

# EUROPEAN HORNET TRAP

DRILL OR CUT A  $\frac{7}{8}$ " - 1" DIAMETER HOLE AS SHOWN IN A TWO LITER POP BOTTLE.

PLACE THE FOLLOWING INGREDIENTS INSIDE THE BOTTLE.

2 CUPS OF SUGAR  
2 CUPS OF WATER  
 $\frac{1}{2}$  CUP OF WHITE VINEGAR  
 $\frac{1}{4}$  OF A BANANA PEEL

TIE A CORD OR STRING AROUND THE NECK OF THE BOTTLE BELOW THE NECK RING, OR DRILL A SMALL HOLE THROUGH THE CENTER OF THE CAP, PASS THE STRING THROUGH THE HOLE AND TIE A KNOT ON THE INNER SIDE OF THE CAP.

HANG THE BOTTLE FROM A BRANCH OR OTHER FIXTURE NEAR YOUR HIVES. A MINIMUM OF ONE PER APIARY. THIS TRAP WILL TRAP AND KILL EUROPEAN HORNETS, WASP, PAPER HORNETS, YELLOW JACKETS, WAX MOTHS AND MANY OTHER ENEMIES OF THE HONEY BEE. BUT DUE TO THE VINEGAR AND BANANA PEEL HONEY BEES WILL NOT ENTER THE TRAP.

THE TRAP MAY BE USED AROUND THE HOME AND OUT BUILDINGS AS WELL TO REDUCE UNWANTED INSECTS.

WHEN FULL OR AT THE END OF THE SEASON JUST DISPOSE OF THE BOTTLES IN A PROPER METHOD.

