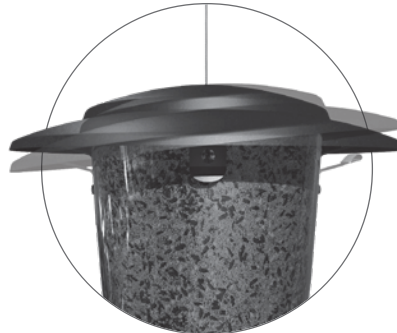
### Choose Your Birds®

Use the tension adjustment pin below the perch to Choose Your Birds®. Use your feeder with the pin in the down position for smaller birds. Larger birds can perch with the pin in the up position.

1. Place the bird feeder pole at least 15 feet or more from any surface the squirrel can jump from, such as a tree, shrub, or house or other bird feeder. You may have to move it farther than that if the squirrel can still jump to it.
2. Mount bird feeder on the pole or shepherds hook and put your feeder at least 5 feet off the ground and place a squirrel baffle, like the Squirrel X Wrap-Around Squirrel Baffle (38023) on the pole below the feeder making sure the baffle is slightly below the feeder, but not touching the feeder. The baffle needs to be high enough off the ground so that the squirrel cannot jump from the ground to above the feeder. You may have to adjust the height of the baffle.
3. Give the squirrels another source of easily accessed food by using a critter feeder, such as the Stokes Select® Squirrel Lunch Box (38079) or the Stokes Select® Tractor Corn Cob feeder (38055). Place the critter feeder at least 15 feet away from bird feeders.
4. Use any one of our great Squirrel X feeders, your Best Defense Against Squirrels!

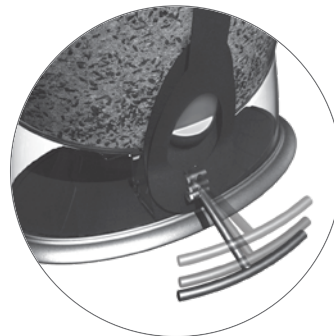
### Cleaning the Feeder

Remove locking metal roof by squeezing the plastic tabs located under the rim and lifting. Hand wash with warm water and a mild antibacterial soap. Rinse thoroughly and let dry completely before refilling with seed. If seed gets caught in the bottom beneath the perches, remove the two screws from the bottom to remove the metal base. To reinstall the base, secure the metal base to the plastic body with the screws. Do not over-tighten.



### Hinged Roof

The hinged roof tilts with the weight of a squirrel and closes both ports.



### Squirrel Proof Ports

Two integrated metal perches are spring loaded to close both ports from the weight of a squirrel.