



40-spotted pardalote boxes

Use good quality weather resistant ply - say 12-18 mm or similar. Paint the outside with light colour waterproof paint.

All measurements in mm

Ends: 132 * 120

Sides: 132 * 245

Base: 245 * 120 + twice plywood thickness

Lid: 285 * 120 + twice plywood thickness

Baffle: 50 * 120 (install 70mm from front)

Mounting support: 55 * 280

Front end has hole 25mm diameter in centre.

Hinge the lid with a single button head screw at the back corner so the lid can be swivelled aside to check and clean the box periodically

Use the mounting plate to screw into the tree, so the box is more or less level. Two 75mm tek screws or similar work well.

Paint the box with light colour exterior white paint to protect it from the elements and give it a unique number

Register your box and monitor it for activity

Once you've made the box and secured it as high as you can in a white gum, register the box with its unique number and monitor it in the breeding season - August to November



Scan the QR code for registration and monitoring