

## WHEELS AND TIRES

### WHEEL REMOVAL

If you need to remove a wheel from your Sportrax, follow these procedures:

1. Raise the front (or rear) wheels off the ground and place a support securely under the vehicle.
2. Loosen the wheel nuts (Fig. 4-30) with a 17 mm socket wrench.
3. Remove the wheel.

When reinstalling a wheel, tighten the wheel nuts in a crisscross (rather than a circular) pattern.

*Wheel nuts torque:*

47 lbf·ft (64 N·m , 6.5 kgf·m)

Be sure the tapered side of the wheel nuts face the wheel rim (2).

### **⚠ WARNING**

#### **POTENTIAL HAZARD**

***Installing wheels improperly.***

#### **WHAT CAN HAPPEN**

***A wheel may come loose, possibly leading to an accident.***

#### **HOW TO AVOID THE HAZARD**

***Carefully follow the instructions in this Owner's Manual when installing wheels.***