

# FINISHING INSTRUCTIONS

## PRIMING

Cobblestone is now offering our Bluwood™ priming on all our entire wood products lines

## PAINTING APPLICATIONS

1. Sand any loose fibers or raised grain with fine sandpaper.
2. Prime the entire shutter (all exposed surfaces) with a quality oil base primer.
3. After priming, if necessary, sand again with a medium or fine sandpaper.
4. Caulk top of shutter with a good quality exterior caulk for protection against infiltration of moisture. For best results, we suggest the use of our copper caps designed for our thickness shutters to shed water from the top.
5. Follow up with two coats of quality exterior oil or latex paint to all surfaces.

## STAIN APPLICATIONS

1. Wipe surface clean and remove all handling marks.
2. Apply stain per directions.
3. Sand lightly or use a fine steel wool for any grain raising or roughness.
4. Apply at least two coats of quality varnish or polyurethane sealant, using steel wool again between coats.

### FSC Certified

Our Western Red Cedar product line originates now from managed protected forests. FSC certified material ensured forestry is practiced in an environmentally responsible socially beneficial and economically viable way.