

## Sundance™ Pollen Trap Assembly and Use Instructions

Congratulations, you have purchased the finest pollen trap in the world. To minimize shipping damage, we do not fully complete assembly, but this will require less than five minutes of your time.

Inside the collection drawer is an envelope. Open, and remove the eyebolt and washer. Place the washer on the eyebolt.

Place the pollen trap on a flat surface such as a table or the floor. Turn so that the drawer is opposite you. Facing you should be a loose board with a slot. If the board is separate, put it in place so that it is flat against the trap and in between the sides.

Lock through the slot and you will see a hole in the lower quarter of the slot's length. The inside of the hole is threaded to accept the eyebolt. With the washer on the outside, thread the eyebolt into the hole until it holds the board firmly in place. Do not overtighten.

Assembly is complete!

To use the pollen trap, place it on top of the rails of a bottom board so that eyebolt is facing you. Be certain that the top of the front board (with the slot containing the eyebolt) is flush with the top of the sides of the pollen trap and that there is an entrance below the front board and above the bottom board. This is where the bees will enter with their pollen load.

Loosen the eyebolt one full turn, and try to slide the front board down so that it is sitting on the bottom board. The front board is sized to fit snugly in between the rails of bottom boards with

standard 14 3/4" clearances. If the clearance of your bottom board is less, carefully cut a notch on both sides of the front board. Do not cut the entire width of the front board, as doing so will provide a bee entrance where the bees can avoid the stripper screens. If the board does not easily slide up and down, remove any debris between the front board and the sides and in the slot. If it still does not slide freely, lubricate with some bar soap or beeswax.

When you want to stop collecting pollen, loosen the eyebolt one full turn and slide the front board down to completely close off the entrance above the bottom board. This creates a new entrance above the pollen trap that the bees will fully discover in a couple of hours. When bees use this entrance, pollen is not collected.

Please see our separate Guide to Collecting Pollen for hints on maximizing your pollen collection and hive income.

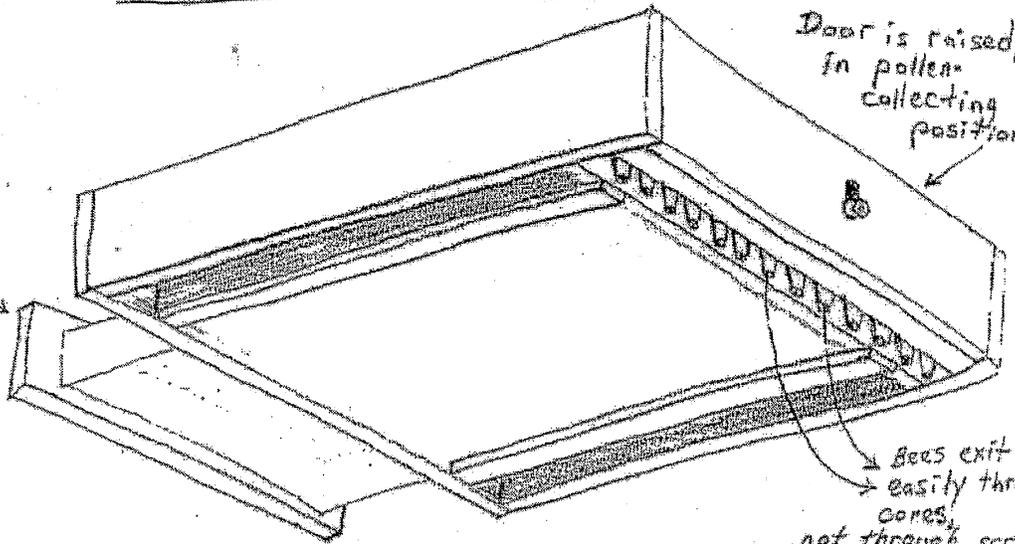
Please contact your dealer or us if you have any difficulty assembling your Sundance™ pollen trap. We completely guarantee our workmanship. If, at any time, you are dissatisfied please contact us or your dealer for a full refund or replacement.

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view from underneath:

Pull out drawer  
in back to get  
your pollen.

