

THE BEER GARDEN PARKLET RECIPE

SUPPLIES TOOLS



-Pallets (6 pallets per stage, 13 per parklet)
- Potential pallet sources include local grocery stores, Home Depot and Lowes. Check with store managers in advance. Blue pallets are off limits. Pallets can also be purchased directly from pallet recyclers but may cost up to \$8 each. Recyclers might supply delivery. Otherwise, plan on renting a UHaul truck to transport pallets to the site. Ideally, use pallets of all the same size. 48"x48" are common.

- 1.5" Deck Screws
- (3) 4'x8' sheets of OSB Plywood
- Paint - Discounted paint can be obtained from paint shops by requesting 'mis-tints'
- Sandpaper pads
- Hammer
- 1" Medium weight deck nails
- Measuring tape
- Paint Brushes & Rollers (4" preferred)
- Drop Cloth
- Painter's Paper
- Cordless Drill
- Circular Saw
- Safety glasses
- Work Gloves

2 BUILD

-Approximate price per parklet **\$50**. Pallets can be returned to original source or picked up by pallet salvage company.

FOUNDATION

4 people

Place pallets on the ground. For parklets, place pallets flush with the curb. Place two rows of 3 pallets parallel to the curb. Set plywood on top of pallets. No cutting plywood or pallets should be needed. Secure plywood to pallet with deck screws.

SIDES & CANOPY

4 people

For parklets secure pallets vertically along edge of foundation to create a boundary fence. Leave sidewalk side open. For more embellished parklets create a canopy using 2'x4's as posts. Use landscape fabric or burlap to make shade material. Use heavy duty stapler and 1'x1' trim boards to create support structure for shade

PAINT

4 people

Paint exterior side of fencing



THE BEER GARDEN PALLET FURNITURE RECIPE

1 SUPPLIES TOOLS



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2 BUILD

- Pallet building is best done in a workshop setting. Promote the workshop in advance and have an online signup form. On workshop day assemble volunteers and break them up into teams depending on skillsets. Establish 3 stations: a cutting station, an assembly station and a paint station. Create at least one model item in advance of workshop for furniture to be based on. Many design options are available online.

CUTTING STATION

3 people

Limit access to circular saw to dedicated users. Cut pallets into necessary dimensions

ASSEMBLY STATION

4 people

Assemble pallet pieces into furniture using drill and screws

SAND & PAINT STATION

4 people

Sand & Paint finished furniture

Approximate price per bench **\$10**. When placing furniture out for the event ensure the paint is dry for sitting on. Place painters paper on wet spots as necessary.

