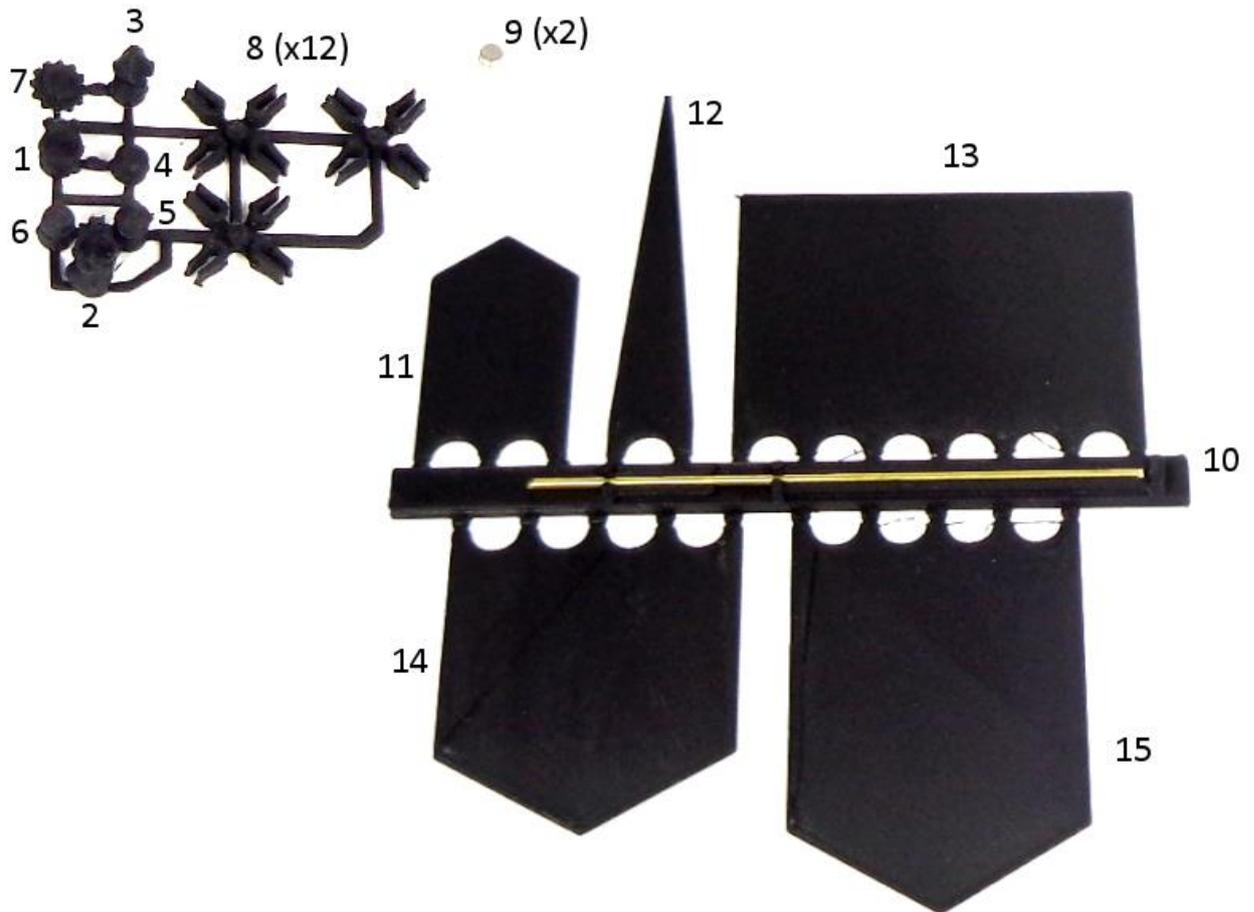


# Back Banner Cleanup and Assembly Guide

PLEASE READ THIS GUIDE IN FULL BEFORE ASSEMBLY!

