



## The Flipping Timmy is a humane kill trap designed to catch possums.

It is a redesign of the classic Timms trap and is mounted to a base plate for easy install to a tree or post.

### BAITS AND LURES

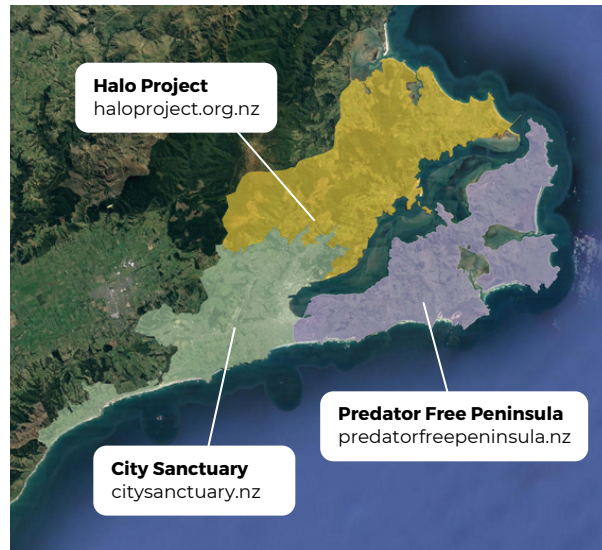
Fruit such as apple or pear. Make your own blaze to lure in possums:

4 x cups white flour

1 x cup icing sugar

2 x tsp curry powder/cinnamon

The Flipping Timmy has met humane kill standards set by the National Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (NAWAC).



City Sanctuary is one of three Predator Free Dunedin projects working together to get rid of possums, rats and stoats from Dunedin's urban and rural landscapes by 2050.

Our vision is to create a vibrant sanctuary in Dunedin city where wildlife thrives and communities are leading predator control in backyards and reserves.

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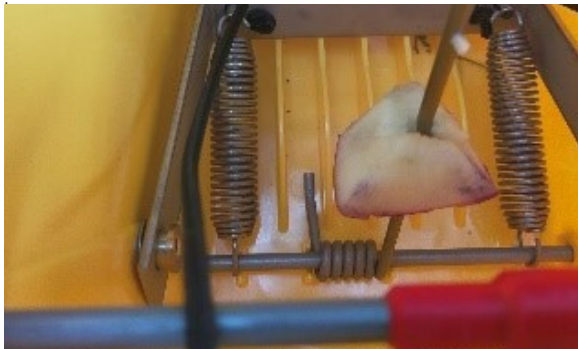
# FLIPPING TIMMY POSSUM TRAP

## INSTRUCTIONS



## HOW TO BAIT YOUR TRAP

Ensure the trap is unset. Open the yellow box by turning the red lock. Chop up some fruit then slide a piece of fruit onto the trigger arm up against the bent point of the arm. Rub some bait and blaze on the tree and ground below the trap.



## HOW TO SET YOUR TRAP

Close and lock the yellow box. With your palm on the box, use your other hand to pull the cord firmly toward you to set the trap. Tuck the loose cord against the lock.



## HOW TO UNSET YOUR TRAP

Place one hand on the yellow box and use your other hand to unlock the red button. Gently ease the yellow box down until its open. Hold the setting cord and gently push the kill bar forward as you release the cord.



## ADJUSTING YOUR TRAP

The trap's sensitivity can be adjusted using the red bar. The thicker part allows the trap to trigger more easily. This should only be changed if small possums are present.



## CHECKING YOUR TRAP

Check and rebait your trap once a week. You're more likely to catch something if the bait is fresh.

If you've got a possum, put on gloves then pull the cord to set the trap. Keep holding the cord with one hand while you remove the carcass. Bury the carcass in your garden or put it in the rubbish bin

**Important:** Record trap catch data using the Trap.NZ website or app.

## TRAP W.O.F

- Always check the trap is unset before re-baiting or cleaning
- Clean the trap using a scrubbing brush and water
- Jiggle the trap from side to side to see if anything is loose
- Check screws are tight
- Ensure the yellow box is fixed tightly onto the black trap mount hinges.
- If the trap is loose or not working properly, **do not set it.**