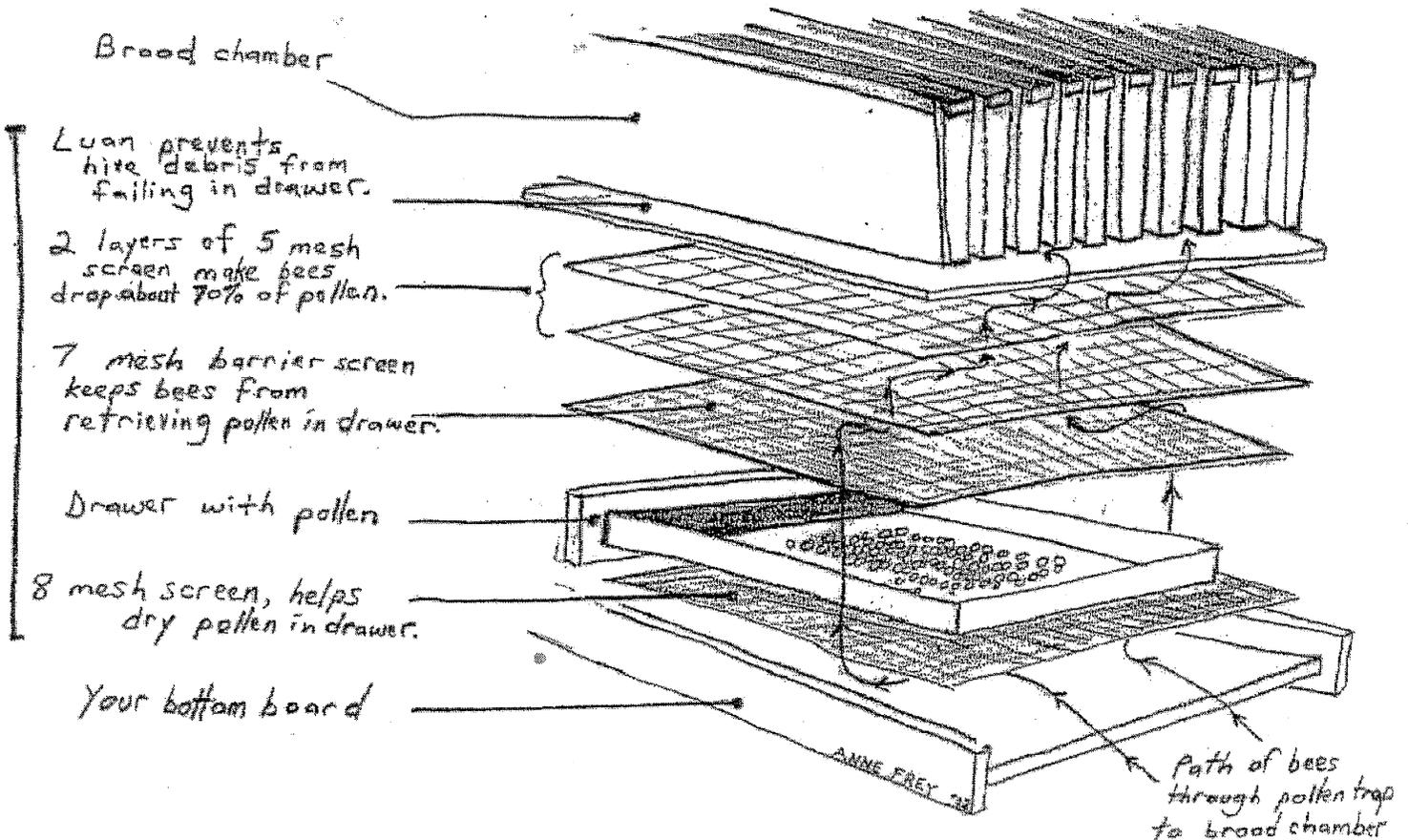


Door is raised,  
in pollen  
collecting  
position.

Bees exit  
easily through  
cores,  
not through screens.

How  
does it  
work?

interior, exploded view:



Brood chamber

Luan prevents  
hive debris from  
falling in drawer.

2 layers of 5 mesh  
screen make bees  
drop about 70% of pollen.

7 mesh barrier screen  
keeps bees from  
retrieving pollen in drawer.

Drawer with pollen

8 mesh screen, helps  
dry pollen in drawer.

Your bottom board

Path of bees  
through pollen trap  
to brood chamber

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