

# Step-by-Step



## FITTING THE SPARE BAG Redtop Standard (Re-usable)



Place the edge of the cover-dish inside the bag along the line of seating slits.



While holding the cover-dish firmly, carefully pull the edges of the bag over the cover-dish.



Make sure that the cover-dish is fully seated in the bag along the seating slits.



Replace the turret by fitting the legs of the turret into the notches in the cover dish, then twist to lock in position.



Tear the excess skirt of the bag off along the perforations. Rebait as per baiting instructions.

## BAITING INSTRUCTIONS for Redtop Trapa (Disposable)



Remove the red top from the dish and unfold the bag.



Straighten out the mesh cone and make sure that the hole at its apex is open.



Add the bait.



Add one litre of luke warm water (if water is milky, allow to stand for 24 hours before use)



Replace the red top by clipping the legs into the small holes in the cover-dish.



Hang the Redtop outside in a suitable position with sufficient sunlight. Not closer than 5 metres from fly breeding areas.



Disposal: When the trap is full or no longer effective, place the trap into an old plastic shopping bag and then into the garbage.

## EMPTYING INSTRUCTIONS Redtop Standard (Re-usable)



Remove the turret and empty the contents into drain, compost heap or in a hole in a garden bed. (Dead flies are rich in nutrients and make good compost)



Slit the bag with a sharp instrument and drain. Keep away from pets and children.



Remove the turret and rimclip. TIP: Pre-activate the new bait by pouring it in a jar with some luke warm water and leave in a sunny spot for 3-4 days before emptying trap. This will ensure continuing catching.



Remove the bag with contents and place in an old shopping bag, tie well and dispose of into a garbage bin. TIP: Dispose of old trap bags on garbage collection day.

## Please follow the below tips when disposing or handing your Redtop Fly Catcher:

- Dispose of old traps on garbage collection day.
- Bait up a new trap 3 to 4 days before disposal of the old one to ensure continuous catching.
- Top up with water when required.
- Water volume should be steadily increased as trap fills.
- Add a tablespoon of local soil to enhance local area organisms.
- For reusable only: Prepare replacement bait in a suitable container 2-3 days prior to changing to ensure continuity of trapping.

\* Information taken from <http://www.redtopflycatchers.net>

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