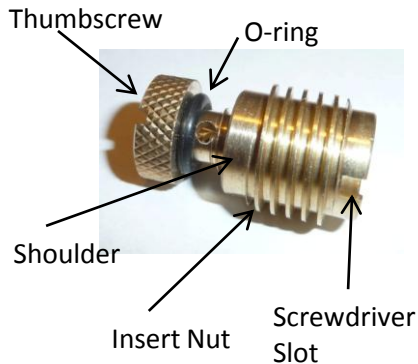
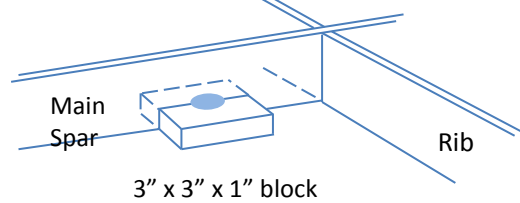


VENT INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS



Install the block before the bottom of the board is attached!



Notch main spar and glue wood block to the back of the deck with half of the block on each side of spar as shown. Drill the hole through the deck and through the block a with the hole extending into the spar. This will make an opening on each side of the spar so both sides of the board can vent.

Alternate Mounting Method



Create a recess in the deck of the board so the top of the vent screw is even with the top of the deck.

Installing the brass vent screw



Drill a 9/16" hole in the deck. Remove the thumbscrew from the vent assembly and use the screwdriver slot on the insert nut to thread it into the wood deck block. *It should turn easily and make shallow threads in the wood.* Unscrew the insert nut, remove the O-ring from the thumbscrew and screw the thumbscrew into the insert nut on the flat end. Apply epoxy to the insert nut threads and screw it back into the deck with the screwdriver slot on the bottom. Screw it down so the top of the insert nut is flush with the deck. The shoulder around the insert nut should be filled with epoxy but keep it out of the threads. Re install the O-ring on the thumbscrew. The thumbscrews do not have to be fully removed to vent the board.



Installing the plastic vent screw



Remove the original vent and drill a 5/8" hole for the retrofit plastic vent plug. Trial fit the vent in the hole. It should be snug but not tight. Apply generous coating of epoxy to the sides and press the plug into the hole. Wipe off excess epoxy and hold the plug down with a weight until the epoxy cures.