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**Summer Store Hours:** 

Monday: 10 am - 6:00 pm Tuesday: 10am - 8:00 pm Wednesday: 10am - 6:00pm Thursday: 10:00 am - 8:00 pm Friday: 10:00 am - 6:00 pm Saturday: 10:00 am - 4:00 pm Sunday: 10:00 am - 2:00 pm

**Closed Easter, Thanksgiving & Christmas** 





Summer is officially here and Scrapmania will have **NEW SUMMERS HOURS after our Summer Garage Sale** is completed. Beginning Monday, June 6th our NEW SUMMER HOURS will be:



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# Don't Forget Dad on Father's Day Sunday, June 19th

Scrapmania has you covered for everything you need to make all your Father's Day Cards.





Scrapmania Summer Garage Sale Starts at Noon on Thursday, June 2nd

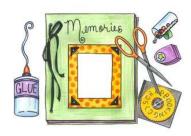
> Scrapmania 22-Hour Crop til you Drop Weekends

June 25th-26th

July 23rd-July 24th

August 27th-28th







to come SHOP!!! It's a win, win for sellers and shoppers!

What kinds of things do we usually have-thousands of stamps, die cutting machines, Cricuts & cartridges, dies, trimmers, yarn, punches, paper, storage, ribbon, embellishments, tools-pretty much EVERYTHING CRAFTY! This is a great way to stock up on creative stuff without blowing the bank!

Sunday & Monday are both half price days, so make sure to come in at least twice, on a regular \* price day, and again on half price day! There will be a new video posted on Facebook everyday showing how much is left at the sale. You NEVER MISS OUT on the good stuff by missing the  $\frac{2}{3}$ first couple days! We get so much, there is ALWAYS still good stuff left, I promise!

Do you want to SELL your stuff, you no longer use? GREAT--You purchase a seller number for \$5.00, that number is yours for future garage sales too, if you choose to keep participating, just reactivate your number at each sale. 80% of what you make gets saved into our computer system as store credit that DOES NOT EXPIRE! The remaining 20% is used to cover my additional help at the store, as well as my credit card processing fees.

There are a few rules sellers must abide by: clean, non-broken items, you know the good stuff that other people want! We don't want to be thought of as a junk sale, as we always have fantastic items! Once the sale is over, we organize the seller's items back into boxes, and you pick up the leftovers, hopefully you have none! This sale is looking to be our biggest & best one yet! We always have new sellers at each sale too, which keeps things fresh! Stop into Scrapmania for a complete list of rules. Items can be dropped off starting 3 days before the sale and must be picked up in the 3 days after the sale ends unless you would like them donated. Any questions, please feel free to ask! 319-377-9999





# Join us at Scrapmania for a CARD SWAP!! SATURDAY, AUGUST 13th 11:00am – 2:00pm

What a fun way to get a variety of cards all at once! There will be a \$10 fee for you to participate but you will get a \$5 store credit to be used the day of the swap, plus 10% off on your purchases that day! The other \$5 will go towards snacks from your hostess.

Please use quality products like those found here at Scrapmania. No construction paper, or items that are not quality supplies. We want each participant to be happy with their cards received in the swap, including you! Our minimum swap size will be 6, and a maximum of 12 attendees.

Have questions, or want to sign up? Please contact Stephanie Benway at 563-260-6889

Each participant creates and assembles one card to be used as an example then cuts pieces to make more of the same card and package the pieces together in Ziplock baggies or clear cellophane bags that seal, including any embellishments as well as have the images/sentiments pre-stamped. All packages along with the original and taken to the store on assigned day (swap day). If you can't attend swap day, you will need to drop off your bagged cards at Scrapmania no later than August 3rd. This includes if you must mail the kits and sample card. If you must mail the kits and sample card you are responsible for return postage of card kits. If mailed, the kits must be placed in a gallon Ziplock bag with your name on it and the kits due to you will be returned in the same bag along with the card sample that you sent. On swap day you will assemble the cards from your assigned group and leave with other cards plus the original card you made! If your card requires coloring, please bring the colors used to the swap so others can finish their coloring too.

