



Model 262 Pellet Rifle  
**OWNER'S MANUAL**



**READ ALL INSTRUCTIONS AND WARNINGS IN  
THIS MANUAL BEFORE USING THIS AIRGUN.**

## **CONGRATULATIONS**

And thank you for choosing Crosman Airguns Model 262 Pellet Air Rifle.

The Model 262 includes many up-to-date features which will mean easier handling, greater accuracy and more enjoyment for you.

- Easy-to-operate bolt style loader.
- Hardwood stock.
- Convenience of CO<sub>2</sub> power.
- Made in the USA.

To get the most enjoyment from your new airgun, please read the owner's manual completely. And remember, the Model 262 is not a toy. Treat it with the same respect you would a firearm. Always carefully follow the safety instructions found in this owner's manual and keep this manual in a safe place for future use.

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BUYER AND USER HAVE THE DUTY TO OBEY ALL LAWS ABOUT THE USE AND OWNERSHIP OF THIS AIRGUN.

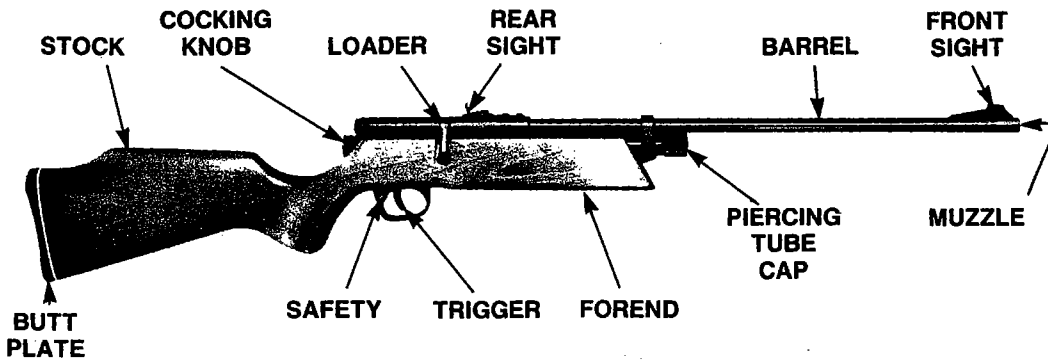
**THIS AIRGUN IS INTENDED FOR USE BY THOSE 16 YEARS OF AGE OR OLDER.**

### STEPS FOR SAFE SHOOTING

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### Step 1. Learning the Parts of Your New Rifle

Learning the names of the parts of your new rifle will help you to understand your owner's manual. Use this manual to increase your airgun enjoyment.



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### Step 2. Operating the Safety

A. To put the rifle "On Safe", locate the safety directly behind the trigger. Push the safety from the left side all the way in. (Fig. 1). The safety is not on unless it is pushed all the way in and the red ring around the safety is not showing. The rifle will not fire when "On Safe".

B. Even when the safety is "On Safe" you should continue to handle the rifle safely. Don't point the gun at anything you don't intend to shoot.

C. To take the rifle "Off Safe", push the safety from the right side all the way in. When you can see the red ring around the safety, the rifle is "Off Safe" and will fire.

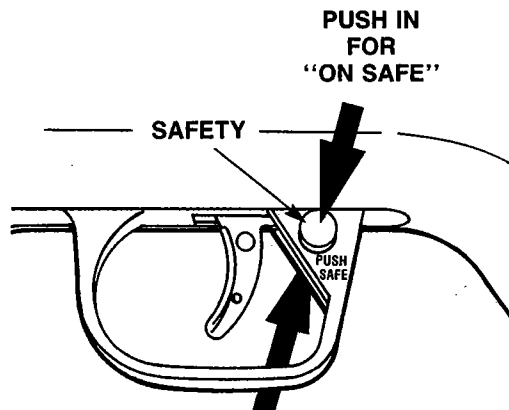


FIG. 1

PUSH IN FROM RIGHT FOR "OFF SAFE"

