

## 1999-05 Miata Type III Nose Part No. 57132 & 57133

### Installation Instructions

**Before you start the installation process, please read through the following steps thoroughly.**

Your Racing Beat Nose will require final sanding and possibly the application of a small amount of plastic filler to fully surface-finish the piece prior to painting. Always check product for fitment on the vehicle before painting, drilling or cutting. Improper installation may void your warranty. Parts which have been modified, prepped or painted cannot be returned. After the nose has been fitted and painted, proceed with the Installation Instructions.

**Note: This nose kit does not make provisions for the installation of the Mazda OEM driving lights.**

#### Fitting and Painting Preparation

1. Remove the stock nose from the car. Pay close attention to the location from which each fastener is removed.
2. Remove the black reinforcements from the rear upper edge of the original nose by drilling out the 1/8" OD rivets. Re-install the reinforcements at the upper rear edge of the new nose using the supplied rivets (3 per side).
3. Remove the upper (under the front of the hood) aluminum bracket from the stock nose and re-install it on the new nose with the supplied 3/16" nuts & washers.
4. Slip the new nose into position. Start the (4) four bolts under the hood to retain the nose. Connect the plastic "ball and socket" attachments at the upper rear of the nose. Gradually install all hardware. Gently lower and latch the hood, checking for fit. Adjust as necessary.
5. Check the five (5) fasteners inside the mouth for fit and alignment (use the supplied bolts/nuts/washers to attach the upper mouth).
6. Remove the two (2) parking lights from the original nose and insert them into the new nose. While checking the fitment of the lights, make allowance for the thickness of the paint.
7. **1999-2000 Model only** - Cut back the plastic material in the wheel well to match the rear edge of the nose.
8. After fitting, remove the nose and prepare for painting. Block sanding and body filler can be used to correct minor surface imperfections prior to painting.

#### Final Fitting

9. After the nose has been painted, re-install the nose onto the car as directed above.