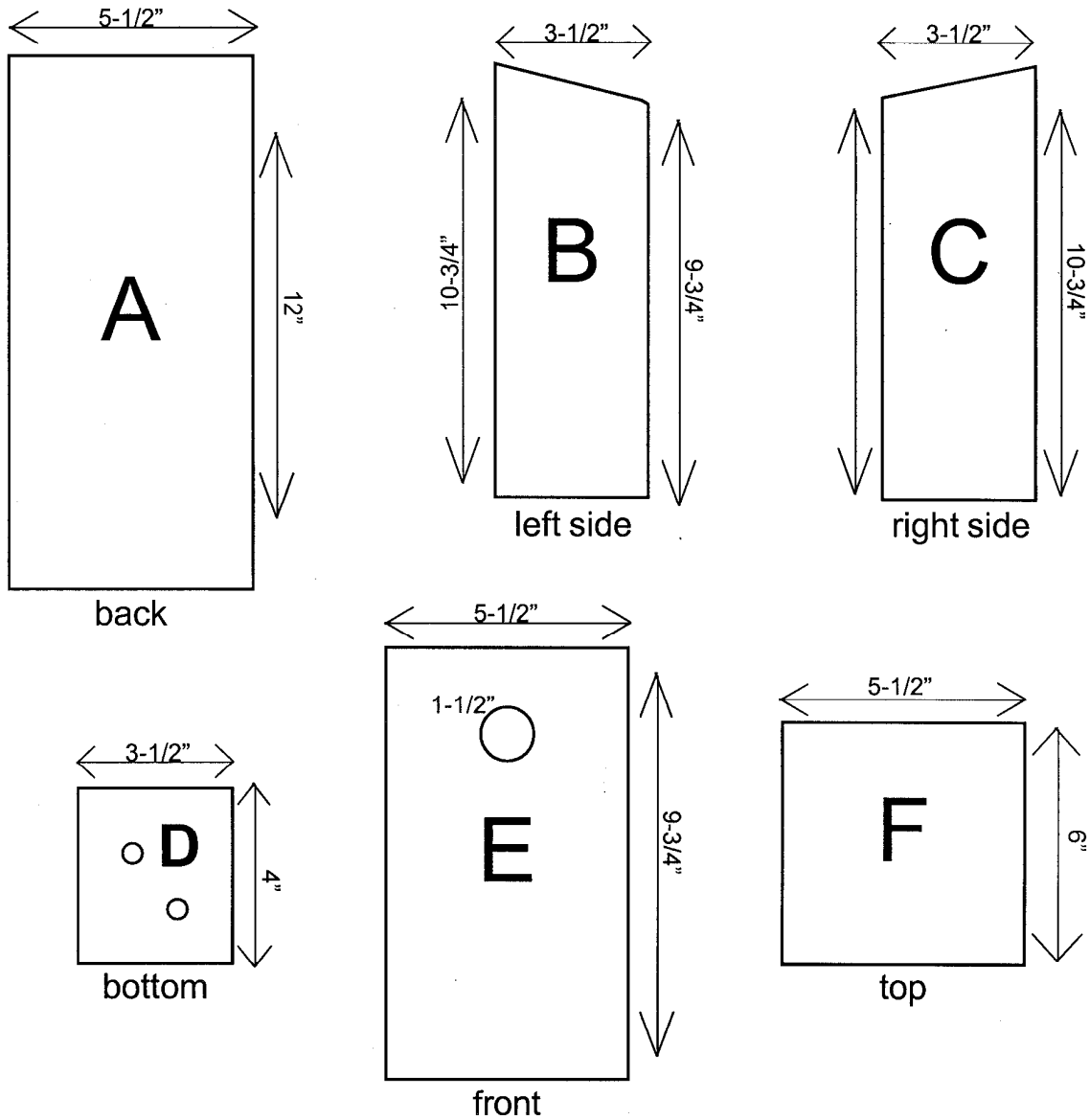
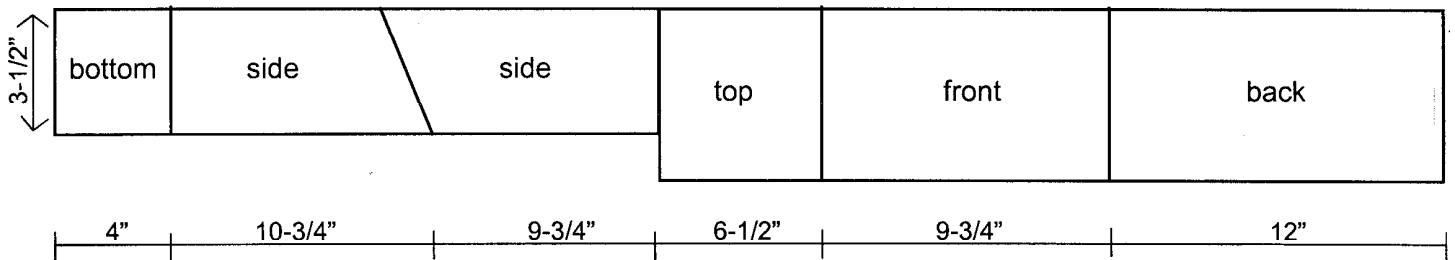