**WARNING: KEEP THE RIFLE "ON SAFE" UNTIL YOU ARE ACTUALLY READY TO SHOOT. THEN PUSH IT TO "OFF SAFE".**

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### Step 3. Removing and Installing CO<sub>2</sub> Cylinder

**CAUTION: KEEP HANDS AWAY FROM ESCAPING CO<sub>2</sub> GAS. IT CAN CAUSE FROSTBITE IF ALLOWED TO COME IN CONTACT WITH SKIN.**

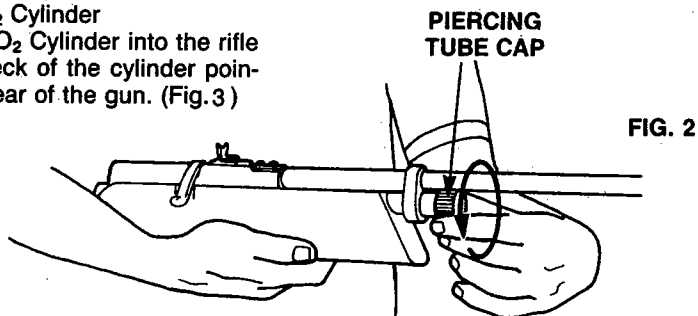
#### A. Removing CO<sub>2</sub> Cylinder

- Put rifle on safe. (See Step 2)
- Holding the rifle by the forend, turn the piercing tube cap until you can remove it. (Fig. 2)
- After removing cap, point the rifle down and the used CO<sub>2</sub> cartridge will drop out.

#### B. Installing New CO<sub>2</sub> Cylinder

- Insert the new CO<sub>2</sub> Cylinder into the rifle with the small neck of the cylinder pointing toward the rear of the gun. (Fig. 3)

- Screw the piercing tube cap firmly into place by turning it with your fingers.
- Point the rifle in a SAFE DIRECTION, cock the rifle (see step 5), take off safe, and pull the trigger. If the rifle does not fire, tighten the piercing cap a little more and try to fire again. Do not overtighten the piercing tube cap or use a tool on this cap. This can damage your rifle.
- Return safety to on safe position.



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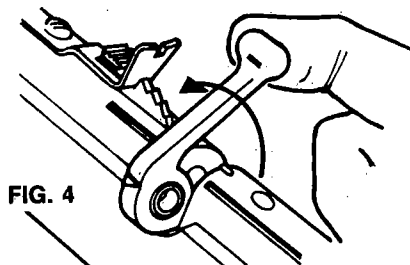
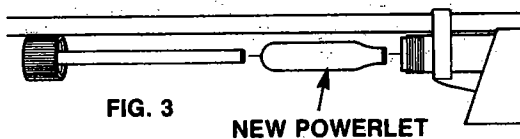
**NOTE:** We recommend the use of Crosman Copperhead CO<sub>2</sub> Powerlets®. They are made to fit the 262. Other brands of CO<sub>2</sub> cylinders may not fit properly and if you force them into place it may result in injury to you or damage to your rifle. Never try to force any CO<sub>2</sub> cylinder into place.

### Step 4. Loading and Unloading the Rifle

#### A. Loading the Rifle

- Put the rifle "On Safe". (See Step 2).
- Push pellet loader open as shown in Fig. 4.
- Place pellet, nose first, into the pellet loader. (Fig. 5). To avoid jams, make sure pellet skirt is flush with the back of the loader.
- Close the pellet loader. Make sure you have pushed it all the way over so the pellet is properly aligned with the barrel. The loader is closed properly when the arrow on the loader is lined up with the line on the breech. (Fig. 5).

**WARNING: CO<sub>2</sub> CYLINDERS MAY EXPLODE AT TEMPERATURES ABOVE 120° F.**



**CAUTION: USE .177 CALIBER PELLETS ONLY, NEVER REUSE PELLETS. USE OF ANY PELLET OTHER THAN .177 CALIBER CAN CAUSE INJURY TO YOU OR DAMAGE TO THE RIFLE.**

