

TISKET-TASKET BASKET

Dimensions: 10.5”L x 5”W x 7”H to rim, 13”H to handle top

MATERIALS:

Staves: 1/2” FF natural, cut 5 @29”,
9 @ 24”, 4 fillers @ 16”

Weavers: 1/2” FF natural
1/4” FF dyed
#3 RR natural

Rim: 1/2” FO
1/4” FF as rim row
Seagrass
Wide cane

Handles: 8” push-in swing



BASE:

Place 29” staves horizontally and position a filler in between the staves. Weave center vertical 24” stave going under first horizontal stave and over the fillers. True the base to approximately 10.5” x 5”. Do crow’s feet with the fillers. With #3 RR natural, twine a locking row. Bend up.

WEAVING: Pack as you weave. Keep staves straight.

Rows 1-5: 1/2” FF natural

Rows 6-8: 1/4” FF dyed

Row 9: 1/2” FF natural

Rows 10-12: 1/4” FF dyed

Rows 13-15: 1/2” FF natural

Row 16: 1/2” FF natural On this row you will need to leave an opening in each corner in order to have a space for the corners of the liner. On the long sides of the basket you will

Row 17: 1/4” FF natural as hidden

Pack. Cut and tuck. Insert the handle.

RIM:

Use 1/2” FO for the inside and outside rims. Use seagrass for the rim filler. Double lash with wide cane.

Note:

Make a liner for a more finished appearance.

You can change the dyed design to be round reed or a combination of reeds. Just remember to keep the total width to about 1.5” or cut the staves longer.