



Dream Capsule Glamping Barrel Assembly Instructions



Requirements:

2 People (recommended)

Rubber Mallet

Carpenter Level

Carpenter Square

Tape Measure

Cordless Drill (we supply the bit)

Phillips & Robertson Screwdriver

Stapler

1 ¼" Staples

¼" Nut Driver

Step Ladder

Utility Knife

Saw



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Base Preparation

Make sure the base for your Dream Capsule Glamping Barrel is level.

A solid base is recommended and can be made from any of the following.



Concrete Pad



Wood Deck



Crushed Stone



Patio Stone/Paver Blocks

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Lay out the 4 cradles on a level base.



Locate bottom stave (convex on either side).



Center the stave onto the cradle and measure 12" (30cm) from the end of the stave to the edge of the back cradle.



Secure the stave with a 2 ½" (64mm) screw.

Ensure that the stave is square and add 3 more 2 ½" (64mm) screws into each corner of the cradle.

Fasten screws through the side of the bottom stave to hide the screws for a cleaner look.

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Repeat the process for the front of the sauna ensuring the bottom stave is centered and square to the front cradle.



Measure out one of the middle cradles 45" (114cm) from the inside of the front cradle to the inside of the middle cradle.

Ensure the bottom stave is centered and square to the cradle and secure with 4 a 2 ½" (64mm) screws.

Repeat at opposite end.



Place 3 staves on one side of the bottom stave and align the grooves.

Use a rubber mallet if required to get staves tight together.

Secure the 3rd stave to each cradle using 2 ½" (64mm) screws.



Repeat with 3 more staves on the other side of the bottom stave.

Cedar Barrel Sauna Assembly Instructions



Slide the door into the front dado groove.

Ensure it opens outward and is level and centered.



Repeat the process for the middle door ensuring the cabinet doors open towards the front of the barrel.



Secure the half wall panel to the middle door using 2 ½" (64mm) screws in the predrilled holes at the top and bottom.

Repeat for the opposite side.



Panels may be not be exact size to middle wall.

Center the half-moon panels vertically on the middle wall and secure in place.

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Repeat the process for front wall with the 2 remaining half-moon wall pieces.



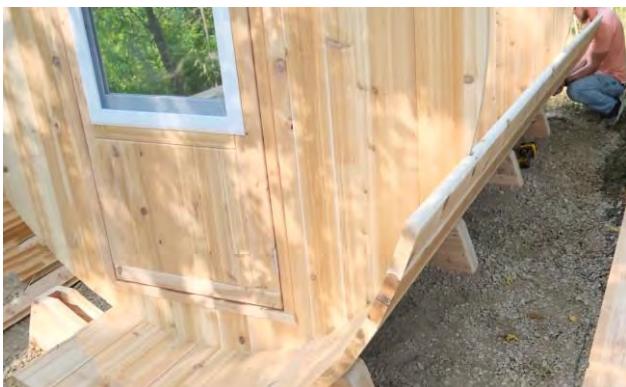
Continue adding staves on one side of the barrel.

Use the rubber mallet to finesse into place.



Secure every 2nd stave on the bottom of the barrel with the provided nails to hold staves in place.
(If required)

Once past the middle point of barrel, nails should no longer be needed.



Once 10 staves are installed, repeat the process on the opposite side of the barrel.

Continue to add staves on either side until you are around the halfway mark.

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When installing the staves, tap tightly together while leaving as much of a gap as possible between stave and wall using the pencil line as a guide as in picture.

This will make the tightening of the bands easier.



Once the staves are installed halfway on both sides of the barrel, slide the dome into the groove at the back of the barrel.



Place the top stave over the walls and the dome temporarily to hold in place.



Continue to install the staves on both sides until you reach the top of the barrel.

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When you reach the top, you will find that the top wall stave doesn't look like it fits properly, this is normal.

If it doesn't create an "A" shape or there is a gap, you will need to add one of the spacer boards to the top stave.



To add the spacer, start by removing all of the screws from the top stave.

Secure the spacer stave to the half of the top stave without the screws with 2" (51mm) screws.