Items that are required to bring with you to assemble your cards are: Adhesive, pop dots, double sided tape, glue, and scissors. Craft mat is optional.

All cards must be made of quality paper and be A2 (5  $\frac{1}{2} \times 4 \frac{1}{4}$ ) in size. No envelope is required! Cards need to all be the same. There is no theme for this swap, but we may add a theme in the future!

#### Scrapmania 22 Hour Crop til you Drop Weekends June 25th-26th July 23rd-July 24th August 27th-28th

#### Cost: \$15.00

#### Bring a Snack to Share. Meals are on your own.



Join us at Scrapmania for a fun 2-day crop with extended private hours for croppers only! This will be a 2-day crop for only \$15 per person! Please bring a snack to share with the group!

We will start early on Saturday at 8:00am and finish at 8:00pm. Then on Sunday, we will reopen for croppers only from 8:00am til 6:00pm and shoppers 10:00am-4:00pm. That is 22 hours of crafting, fun, & shopping! Croppers will receive a 10% off discount for the whole weekend! Join us in our huge 13,600

sq ft space! Register today before you miss out! Maximum attendees will be 25, in our huge class area that is 1,100 sq ft. We hope you can join us for the fun! 319-377-9999

NO REFUNDS ON CANCELLATIONS 72 HOURS PRIOR TO THE EVENT! No food is provided. You can register in person or over the phone. If attending with friends, please tell us when registering, so we can seat you at the same table. Doors will not open until 8:00am on both days. We hope you can join us!





...we punch and crop all day!



All specials are for in stock merchandise only, excludes hold orders. Special orders are still available but will not get a discount.

# **All Scrapmania Clothing**



# 25% Off Nuvo Drops & Stickles



# 25% Off All Stickers









# Scrapmania

## **Custom School**

### Papers





Elementary Schools Arthur Elementary Bowman Woods Elementary Buford Garner Elementary Cleveland Elementary Coolidge Elementary Echo Hill Elementary

Emerson Elementary Erskine Elementary Garfield Elementary Grant Elementary Grant Wood Elementary Harrison Elementary Hiawatha Elementary Hoover Elementary Jackson Elementary Jackson Elementary Kenwood Elementary Linn Grove Elementary Madison Elementary Nixon Elementary

Novak Elementary Pierce Elementary Prairie Elementary Squaw Creek Elementary Starry Elementary Taylor Elementary Truman Elementary Van Buren Elementary Viola Gibson Elementary Westfield Elementary Wilkins Elementary Wright Elementary



#### Middle Schools

Excelsior Middle School Francis Marion Intermediate Franklin Middle School Harding Middle School McKinley Middle School Oak Ridge Middle School

#### Roosevelt Middle

Taft Middle School Vernon Middle School Wilson Middle School

#### **High Schools**

City High School East High School Iowa City West High Jefferson High School Kennedy High School Liberty High School Linn Mar High School Marion High School

#### Washington High School

**Catholic Schools** 

All Saints Catholic School St. Joseph Catholic School St. Matthews Catholic School St. Pius X Catholic School LaSalle Middle School Xavier High School Alburnett Community Schools Anamosa Community School Beckman Catholic School Benton Community Schools Cedar Falls School District Cedar Valley Christian

Center Point-Urbana Community Central City Community Schools Clear Creek Amana Community School Dunkerton Community Schools Hudson Community Schools Independence Community Schools Iowa Valley Community Schools Jesup Community Schools Lisbon Community Schools Maquoketa Valley Community Schools Monticello Community Schools Mount Vernon Community Schools Muscatine Community Schools North Cedar Community Schools North Linn Community Schools

Prairie High (College Community Solon Community Schools South Tama Community Schools Springville Community Schools Tipton Community Schools Trinity Lutheran School Union Community Schools Vinton-Shellsburg Community Schools West Branch Community Schools West Liberty Community Schools Williamsburg Community Schools Williamsburg Community Schools

