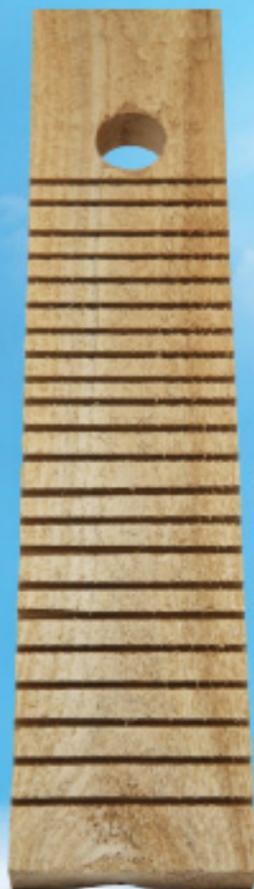


Chickadee Nest Box

Everyone loves chickadees, one of the cutest, friendliest, birds in the forest!

A new, unique, rounded, Audubon design which resembles the secure nesting environment provided by a hollow tree. It's based on studies begun at Ohio State University in the mid-1990's and further developed by Canadian Chickadee researchers Ken Otter and Daniel Mennill.



Kerfs

Steps (kerfs) cut into the front interior reduce risk for nestlings by helping them leave more easily when the time comes.



Made with white cedar

harvested sustainably from our own and neighbouring woodlots.

Why Cedar?

It's the material of choice for outdoor projects like fences and decks because it naturally resists rot and insects.



- ✓ Hang the nest box in a shaded area frequented by chickadees at a height that allows easy checking. The birds prefer a flight path that is unobstructed by nearby trees and branches.
- ✓ To attract chickadees fill the nest box with wood shavings. The birds will remove.
- ✓ Chickadees lay eggs between May and July, often within two days of nesting. They usually lay one egg per day for about a week.
- ✓ Fledging normally occurs at 16 days.



Recessed floor is protected from weather. Drainage holes maintain dry interior conditions.



Corrosion-free metal pins secure the roof which can be quickly and easily removed for nest inspection.



Sturdy blocks allow easy, secure, mounting with a rope or cable, to a steel or wood post.