Now screw the other side of the top stave back to the other half top stave



Place the assembled top stave with the regular staves to create the "A" shape on the top of the barrel.



Pre-assemble 2 of the bands and thread the nut on just enough to hold it together.

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Place one band over the front of the barrel.

Repeat the process and place the second band over the back of the barrel.

Ensure to position the nuts and bolts to be able to access later.



For the middle bands, feed the bands over and under the barrel between each set of cradles and secure it with a rod and nut.

The front set of cradles will have 2 bands between them.



Slide the bands into their final locations.

1st and 6th will be 2" (51mm) from the ends, the 2nd band over the porch wall and the 4th over the middle wall.

Place the 3rd band in the middle between the 2nd and 4th band and the 5th centered between the 4th and 6th.



Lightly snug up bands 1,2 and 4 while using a rubber mallet to tap the staves out & in as needed to get the last wall stave and top stave to sit properly together.

Tap up (from the inside of the sauna so you don't break the ends) or down, by hammering on the band to attain a uniform circle shape.

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As your tapping the staves and tightening the bands, the top of the barrel should start to take a circular shape.



Give the 2nd, 4th and 6th band a quick tightening.

Ensure the dome is sitting in the groove all the way around the barrel before tightening the 6th band.

Snug up the remaining bands.



Continue to use the rubber mallet to tap the staves into position as you are giving the bands a final tightening.

Tighten all bands completely!

Don't worry about making them too tight, you cannot overtighten!

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To start the installation of the skylight window, place the window frame on the top of the barrel in your desired location or locations if more than 1 skylight is ordered.



Ensure it is centered and trace out the inside of the frame.



Cut out the staves on the line.

Use a sander to smooth out your cuts.



Center the frame over the cut-out hole.

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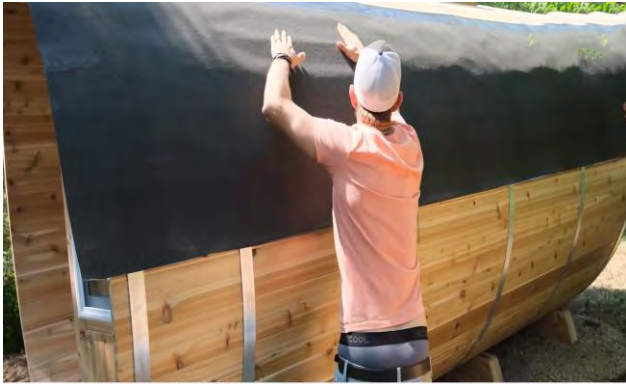
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Secure the skylight frame to the barrel using 1 ½" (38mm) screws.



The ice & water shield for the bevel roofing will get aligned with the top of the middle stave on the side of the barrel.



To start the installation of your bevel roofing, unpeel the top of the ice & water shield and stick it to the side of the barrel.



Remove the film from the bottom of the ice & water shield, fold the excess over the edge of the barrel on both ends and secure with staples.

Repeat on opposite side of the barrel.

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Remove the film from the back and place another sheet of the ice & water shield on the barrel.

Ensure it overlaps the glossy portion of the 1st sheet.



Cut out an opening for the skylight and fit the ice & water shield around it.

If no skylight was ordered, apply the ice & water shield in the same manner as the previous step.

Repeat on opposite side.



Use the smaller pieces of the ice & water to cover the skylight frame completely.



Apply the weatherstripping on the top of the skylight frame.

Remove the paper backing from the top of the weatherstripping.

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Slide the skylight over the frame pushing it down tight.



Secure the skylight with the provided roofing screws.



Fold the remaining ice & water shield over the edge of the barrel on both ends and secure with staples.



Using a utility knife, cut off the excess rubber flush to the edge of the staves on the front and back of the sauna.

