



## COMMON KITING PROBLEMS

1

**Tie the bridle** ends securely over the (small) harness dowel with a double knot.

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**Fold the kite** in half to find the center point of the bridle and then tie the loop. If the bridle isn't exactly centered the kite will fly left or right.

3

**Keep a few feet of line** on your handle at all times. The kite line is not tied to the spool, and your kite will fly away if it is unwound to the end of the line.

4

**Use cotton**, twisted nylon or polyester line for your kite. A fishing swivel reduces twisting of your line. Any line under tension can cut your hands.

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**Be patient** when you get knots or tangles in your kite line. Tangles are a nuisance, but an inevitable part of kite flying. Find the special "Kite Line Detanglers" in your group and let them shine!