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On Top of the Counter

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Beginner

Finished Basket Dimensions: 8.5" x 4" x 3" high

Read all instructions before beginning

Material List

7MM flat oval (stakes)
3/8" flat oval (rim)
3/16" flat (false rim row)
3mm flat oval (weavers and lashing)
#1 round reed natural and dyed (weavers)
seagrass
2x7 Rectangle Wood Base

Soak materials before using;
Soak dyed materials separately
DO NOT soak seagrass

STEP 1

- Cut 40 stakes 4" from 7MM flat oval reed.
- Insert stakes oval side up into base. 4 in each corner, 15 in each long side and 3 on each end.
- Using #1RR triple twine two rows flat on the table. Then continue triple twining and begin upsetting for two more rows. End.

STEP 2

Weave the following:

- Weave 11 rows of start/stop weaving with 3MM flat oval reed.
- Weave a triple arrow with #1RR dyed. First row is regular triple twining – over two behind one and out. For the second row, instead of going on top of the weavers over two and behind one you will lift up your weavers and weave under them. Thus inverting your triple twining and creating an arrow effect.
- Weave 6 rows of start/stop weaving. Weave false rim row with 3/16F.

STEP 3

- Cut your inside spokes and tuck the outside spokes under two rows of weaving. You may need to trim some of the stake width-wise in order to get it tucked.
- Rim with 3/8" flat oval.
- Insert seagrass and lash with 3mm flat oval reed.

Sand, stain, finish and sign as desired.

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Perfect for the vanity counter for make-up or small items or in the vanity drawer to keep things organized. Also great for the kitchen counter to hold pens and pencils.