#### Community School Districts

Colleges & Universities Ashford University Central College Coe College Xavier High School Cornell College

**Drake University** 

Iowa State College Kirkwood Community College Loras College Luther College Mount Mercy University Simpson College St. Ambrose University University of Dubuque University of Dubuque University of Iowa University of Northern Iowa Upper Iowa University Wartburg College

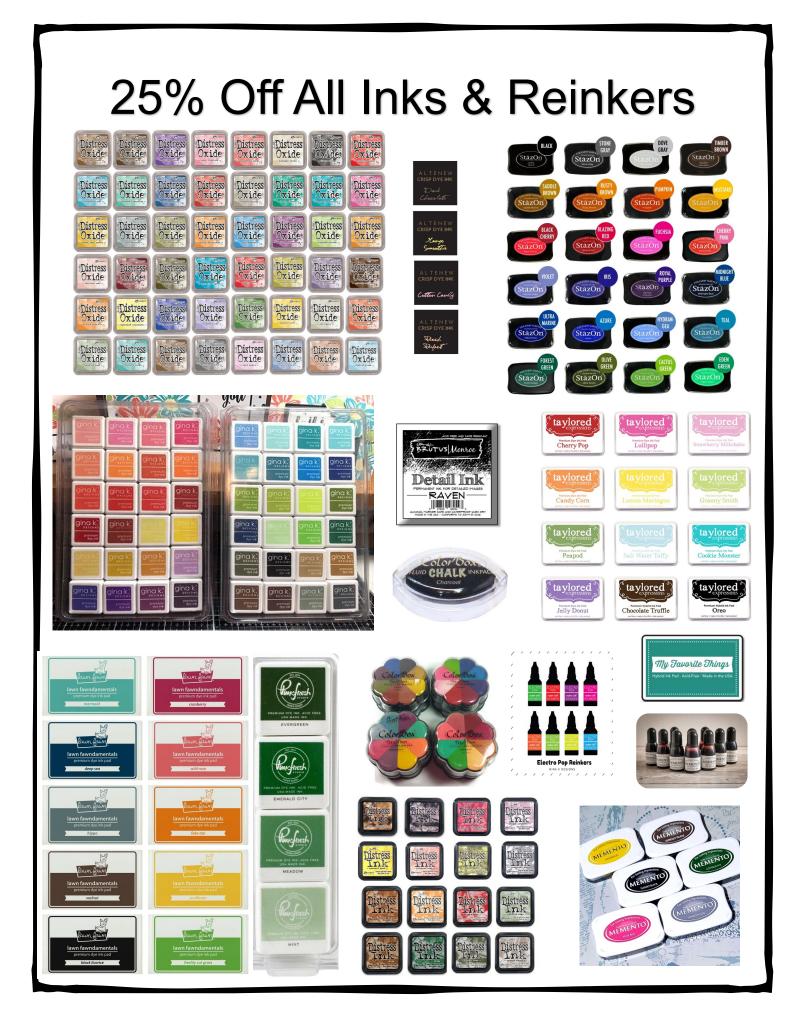






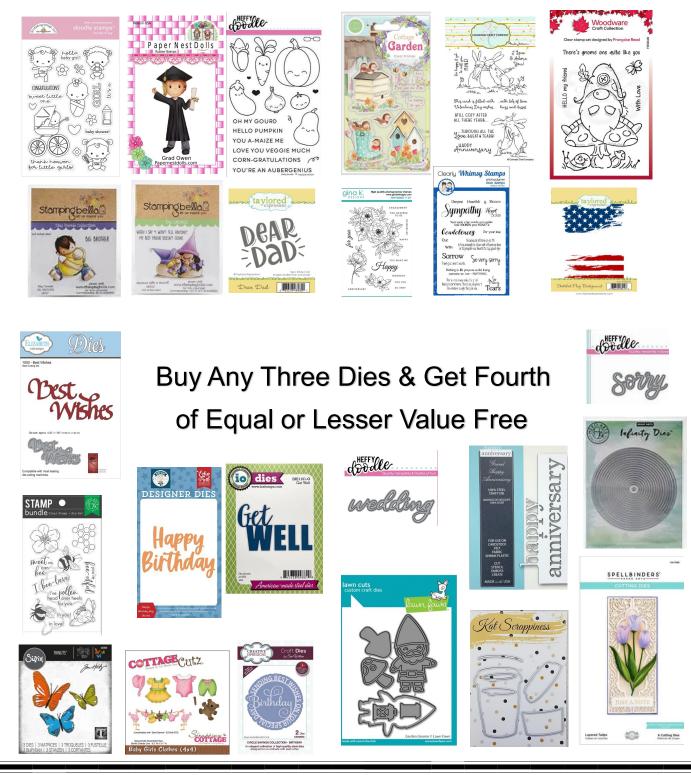






Scrapmania's stamp and die selection is unbelievable. All specials are for in stock merchandise only, excludes hold orders. Special orders are still available but will not get a discount. Gina K & Taylored Expression releases within the last 30 days are excluded.

# Buy Any Three Stamps & Get Fourth of Equal or Lesser Value Free





# Scrapmania stocks over 70 companies for the best selection of stamps and dies in the state of lowa

Company Name
lawn fawn
LDRS creative
Maker Forte
memory box
My Favorite Things (MFT)
Neat & Tangled
newton's nook designs
Our Daily Bread Designs
Paper Roses
PENNY BLACK
PHOTOPLAY
Picket Fence STUDIOS
Pinkfresh
Polkadoodles
powerpoppy
Prickley Pear
Ranger-Simon Hurley Create
Scraps of Love (Scrapmania Custom)
Simple Stories
Sizzix
Spellbinders
STAMPENDOUS
STAMPERS ANONYMOUS-Tim Holtz Collection
STAMPERS ANONYMOUS-Wendy Vecchi
Stampingbella
SUNNY STUDIO
Sweet n Sassy
taylored expressions
Technique Tuesday
The Rabbit Hole Designs
THE STAMP MARKET
tonic
Waffle Flower
Whimsy Stamps
Woodware Craft Collection



# **Scrapmania Upcoming Classes**

Give our classes a try, you won't be disappointed! We are a local store, and our teachers are local too! Come alone and meet new people or bring some friends for a girls night out!! You are always free to bring snacks or drinks of your choosing too which includes alcohol if you choose. We have a huge class area to spread out in if you would like. Masks are optional. Class attendees save 10% off the day of your class and reward punches. (Please bring Cash or Check for Teacher Fee) All class supplies you may need can be obtained at Scrapmania.

