# **Money Box**

### Kit Inventory

- o Two (2) End Panels
- o Front, Back, and Bottom Panels
- o Two (2) Top Rails
- o Four (4) End Rails
- o Locking Rail
- o Holder Panel (left), Runner Panel (left) and Left Outer Panel
- o Holder Panel (right), Runner Panel (right) and Right Outer Panel
- o Holder Panel (top), Runner Panel (top) and Top Outer Panel

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o Bag of Black (.280") alignment pegs (6+)

#### Other Items Needed

- Glue I use a "craft" type tacky glue such as "Aleenes Tacky Glue" which can be found at craft stores like Michael's.
- Sandpaper to smooth any rough edges and make parts slide easier.
- Wax/parrafin also to make parts slide better.

#### **General Notes:**

- All writing on parts is oriented the same way on each side unless otherwise noted.
- This puzzle is assembled with the writing on the plywood pieces facing out. When the outer layer pieces are glued on the writing on those pieces faces inwards.
- Check the fit before gluing and sand/file any pieces that do not slide smoothly
- I find that light sanding of the faces of sliding pieces makes for better boxes. I also use paraffin/candle wax on the surfaces to get smoothly moving pieces.
- I use Aleene's tacky glue for gluing parts. I glue the pieces and then hold them together for ~15 seconds and they will stay in place until the glue dries.
- Be careful when attaching outer sides, spacers and covers to keep glue away from areas where it might squeeze out underneath and get on any of the sliding parts. If possible glue those parts without the sliding pieces in place so you can clean up any glue squeeze out.
- Clean up glue squeeze out while the glue is still soft as it is much harder after it dries.
- When sanding flat sides it is better to place the sheet of sandpaper on a flat surface and move the puzzle piece over the sandpaper. This keeps the face flat and prevents rounding over the edges.

## **Assemble Inner Box**

Start by gluing the front, back and bottom panels to the plywood end Panels. The writing on the end panels should be facing outwards and the writing on the bottom panel should face towards the inside of the box/towards the top.



## **Add Rail Pieces**

After the glue has dried, the end rails are added to the box. After glueing each rai, make sure that the holder panel for that side can fit under the rails.



## **Sliding Panels**

The remainder of the instructions are included with the puzzle kit.