# Building plans for Bluebird nesting box



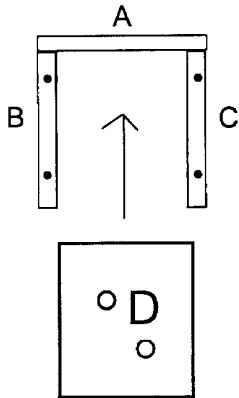
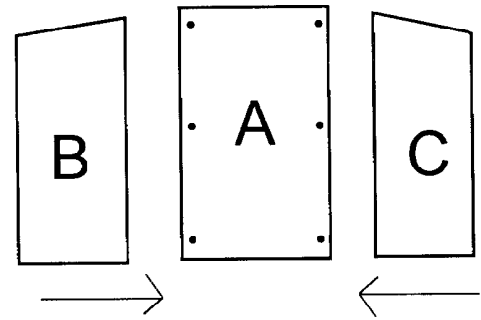
## Rough lumber cut



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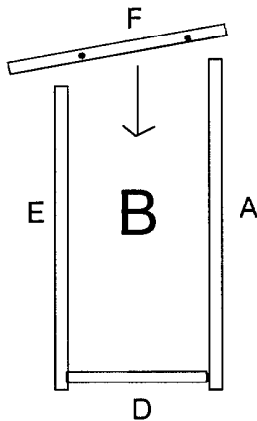
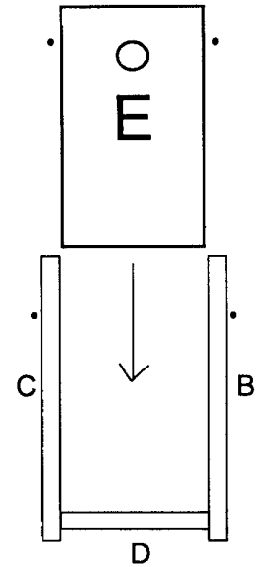
**Step 1)** Using three (3) nails on the left side of the back of piece A (back), attach piece B (left side) to piece A being sure to place B flush to A.

**Step 2)** Repeat with piece C (right side).



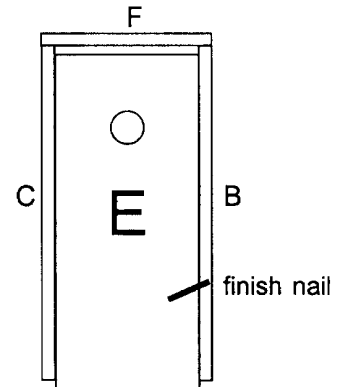
**Step 3)** Take piece D (bottom) and using two (2) nails on each side attach piece D to piece B and C about 1/2" from the bottom edge of A, B and C. Attach D so it is flush with A (back).

**Step 4)** Take piece E (front) and fit between piece B and C, about 1/8" from the top. Using two finish nails, attach piece E by nailing through the sides of piece B and C about 1-1/2" from the top. This allows the front to pivot open.



**Step 5)** Nail piece F (top) flush to piece A, B and C, overhanging the front of the box by 1-3/4".

**Step 6)** Using finish nail, nail onto front of piece B about 3" from the bottom. Bend nail to cover piece E (front). To open front, swivel nail down. To secure front, swivel nail up.



**Notes:**

- Use ring nails (with ridges) to attach pieces A, B, C, D and F together. Use finish nails (smooth) to attach front E to the box and for the swivel nail.
- When attaching finish nails to piece E (Step 4), use a square to make sure the nails are placed exactly the same distance from the top of the box. If they are not placed exactly the same distance the top will not open easily.
- When nailing pieces together, be sure to nail at least 1/4" in from the edge. This keeps the wood from splitting.