## Part Identification



1: Pole mount (upper)

2: Pole mount (lower)

3: Pole top (spike)

4: Pole top (plain)

5: Pole top (ball, rivets)

6: Pole top (ball)

7: Pole mount socket

8: Banner folds

9: 3mm x 1mm magnet

10: 1.19mm dia brass rod

11: Small banner

12: Pennant

13: Massive banner

14: Large short banner

15: Large long banner

**You will need:**

A sharp, new blade in your hobby knife (x-acto #11 or similar).

A pair of heavy clippers to cut the brass, and a file to dress the ends.

A sheet of 300 grit wet and dry emery paper.

A fine grain file (jewellers' file, like for metal miniatures).

Long nosed tweezers (or two cocktail sticks).

A sharpie marker pen.

Superglue.

**Working note:**

Due to the nature of this kit, cleanup will need to be done in part during assembly, and the kit is best assembled in a specific order. Sorry if this seems over explained, but I do feel there are some tricky bits and it's best to just explain the whole process!

**Step 1:**

File flat one end of the brass rod and insert that into the jig on the banner sprue (parts 11-15). Use the sharpie to mark either the short length (suitable for Reaver or Warhound Adeptus Titanicus Titans) or long (suitable for Warlord or Warbringer Titans). Remove the brass and clip slightly longer with the heavy clippers. Insert the flat end of the rod back into the jig and use the coarse file to dress the end of the rod level with the chosen length on the jig.

**Step 2:**

Remove parts 1 and 2 from the frame. With the fine file and scalpel carefully clean up the lugs on the parts so they interlock (don't worry about the rest of the part yet). Glue the magnets into the sockets on the parts. Leave this to dry.

**Step 3:**

Remove your choice of pole top from the sprue. The ball and plan parts are simple enough to clean up just with a knife, but the spike may need more careful work with the fine file. This part is most easily cleaned by 'shaving' down the surface with the sharp edge of the knife from the apex.

**Step 4:**

Returning to the Pole mount (Step 2), interlock the parts now the magnets have been glued in to clean up the outside of the parts. This makes a clean looking joint much easier as you can file both parts flat together.

Step 5:

Super glue the pole mount and pole top to the brass rod. It is useful to do both of these at the same time so you can roll the rod in your fingers to check it's all lined up nicely – especially noticeable if you use the spike top.

Step 6:

Remove your choice of parts from the banners sprue. The surfaces may require a quick rub down with the emery paper. These can also be surfaced by painting with PVA, liquid greenstuff, or a couple of coats of primer (any of the usual methods for seam filling/surfacing), but this should be done after heat forming (see later).

Step 7:

Remove the required number of banner folds (8) from the frame and clean up with a knife. Dry fit these to the rod and line them up with the banners you wish to use (paying attention to the position of the ball joint on the banner mount). DO NOT GLUE THESE YET. It is usually best to start from the top of the pole and work 'down'.

Step 8:

For each banner you're using, apply a dot of superglue to both sides at the mating edge (with the cutouts). Offer this first into the top banner fold on the pole and work downwards. With the folds unglued at this stage you can adjust their position, but the glue from the banner will lock them into place.

Step 9:

With the banners now glued into place, they can be heat formed. A hairdryer on 'hot' can be used to warm the banner until it is pliable and can be bent into shape. It is strongly suggested to have a pair of tweezers or two cocktail sticks to hand, as forming the banner can open up the folds, and clamping them shut quickly is the best way.

Step 10:

Glue the Pole mount socket (7) to a chosen position.

Step 11:

Put a dot of superglue on the ball joint on the lower pole mount (2) and fit this to the socket and hold at the desired position until set. It may be useful to do this with the banner attached to get a better idea of position.

## All Done

Hopefully, this covers most things, if you have any questions, please drop a line to [enquiries@winterdyne.co.uk](mailto:enquiries@winterdyne.co.uk)

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