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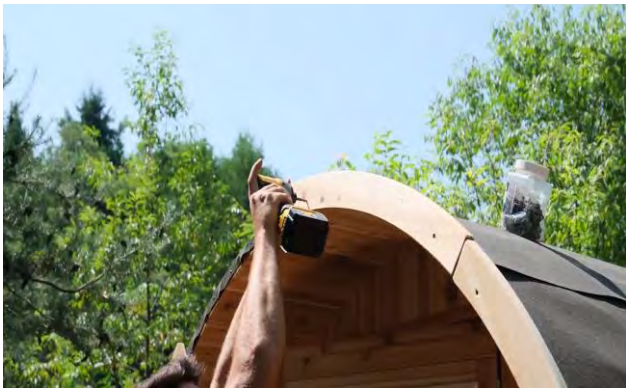
Start installing the trim by placing the first piece of trim centered at the bottom of the barrel.

Ensure it is $\frac{1}{4}$ " (6mm) above the top of the stave and secure with 3 - 2" (51mm) screws.



Align the next 3 pieces of trim to the first piece.

Ensure they are $\frac{1}{4}$ " (6mm) above the top of the stave and secure with 3 - 2" (51mm) screws per piece..



Repeat for the 4 pieces of trim on the other side of the bottom trim piece.



Mark the final piece of trim where it overlaps the other piece and cut to size.

Secure with 3 - 2" (51mm) screws.

Repeat on the back side of the barrel.

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Begin covering the ice & water shield with the bevel siding.

Use the provided spacer blocks to get the proper alignment and secure each strip of siding with staples.

Be sure to avoid hitting the bands with the staples.



Continue adding the siding until you reach the skylight and then repeat the process on the opposite side.

If no skylight is purchased, apply the siding until you reach the top of the barrel then repeat on the other side.



Measure and cut the siding to fit around the skylight and secure in the same manner as above.



Use a piece of the bevel siding to overlap the 2 sides.

Staple both sides of this piece to secure firmly.

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Remove the protective film from the skylight.



Measure and mark each 3rd of the barrel and put an extra line of staples down the line, on the bottom of the siding to hold them tight to each other.

Repeat the process measuring 5" (13cm) in from each end.



Remove the protective film from the Panoramic dome.

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Place the slide out table assembly in the back half of the barrel.

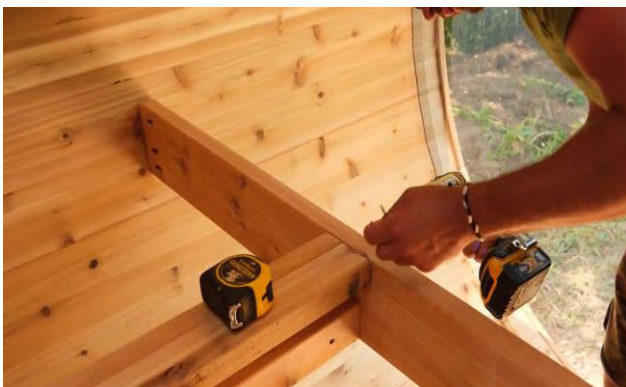
Ensure it is tight against the middle wall and level.



Secure the assembly to the side walls of the barrel using 3 - 2 1/2" (64mm) screws in each end.



Place the support piece across the back of the table assembly, ensure it is the same height as the front piece .



Secure to the walls of the barrel and the back of the table assembly with 2 1/2" (64mm) screws.

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Install the dome platform.

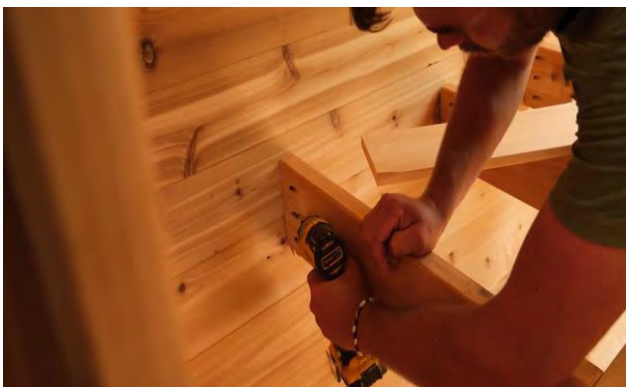
Secure it to the side walls with 2 ½" (64mm) screws on each side.



Fasten a support piece across the front of the dome platform, secure with 2 ½" (64mm) screws.



