

Chicken Coop Manual

Gambrel Barn / Colonial Gable



4x6
Gambrel Barn Coop



6x8
Colonial Gable Coop

Tools Needed:

- Cordless Drill (12V or higher)
- #2 Square Drive Bit
- Hammer
- 6' Step Ladder
- Tape Measure
- Square utility knife
w/ blade & hook blade
- Speed Square



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Thank you for purchasing from Little Cottage Co. ! Now locate and review your packaging list and identify all construction materials. Quantities may vary by unit size.

2



Now layout your 4x4 runners as shown.

3



Now locate the floor and in set on 4x4 runners as shown.

4



Secure with 2 1/2" screws shown from the side.

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Secure with 2 1/2" screws as shown from the end.

6



Next install the walls in alphabetical order as shown.

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secure the wall with 2 1/2" screws as shown.

8



Continue securing the wall as shown.

9



Continue with the walls as shown and secure with 2 1/2" screws.

10



Fasten the other end with 2 1/2" screws. After corners are secure, make sure the wall is in place all the way and secure with 2 1/2" screws every 16" to 24".

11



Now install the gable wall with the door.

12



Make sure the two wall corners are connected properly and use your angle square as shown. Secure with 2 1/2" screws.

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Do the same as the previous picture.

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Next secure the bottom with 2 1/2" screws.

15



You can now remove the door brace.

16



Fasten the inside corners with 2 1/2" screws.

17



Now install opposite gable wall.

18



Continue same as other gable.

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19



Do the same as the previous picture.

20



Secure the bottom with 2 1/2" screws as shown.

21



Now locate the nest boxes.

22



Install them by the letters and secure with 1 1/4" screws.

23



Continue with the nest box.

24



Secure inside as shown with 2 1/2" screws.

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Now install side panels and secure with 1 1/4" screws.

26



Make sure the small wall is in against the wall as shown and secure with 2 1/2" screws.

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Do the same as picture #26.

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Continue with the same as picture #27.

29



Install the inside dividers and insert the screws in the predrilled holes.

30



Continue with dividers.

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31



Completed nest boxes.

32



Now install the lid with the 3" t-hinges as shown.

33



Secure all corners with 1 1/4" screws, every 6" to 8" .

34



Secure outside bottom edges, with 1 1/4" screws every 6" to 8" .

35



Now install trusses.

36



Use angle square as shown to make sure the truss is flush on the outside of the 2x6 and secure with 2 1/2" screws.

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Next install the door latch.

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See the box for installation.

39



Secure with 1 1/4" screws as shown.

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Install the aluminum corners with 1 1/4" screws.

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Continue with the corners...

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Next install the roof sheeting and secure with 1 1/4" screws.

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43



Continue with sheeting.

44



Secure with 1 1/4" screws, every 6" to 8" on center.

45



Install the bottom section as shown.

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Completed with the sheathing.

47



Install the chicken ramp as shown and secure with 1 1/4" screws.

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Install the small piece of siding on the inside as shown to keep the eggs from rolling out.

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Install the chicken roost.

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Now install the drip edge as shown.

51



Secure with 1 1/4" screws.

52



Cut the drip edge with tin snips as shown to make it fit.

53



Next install starter strip and secure 3/4" nails.

54



Continue with starter strip.

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Shingle in a staggered fashion as shown.

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Continue with shingles.

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Nail tabs down where there is a break in the roof, as shown, nail with the 3/4" nails.

58



Now install the ridge caps, as shown and use the 2" nails.

59



Continue with caps as shown.

60



Your completed Coop!