

Bird-Block Installation Instructions for 6" Internal Jack Goals

WARNING

When using a ladder or stepladder, there is the risk of falling. A fall can cause serious injury or death. Use a ladder or stepladder with caution and only as instructed by the manufacturer.

Dust from bird debris can be harmful. When cleaning out debris, make sure there is adequate ventilation and wear a dust filter face mask.

Do not install or use this product unless the directions on these instruction sheets have been carefully read and understood.

Required Tools and Materials

Items included with kit:

- (1) Bird-Block Plate
- (2) #10 16 x 3/4"



Other required items:

- Stepladder
- Drill
- 11/64" Bit
- 5/16" Hex Head Driver
- Stick of Wood, Jack Handle or Equivalent
- Tools to Remove Debris (See Below)

Preparation

IMPORTANT: Before installing *Bird-Block*, the area around the internal jack and offset area of pole must have excessive bird debris, such as old nests and other loose materials removed. Failure to remove debris may result in debris becoming tightly packed around jack – causing difficult operation.

Step 1: Turn jack handle clockwise to fully raise goal.

Step 2: Reach in through the top opening and clean out excessive bird debris, such as old nests and other loose materials from the area around the internal jack and offset area of pole. Clean down as far as can be reached. If a total cleanout of the unit is necessary, other tools (see list at right) can be used, or disassembly of the unit may be performed.

Tools useful for cleaning out debris:

- Needle-Nose Pliers
- Wire with a hook-shaped on the end
- Dowel or Rod

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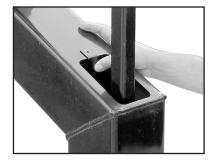
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Installation

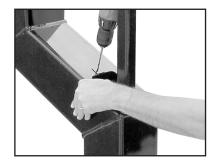


Step 1: Insert *Bird-Block* along one side of jack with the straight tab inside and the bent tab (with a pre-drilled hole) outside.

IMPORTANT: Keep a firm grip on the *Bird-Block* to prevent it from falling into pole.



Step 2: Maneuver the *Bird-Block* around to the rear side of pole opening. Make sure bent tab is on top and the *Bird-Block* is centered in the opening.



Step 3: Using hole in tab as a template, drill an 11/64" hole through the angled surface of pole.



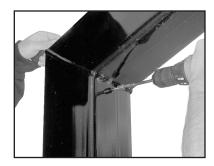
Step 4: Using a 5/16" hex head driver, install a #10 – 16 x 3/4" screw into hole that was just drilled.



Step 5: On the back side of pole, drill another 11/64" hole – centered on pole and 3/16" down from the weld.



Step 6: Using a stick of wood or the handle of the jack, apply rearward pressure to bottom of internal tab of *Bird-Block* to keep it tight against back inside surface of pole.



Step 7: With *Bird-Block* held in place, use the hole previously drilled in the pole as a template and drill an 11/64" hole on through bottom internal tab of *Bird-Block*.



Step 8: Continue to hold pressure against *Bird-Block* and install a #10 – 16 x 3/4" screw through pole and bottom internal tab *Bird-Block*.



Step 9: Congratulations, your *Bird-Block* installation is now complete.

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