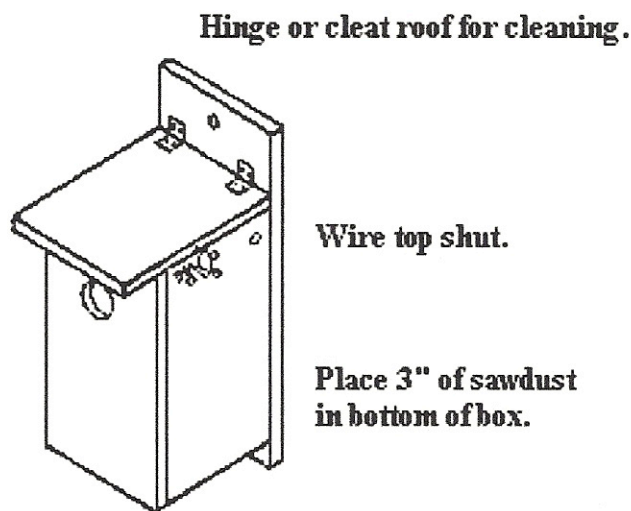
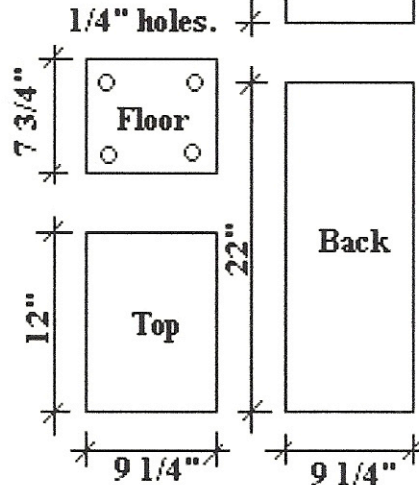
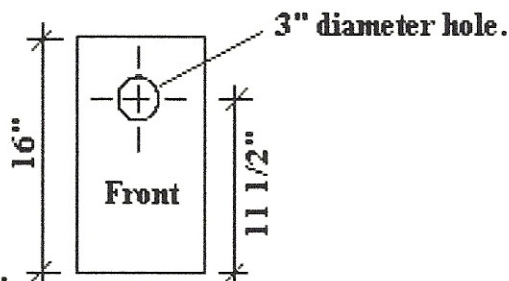
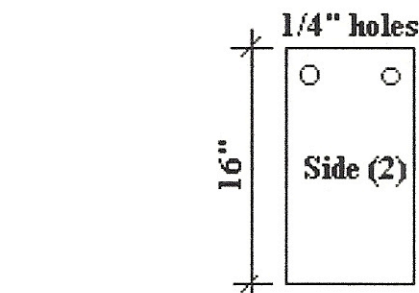
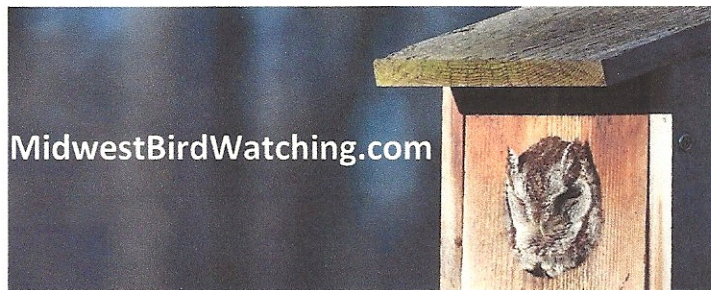


Screech Owl Nest Box Plans

Entrance hole diameter is 3 inches.

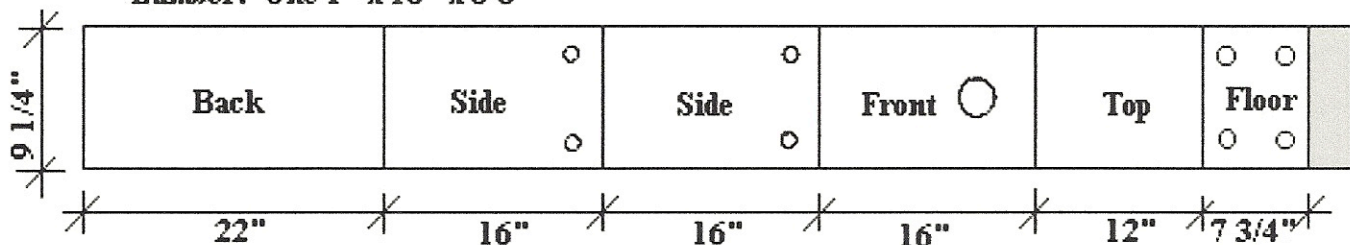


Hinge or cleat roof for cleaning.

Wire top shut.

Place 3" of sawdust in bottom of box.

Lumber: One 1" x 10" x 8'0"



Use untreated lumber; treated wood may pose a health risk to the owls. Install the box in a tree at a height of 30 feet, preferably beneath the canopy so the owl has a clear flight path. Keep cats inside your home at all times; they are one of the primary threats to screech owls and will climb the tree to get to the nest box. Screech owls search for nest and roost sites throughout the year so the sooner a box is in place, the more time your owls have to discover it!

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