

Plan 5 Winter Roost

SUPPLIES NEEDED:

LUMBER:

ONE - 1" X 10" X 10' BOARD

ONE - 3' LONG 3/8" WOODEN DOWEL

OTHER TOOLS AND SUPPLIES NEEDED:

SCREW DRIVER.

TWO SMALL HINGES.

1-1/2" LONG WOOD OR GALVANIZED DRYWALL SCREWS.

CAULKING: TUBE OF BLACK ROOF CEMENT.

CAULKING GUN FOR ABOVE.

BLACK STAIN OR PAINT.

BLACK ROLLED ROOFING: 9-3/4" X 15-1/4"

UTILITY KNIFE WITH SNAP OFF BLADES.

ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS:

Cut out parts & drill 3/8" holes all the way through FRONT, BACK, & SIDES as shown.

With knife, roughen interior surfaces with scratches 1/4" apart for climbing footholds.

Attach door to upper right side with hinges. Insert 9-1/2" dowel to two sides, gluing or caulking ends in place. Caulk back edges of SIDES and attach to BACK. Clean excess caulk.

CAULKING SEAMS ELIMINATES DRAFTS.

Install Floor. Use only 1 screw on right side to secure bottom of door.

Attach ROOST LEDGE to BACK and left SIDE.

Cement 11" dowels into holes on BACK.

Caulk front edges of SIDES.

Push box FRONT into place and, at the same time, align and glue dowels into holes located in box FRONT. Secure with screws.

Apply bead of caulk to top of SIDES, FRONT, and back edge of ROOF. Attach ROOF.

Apply 2 or 3 coats of black stain/paint to exterior.

Apply bead of caulk on roof surface and edges. Push ROLLED ROOFING into place. Clean excess caulk. Caulk back edge of rolled roofing where it butts against BACK.

If necessary, staples or roofing nails may be used to help hold roofing in place until cement has cured.