Scrapmania has various repeating classes, and we are always adding new classes. Follow us on Facebook to get the latest information on all our great classes. Classes fill up quickly, so stop by the store or call us today at 319-377-9999 to get registered.





Join us for a private online class for AIR stores. If you can't join us the night of the event, no worries! This AIR exclusive class will be available to view on your own time after the virtual event is over. Create this beautiful 49 & Market album using the gorgeous new Sherbet collection, which is a brand-new release! The colors are stunning, and it can be used for any theme! This would also make an amazing gift! Please call or stop into Scrapmania to get registered for the event, and we will get you further details. Thank you for your support of our local shop and our team of AIR stores!! Kits will be available in person or for shipping at Scrapmania while they last!

Class Level:	All Skill Level
Class Instructor:	Online
Class Date:	Wednesday, June 8th
Class Time:	6:00pm (cst)
Kits Available:	\$70.00
Class Supplies Needed:	All materials included except adhesive to make a complete 49 & Market mini album us- ing the Foundations Memory Keeper from 49 & Market, plus full instructions, and a great online tutorial!







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# Written Memories Card Class

Join us for a creative new class for all levels of card makers! Create all 5 cards for only \$21! Linda will show you how to use Kiwi Lane templates in this unique and fun card class at Scrapmania! Templates will be supplied for you in class. These are beautiful all occasion cards perfect for just about anyone!