Center a support piece between the back of the table assembly and the dome platform and fasten to the walls with 2 ½" (64mm) screws.



Secure the short supports to the table assembly and the side walls of the barrel in the same manner as above.

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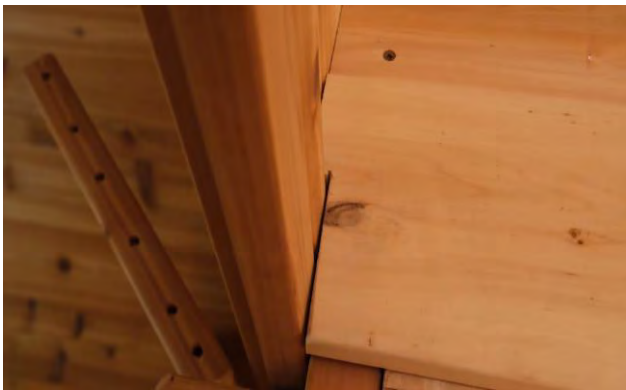


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Begin placing the platform boards.

Secure into each stud using 2" (51mm) screws.

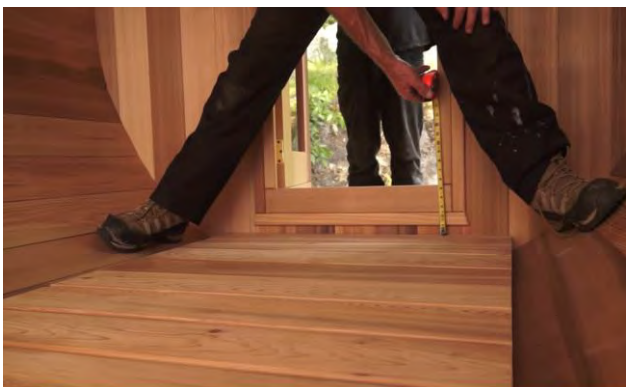


You will have to cut the boards to fit around the door trim.



Continue placing the boards until you reach the opposite wall.

Use the thin piece to complete the platform assembly.



To install the flat floor, lay the floor in the bottom of the barrel and ensure it is centered and level.

Secure with 2" (51mm) screws.

Ensure to screw in between the floor slats so that the screws are not visible.

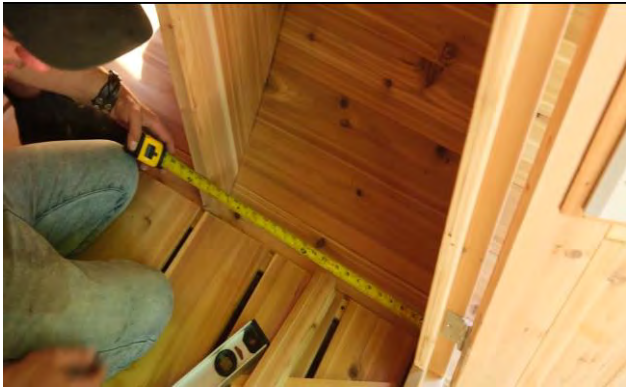
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To install the shelving unit, measure the width of the shelf and then transfer that measurement from the front wall.



Place the shelf support assembly on the mark and secure at the top and bottom with 2 ½" (64mm) screws.



Use a level to mark on the front wall the height of the shelf support.



Secure the shelf support to the front wall with 2" (51mm) screws.

Repeat the process for the top shelf.

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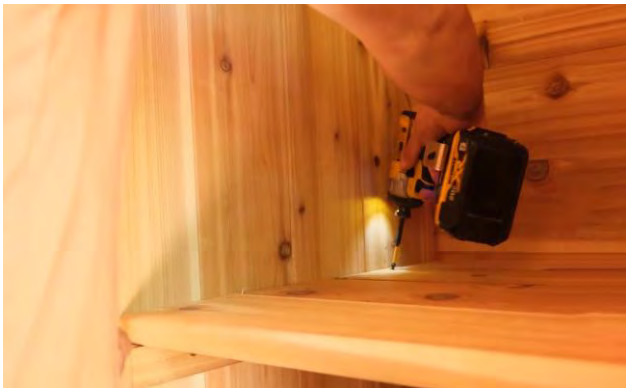
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Place the enclosure in front of the bottom shelf supports and secure with 2" (51mm) screws in the predrilled holes.



