



"My creation for the village"
Article #3
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The decision to carry out this project was born from the request of some friends and fellow villagers. In this third article dedicated to "my creations for the village" we will see the creation of an entrance door to a pub.

This door was made of high density XPS polystyrene.

Below you will find photos showing the creation step by step.

Materials used for construction, polystyrene, hot glue, the project must be painted with acrylic colors. for signs and plaques, create on the PC and print and then glue.

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Photo #1

the dimensions
are according
to your needs

Design and draw a PC port. To draw the door you need a drawing program, for those who don't have this software you can use Word. From the Word menu, enter shapes and sizes and you will get the one shown in the photo. Once the door design is finished, print, cut out and glue onto cardboard.

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Photo #2



Take some XPS polystyrene and cut the polystyrene either with a thermocutter or with a simple cutter. To obtain the right dimensions, simply place the cut pieces on the previously made drawing. When all the pieces are ready and of the right size and shape, glue with vinavil as shown in the photo, obtaining the door you designed. The door model and dimensions are

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Photo #3



Always create a rear support for the door with polystyrene as shown in photo 3.

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Photo #4



place the door on the support created, do not glue the 2 pieces at this stage, check that everything matches and that there are no incorrect measurements

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Photo #5



Checked that everything is ok, refer to the previous step, paint only the door with red acrylic, glue the signs and plates on the support, which we have previously printed, place a piece of transparent white plastic on the sign and plates to simulate glass, wait until the red color of the door has dried well. See photo 5

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Photo #6



Last step glue the door on the support with the plates and the sign obtaining the result shown in photo 6. In the next article I will assemble this door in a facade that represents the entrance to a pub.

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*My thought is:
The Christmas village is not a hobby it is an
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