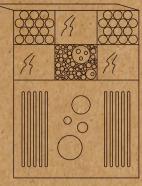


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## craft instructions

Here's how it works:

- Enjoy your bottle of wine.
   Remove all materials from the box.
- Turn the box with the ribs so that the hole is facing up.
- 3. Fill the bottom left and bottom right with wood shavings.
- Break the perforated lid into small pieces – be careful, as the wood can splinter! We recommend wearing gloves. Layer the broken pieces randomly in the middle, lower section.



- 5. Slide the front lid with the openings into the box from above, over the wood shavings and broken pieces, and place the piece with the narrow slit as an additional intermediate shelf. Use the narrow strips from the broken plate for stabilisation.
- Attach the hanging rope to the lid panel and through the top holes in the back of the box, securing it with a knot.
- 7. Gradually mix clay and sand in a bowl with a little water until a thick clay base forms.
  Fill this into the upper compartments just a little where you will later add cork and reed stems, and a bit more in the ones where the clay will stay exposed. Press small holes (nesting chambers) into the exposed clay.
- 8. Finally, layer the cork and reed stems into the remaining compartments so that they are held in place by the still-moist clay. You can also insert reed stems into the circular wooden discs and place them between the reeds. Important: Make sure everything is packed tightly so birds can't pull the tubes back out.

If you like, sow some wildflower seeds near your insect hotel to make your little guests feel even more at home.

Have fun building it! Your CLE team

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