

Python Wrangling Equipment*

- Snake Hook or Long Handled Tool
- Double Stitched Pillowcases or Snake Bags (2 per snake)
- Electrical Tape
- Secure Container Marked “Dangerous Reptiles”

All required equipment purchased new (source: [amazon.com](https://www.amazon.com)):

- Snake Hook - 36” - 40” - \$20-\$40
- Snake Bags - large size - \$7 - \$15 each
- Electrical Tape - \$1.00
- Snake Container - Hinged Locking Reptile Tote - \$20 - \$35
- **Total: \$55 - \$106**

Do-it-Yourself Snake Wrangling Kit (source: ReStore, Goodwill, Salvation Army or your garage):

- DIY Snake Hook - \$7.25 (mini paint roller - \$.75, JB Weld - \$6.00), used golf club - \$0.00 - \$1.00
- Snake Bags - cotton or cotton blend pillowcases - \$.25 - \$1.00 each
- Electrical Tape - \$1.00
- Plastic Container - \$3 - 6\$
- **Total: \$4.50 - \$16.25**

* Tool identification by Florida Fish and Wildlife Conservation Commission

Instruction for Making a Snake Hook

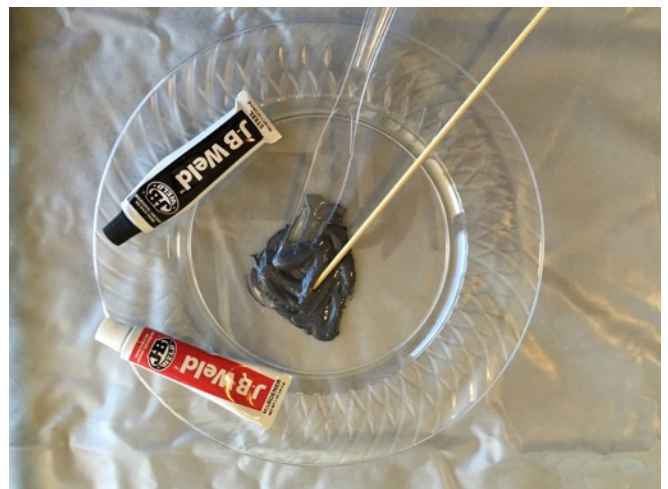
Equipment:

- golf club with padded grip
- mini paint roller
- JB Weld (24 hour cure)
- paper plate
- plastic knife or small wooden stir stick
- electrical or shrink wrap tape
- hacksaw or rotary type cutter with metal cutting blade
- safety glasses

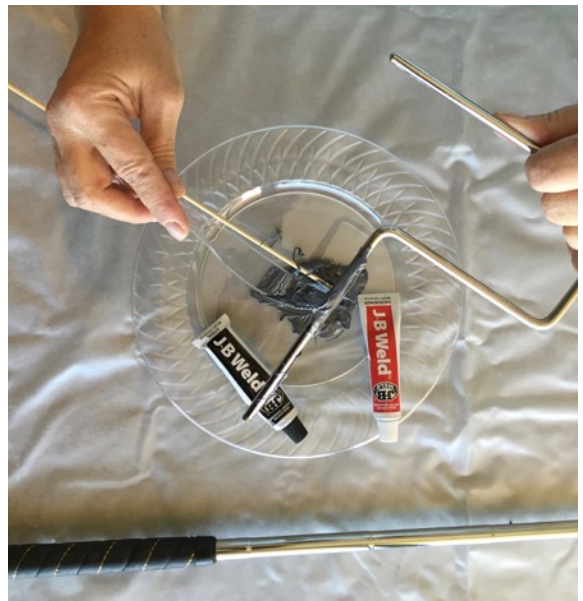


Wearing safety glasses and working in a ventilated space:

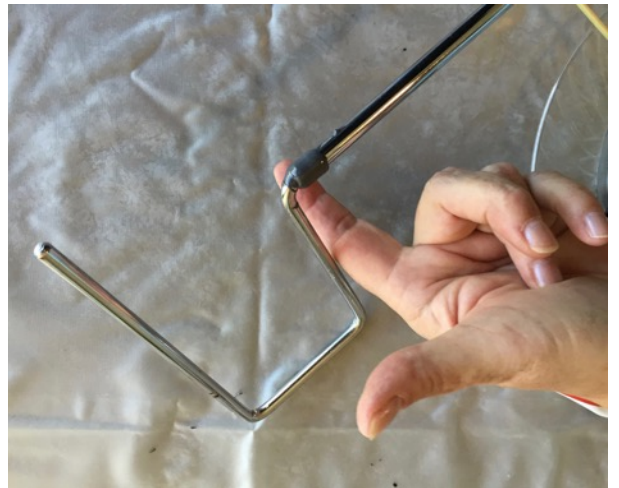
1. Using hacksaw or rotary cutter, remove head of the golf club from the shaft, as close to the head as possible.
2. Using hacksaw or rotary cutter, remove plastic handle and cage from mini paint roller.
3. Test to see that paint roller fits inside of golf club shaft.
4. Mix JB Weld using paper plate and disposable knife or stir stick.



5. Spread JB Weld mixture on mini paint roller and around opening in shaft of golf club. Make sure some weld gets in side the golf club shaft.



6. Insert mini paint roller into golf club.
7. Wipe off excess JB Weld



8. Secure snake hook to dry/cure - 24 hours.
9. Wrap joint with electrical or heat wrap tape.

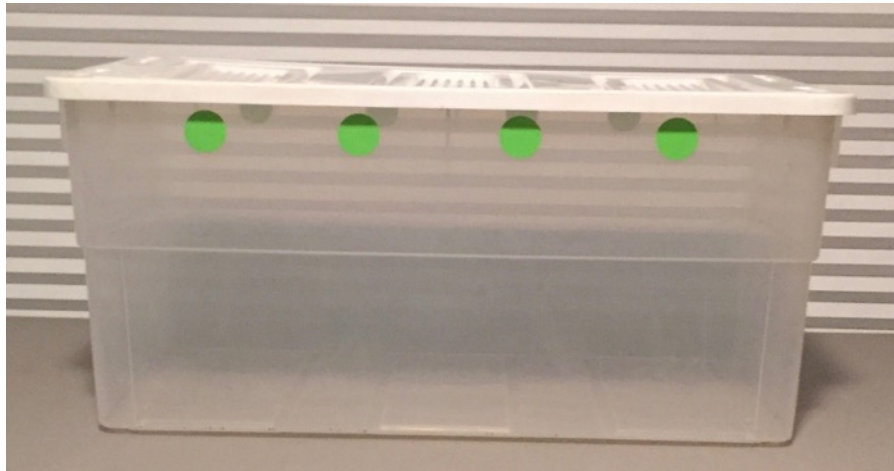


Instruction for Snake Container

Equipment:

- plastic container with lid
- computer and printer
- clear packing tape
- drill or hot knife
- nylon straps

1. Using drill or hot knife, make air holes in tote - 1/2 to 1 3/4 inch holes. If drilling, tape off holes and drill against a hard surface to prevent cracking the plastic (faux air holes shown)



2. Design and print “Dangerous Reptile” labels



3. Secure labels to sides and top of container with clear packing tape
4. Use two nylon straps to secure container



