

# 2016 Squirrel Box

## Materials:

1 - 1"x 8"x 8' piece of untreated, unpainted lumber  
Cedar (preferred) or Pine

16 - Deck screws, Phillips or flat head only.

**Please do not use socket or square heads.**

Once a box is in use we need to be able to remove the top with a standard hand screwdriver.

## Tools:

Bench saw  
Electric drill  
3" Hole saw with mandrel  
1/4" or larger drill bit  
Tape measure and pencil

## Cut lumber as follows:

1 - 25" piece (Back) 3 - 16 1/2" pieces (sides and front) 1 - 8" piece (bottom) 1 - ~10- 12" piece (top)

25"	16 1/2"	16 1/2"	16 1/2"	8"	~10-12"
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## Assemble the box as shown below.

Center a 3" hole in one of the 16 1/2" pieces, approx. 2 3/4" from the top. The piece with the opening hole may go on either the right or left side of the box, with the top overhang over it.