Place the loose shelf boards onto the support and secure with 2" (51mm) screws at each end.



Repeat for the top shelf.



Place the short bench enclosure ensuring it is 3" away from the floor.

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Place the bench supports and secure with 2" (51mm) screws ensuring it is level.

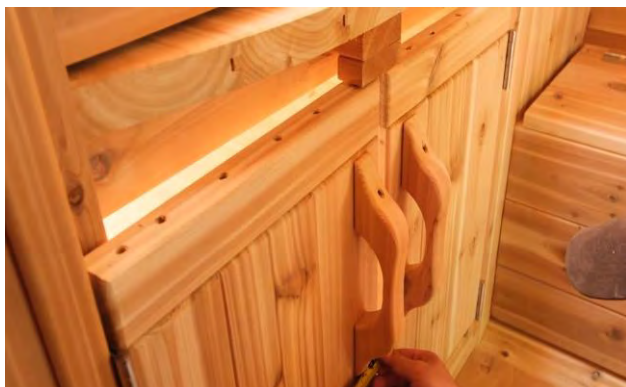
Repeat on other end.



Place the bench on top of the supports and secure with 2" (51mm) screws at each end and 3" (76mm) screws from the inside of the bench to the side walls of the barrel.



Repeat for the long bench on the opposite side.



Position the door handles.

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Secure the door to the frame using 2 ½" (64mm) screws.

Put the screw through the middle hole of the hinges on one side and into the door frame on the other side.



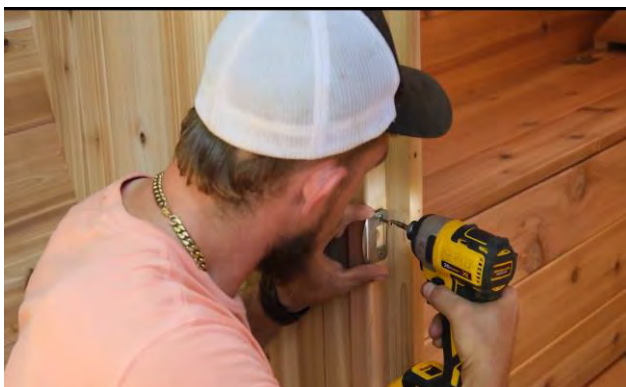
Install the Porch floor, lay the floor in the bottom of the barrel and ensure it is centered and level.

Secure with 2" (51mm) screws.

Ensure to screw in between the floor slats so that the screws are not visible.



Drill a hole in the frame for the door latch to hook into.



Screw the latch plate over the hole using the provided screws.

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Screw the latch into the door and install the door handle.



Install the optional hooks in the desired location with 4 - 1 ½" (38mm) screws.

The assembly of your Dream Capsule Glamping Barrel is now complete!
Enjoy!



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Maintaining your Dream Capsule Glamping Barrel

Interior

It is recommended to vacuum or sweep out the inside of your Dream Capsule Glamping Barrel frequently to remove dirt and other debris.

Under normal conditions, a slight wash of the floor and benches with warm soapy water several times a year will maintain its cleanliness.

You can use a sheet of fine grit sandpaper or a low pressure wash to remove more stubborn stains or for a deeper cleaning of the interior of your glamping barrel.

Exterior

Depending on the humidity and weather conditions in your area, the cedar will either shrink or expand based on the amount of moisture absorption.

The desired effect is to have the cedar expand into the bands therefore making the barrel staves much tighter.

It is recommended to tighten the bands every 2-3 weeks after installation.

Over time the lumber will weather naturally as a result of sun and rain, it will change into a weathered grey colour.

If you wish to retain the natural color of your Dream Capsule Glamping Barrel, there are many cedar stains on the market and almost as many opinions as to which is best.

We encourage you to rely on your own research and referrals.

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