

Christmas Spirit Class

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Happy Hanukkah card

Jewish Celebrations stamp set; Not Quite Navy, Midnight Muse, Silver Shimmer Specialty & Whisper White CS.

Standard portrait card base in Not Quite Navy, Whisper White CS layer at 4" x 5 1/4", scored in at 1/4" on all sides. Silver Shimmer layer at 3 3/8" x 4 5/8". Strip of vellum at 3/4" by 4".

Begin by stamping sentiment carefully onto vellum strip in Midnight Muse ink, and set aside to dry.

Next, stamp menorah also in Midnight Muse onto Not Quite Navy CS, and cut out with Labels Collection framelit #3. Trace around outside edge of same size framelit onto Midnight Muse CS scrap and cut out. Apply Silver Sparkle Dazzling Details to candle flames on stamped image and set aside to dry.

Stamp menorah again onto Whisper White scrap, and cut out menorah base carefully. Pop dot over image on Not Quite Navy CS, then adhere this assembly onto the Midnight Muse layer. Run Silver Shimmer CS through Snow Burst embossing folder, and clip corners with Ticket Corner punch. Pop dot menorah assembly towards top of silver layer, then center sentiment underneath, wrapping ends and adhering with glue dots on back. Pop dot over Whisper White layer, centering in between score lines. Apply self-adhesive rhinestones at ticket punch corners onto the Whisper White layer.

Stamp Star of David onto lower right front of envelope.

Rejoicing With You card

Landscape top-fold standard card base in Cherry Cobbler, Gold Shimmer CS layer at 5 1/4" x 4".

Very Vanilla layer at 5" x 3 3/4", trimmed off on the long edge at the 3 1/2" mark with Adorning Accents edgelit.

To begin, dotto Very Vanilla over the Gold Shimmer layer, and align Adorning embossing folder 1/4" out from Very Vanilla edge. After embossing the gold layer, remove the Very Vanilla layer and run through the Petals-A-Plenty embossing folder. (Go ahead and run your envelope flap through this embossing folder, too.) Adhere over the gold layer. Align piercing pack template over embossed line, and add pierces along embossed accent line. Wrap and tie

Victoria Lace ribbon along gold edge and adhere to card base. Stamp and gold emboss angel image onto Very Vanilla scrap; clip out and pop dot at upper left corner of card. Stamp sentiment in Cherry Cobbler onto more scrap and cut out with Apothecary framelit, off-set layering over a second matching shape in Cherry Cobbler as shown. Adhere self-

adhesive pearls as shown and pop-dot assembled sentiment below angel.



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Heart of Christmas card

Standard top-fold landscape card base in Crumb Cake CS; Cherry Cobbler layer at 4 5/8" x 3 3/8", Crumb Cake layer at 4 1/2" x 3 1/4".

Ink up stamp with Cherry Cobbler, Lucky Limeade and Early Espresso markers as shown, and stamp onto Very Vanilla CS. Cut out with Apothecary framelit. Run 3" strips of Cherry Cobbler CS through Big Shot using Finishing Touches edgelits – adhere to back of Apothecary shape with the frill at the bottom, and the pinked edge at the top.

Apply Glimmer brads at both ends of Apothecary shape.

Run Crumb Cake layer through Lacy Brocade embossing folder, and go ahead do your envelope flap now, too. Wrap Crumb Cake layer with Very Vanilla seam binding ribbon, and then wrap over that with Cherry Cobbler baker's twine.

Pop dot stamped image assembly onto the Crumb Cake layer, then shimmy the baker's twine into place such that you can tie the bow at the top edge as shown. Adhere all this over Cherry Cobbler layer, then onto card base.

Ginger Spinner card

Standard top-fold landscape card base in Chocolate Chip CS. Lucky Limeade strip at 2 3/8" x 5 1/2", Festival of Prints DSP strip at 2 1/4" x 5 1/2", Very Vanilla strip at 2" x 5 1/2". Scentsational Season & Teeny Tiny Wishes stamp sets.

Create flag shapes from a selection of Festival of Prints 1" wide scrap strips, using square punch on one end to create flag effect. Glue down three flags at lower left corner of card front. Using markers, ink up sentiment and stamp onto Very Vanilla scrap, punching out with Decorative Label punch. Layer sentiment over second Decorative Label shape in Chocolate Chip, and adhere at lower center of flags.

Adhere DSP strip over Lucky Limeade strip, then center a 1"x 3" strip of Very Vanilla scrap onto the DSP and adhere. This will cover up the window "gap" on the spinner layer.

Stamp Gingerbread Man in Chocolate Chip 3 times onto Very Vanilla CS strip. (Also stamp once onto lower right front of envelope.) On back of this strip,

mark a pencil line down the center length-wise (at the 1" mark.) Also mark two vertical lines 1 1/2" in from either end. Using Word Window punch, punch out a large window along that center line, between the two verticals. You can make the window wider as well, if desired, but don't go too crazy. Stamp 1 more Gingerbread Man in Choc Chip Craft ink onto Very Vanilla scrap, emboss with Sugar & Spice, and cut out with matching framelit. Center a pop dot onto his back, then press through punched slot, and adhere a dime (or a penny) onto his back. Tip the strip back and forth to get the spin action, and adjust if desired. Tie Lucky Limeade organdy around right end of slot as shown, and DOUBLE pop dot onto assembled strips. Adhere all over sentiment layers as shown.

