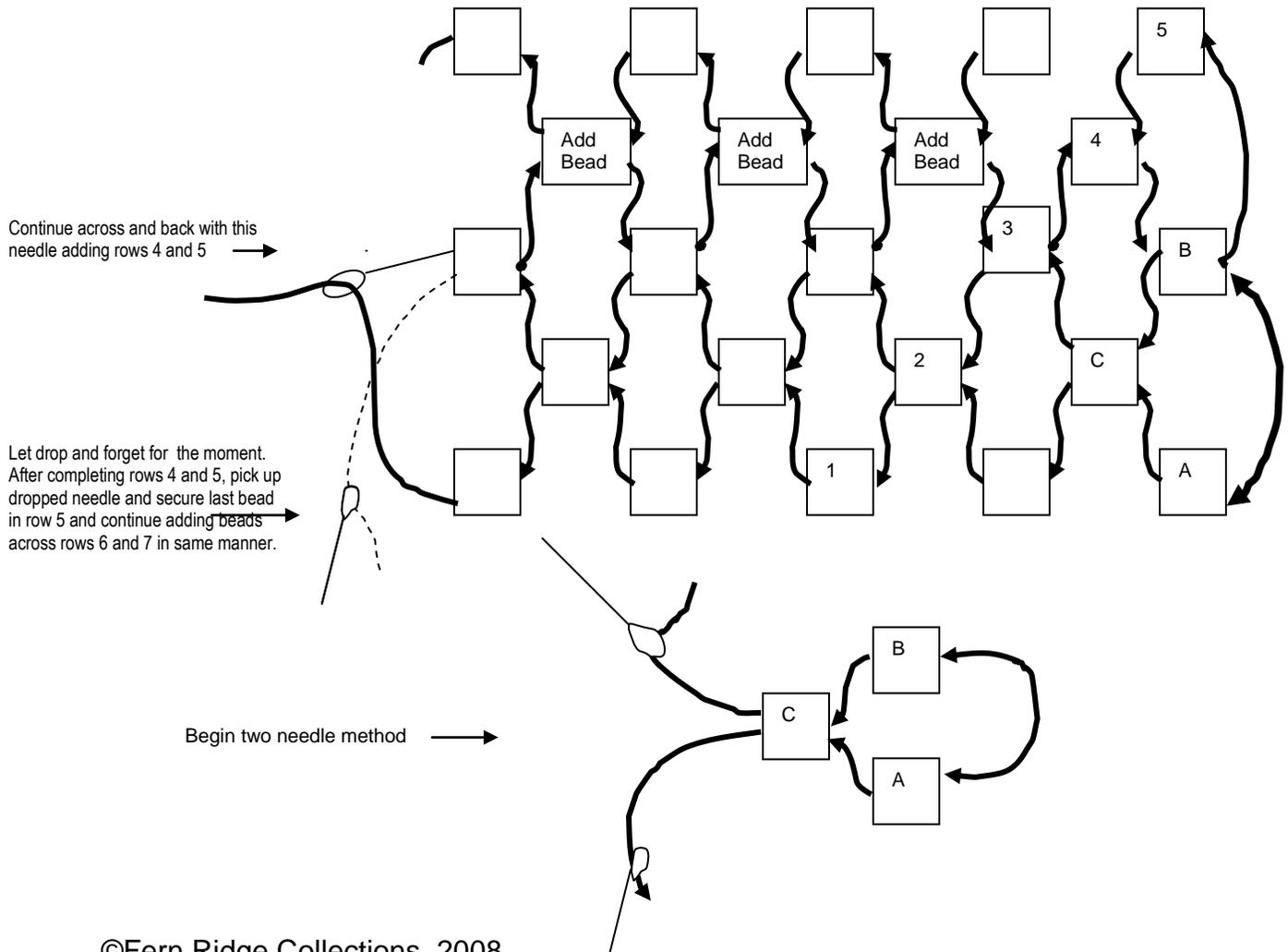


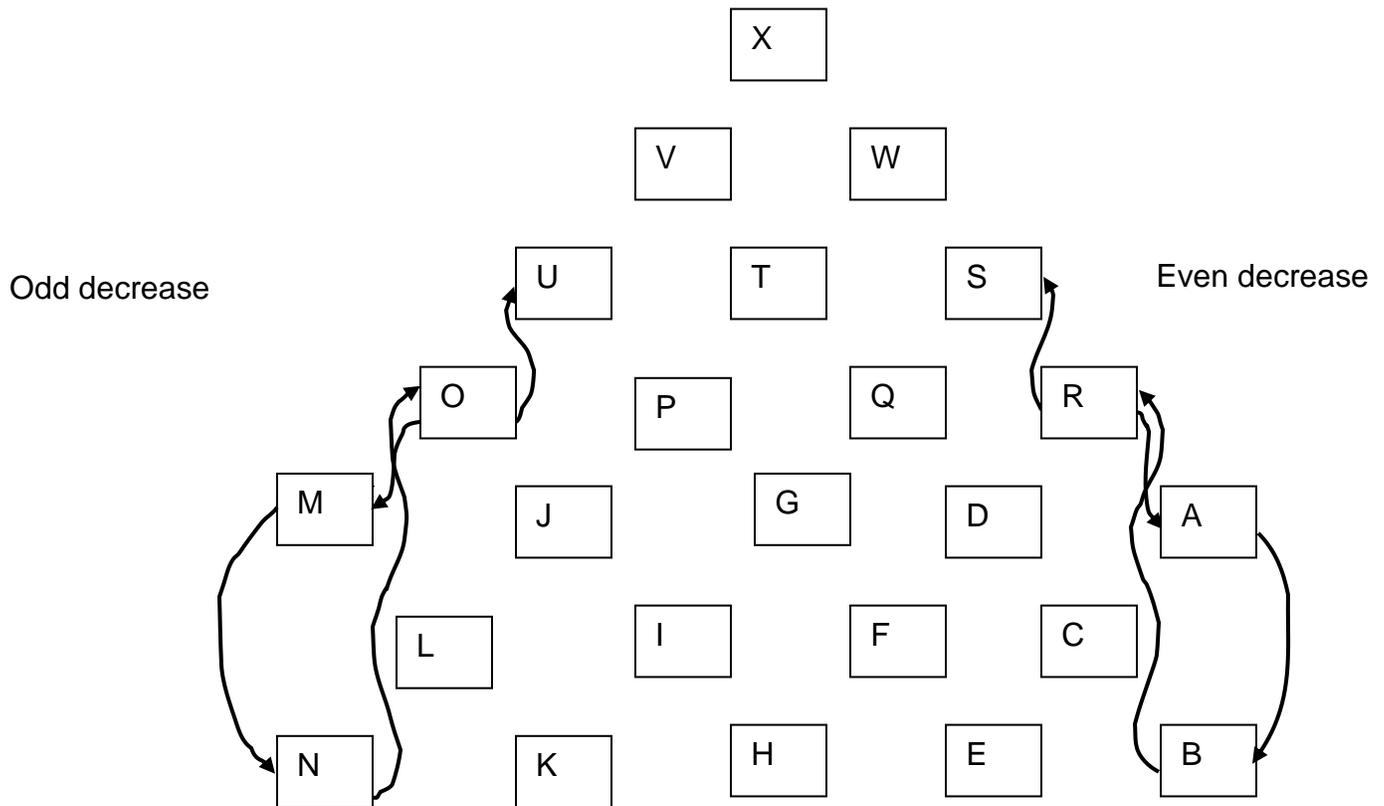
# PEYOTE INSTRUCTIONS

Peyote beading, where the beads fit together like bricks (see chart diagram), is in-hand, off-loom, beading. Rows are counted on the diagonal. Start with a piece of thread about 2 yds long. You will string the first three rows on at one time, using two needles. (see instructions below). After the first three rows are in place, you will continue one row at a time, back and forth, according to the pattern. You may use the chart or written instructions for bead sequence. To bead, (after the first three rows) turn work, and again working right to left, put one bead on needle of the top thread, and go through the next "up" bead. This will secure the last bead on the top row (or row 3). Continue across the row, and turn and come back across, going through "up" beads. At the end of the row (odd rows), drop the needle in hand, and pick up the dangling needle (from bottom thread) and bring thread on this needle back through the last delica on the row just attached. (the diagram should make this clearer.) See instructions, on back, to decrease for point. At the top, attach beads in order as pictured by going up through all specialty beads, then through clam shell (at end of lobster claw) and then back down through all specialty beads again. Go through the top delica again and back up through specialty beads and clam shell. Repeat through all beads again for a total of three times to secure. You are ready to attach your scissors!

## Two-Needle Method:



TO DECREASE:



Odd decrease: Out “O”, through “M”, out “M” and through “N”. Burying thread in channel, go up and through “O” and out and add bead U. Continue across row adding beads and decreasing at end of each row.

Even decrease: Out “R”, through “A”, out “A” and through “B”. Burying thread in channel, go up and through “R” and out and add bead S. Continue across row adding beads and decreasing at end of each row.