Please call or stop into Scrapmania to get registered for the event. Thank you for your support of our local shop and our local teachers! Kits will not be available, per Kiwi Lane guidelines. Thanks for understanding!

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Class Level:	All Skill Level
Class Instructor:	Linda Hanson
Class Date:	Thursday, June 9th
Class Time: Session One: Session Two:	2:00pm-4:00pm 6:00pm-8:00pm
Materials Fee:	\$6.00
Teacher Fee:	\$15.00 Please bring Cash or Check for Teacher Fee
Kits Available:	Kits will not be available, per Kiwi Lane guide- lines. Thanks for understanding!
Class Supplies Needed:	Trimmer, scissors, tape runner, glue with a fi- ne tip, black gel pen, brown ink, and an ink dauber









# **Magical Mintay Card Class**

Join us for a creative new class for all levels of card makers! Create 6 beautiful cards, all with glitter paper for only \$25! Linda will show you how to use Kiwi Lane templates in this unique and fun card class at Scrapmania! Templates will be supplied for you in class.

Please call or stop into Scrapmania to get registered for the event. Thank you for your support of our local shop and our local teachers!

Class Level:	All Skill Level
Class Instructor:	Linda Hanson
Class Date:	Friday, June 10th
Class Time:	
Session One:	2:00pm-4:00pm
Session Two:	6:00pm-8:00pm
Materials Fee:	\$10.00
Teacher Fee:	\$15.00
	Please bring Cash or Check for Teacher Fee
Kits Available:	Kits will not be available, per Kiwi Lane guide- lines. Thanks for understanding!
Class Supplies Needed:	Trimmer, scissors, tape runner, glue with a fi- ne tip, black gel pen, brown ink, and an ink dauber.









# Kiwi Lane Stay & Play

Are you ready to create some awesome cards and/or scrapbooking pages using Kiwi Lane products? Come play with us all day at this FREE crop from 10:00am-5:00pm at Scrapmania with Linda! This is a wonderful local crop with our Kiwi Lane demonstrator!

Cost is FREE, just purchase some paper! Plus if you attend for 2 hours or more, you will get a 10% discount that day on your entire purchase!

No need sign up for this class. We have plenty of room in our huge classroom for EVERY-ONE in our 13,600 sq ft store!

Call or stop into Scrapmania to get registered for any of our other amazing classes, with the best teachers anywhere!!

Class Level:	All Skill Levels
Class Instructor:	Linda
Class Date:	Saturday, June 11th
Class Time:	10:00am-5:00pm
Materials Fee:	No Charge
Teacher Fee:	No Teacher Fee
Kits Available:	Kits are not available, as Kiwi Lane does not allow it.
Class Supplies Needed:	Linda is supplying all your templates, vintage photos ink and a dauber. Just bring your basic tools-glue, tape runner, trimmer, & scis- sors. Just plan to buy a new collection kit or coordinating papers to use that day! No need to haul a bunch of stuff, Linda makes it super easy and fun for you!





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# Mixed Media Teacup Tower

Come create a great mixed media canvas with us at Scrapmania, no painting necessary! Join us for the fun! Lynette creates right along with you showing you how to apply paper, custom-colored pastes, die cuts and mod podge for a great home decor piece! You will be amazed at the final result in our local classes. All the paper pieces will be precut and ready for you to apply to your project. Join us by yourself or with a friend, these classes are so much fun!!!

We know this class will be very popular! If this date doesn't work for you, gather some friends and pick a date for a private class of 5 or more!

Class Level:	All Skill Levels
Class Instructor:	Lynette
Class Date:	Tuesday, June 14th
Class Time:	6:00pm-9:00pm
Materials Fee:	\$15.00
Teacher Fee:	\$18.00
Kits Available:	Kits are not available.
Class Supplies Needed:	At Scrapmania, we supply EVERYTHING YOU NEED, several brushes, paints, the canvas, & more! I do suggest wearing old clothes. We do have some aprons, just ask upon arrival, first come first serve!









