Declaring WAR on Glue Bottles!

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1. First, pull the tips off of the lids and soak them all in water and a little bit of cleanser. This type of cleanser, Dow "Scrubbing Bubbles" is a good one to use because it disolves glue. I have used it for years to soak glue caps clean and also to get glue off of the tables. Soak the caps to get them perfectly clean of all glue residue, even if the bottles of glue are brand new.



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2. After the lids have soaked for a while, lay them out to dry. Wipe out any remaining glue residue with a Q-tip, and make sure that the threads of the lid are open and have not been inadvertantly left closed and are covered with plastic due to a factory error. (The cap above shows the way it should look.) The arrows point to the "threads." This is where the petroleum jelly goes.

3. Dab a little petroleum jelly on the threads and on the inside of the cap to keep it from sticking closed. Put the lid back on the bottle and snap the cap back on. Wipe off any excess oily residue with a clean, dry rag.

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