# Whimsy/Cottagecutz Card Class

School is finally out and now it's time for some you time! Take time for yourself in this fun card class at Scrapmania! Make all 7 of these adorable cards in 1 night or sign up for a kit if you can't make it in! Class and kits will both sell out, so register early! Nikki's classes always go quick! Your friends and family will love getting them in the mail, for any occasion! They are all so cute!

All class attendees always get 10% off their entire purchase the day of class. This is the perfect time to purchase items used in class plus a few others, while you get a discount! I greatly appreciate your support of our local shop and our wonderful instructors too!

Kits are available for \$32 but must be signed up before to guarantee availability! Class kits will be brought in by the teacher no later than the class date, sometimes sooner, but no guarantees. Thanks for understanding.

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Class Level:	Any Skill Level
Class Instructor:	Nikki
Class Date:	Thursday, June 16th
Class Time:	6:00pm-8:00pm
Materials Fee:	\$14.00
Teacher Fee:	\$18.00
	Please bring Cash or Check for Teacher Fee
Pre Order Kits Available:	Kits available \$32.00
Class Supplies Needed:	Pop dots, fussy cutting scissors, tape runner, glue, any cloud stencil (Nikki used MFT) white gel pen, glue gun w/ glue sticks or your choice of adhesive for bows, ink daubers, Nuvo drops in white, ink used was Gina K warm cocoa & chocolate brown, Distress Inks used are tum- bled glass & hickory smoke. Optional supply that is handy: Jewel picker

## **Funky Flowers Card Class**

Join us for a Funky Flower card class with fun folds at Scrapmania! Nancy will be teaching these cool cards in a day and an evening class. Come learn to create all 6 cards in a variety of funky folds!

Kits can be preordered and will be available after the class date, kit cost is \$23 and will include pictures and instructions. These are great all occasion cards!

Please call or stop into Scrapmania to get registered for any of our fantastic classes. Thank you for supporting local!

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Class Level:	All Skill Levels
Class Instructor:	Nancy
Class Date:	Tuesday, June 21st
Class Time:	
Session One:	2:00pm-4:00pm
Session Two:	6:00pm-8:00pm
Materials Fee:	\$8.00
Teacher Fee:	\$15.00
	Please bring Cash or Check for Teacher Fee
Pre Order Kits Available:	\$23.00
Class Supplies Needed:	Basic Kit: Trimmer, scissors, tape runner & wet adhesive, scissors, adhesive, glue, brown ink, & an ink dauber.







# Penny Black Plants Copic Card Class

Join us for a fantastic Penny Black Copic class at Scrapmania in June! Nancy will be teaching these stunning Copic colored cards in a day and an evening class. Come learn to color all 4 cards in a variety of card stylesshaker, slimline & standard A2 card too. Please bring ALL your markers, so Nancy can help you pick colors if you don't have what she used. We do not have a list of her choices this month. Bring markers for flowers, greenery, flowerpots, etc. If you would like any colors ordered please let us know, we will have an order going in.

If you need coloring instruction, please plan to attend class in person, as it's much easier to assist you! Thanks!

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Class Level:	All Skill Level
Class Instructor:	Nancy
Class Date:	Thursday, June 23rd
Class Time:	
Session One:	2:00pm-4:00pm
Session Two:	6:00pm-8:00pm
Materials Fee:	\$7.00
Teacher Fee:	\$15.00 Please bring Cash or Check for Teacher Fee
Pre Order Kits Available:	Kits can be preordered and will be available after the class date, kit cost is \$22 and will in- clude pictures and some instructions, but not how to color instruction.
Class Supplies Needed:	Trimmer, scissors, adhesive, pop dots plus ALL your Copic markers.



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# Design Team



#### Design Team Member Tonielle Parizek Stealing Strawberries

- Bazzill Cardstock-Berry Sensation, Watermelon Sensation, Grass, Peapod, White and Bazzill Vellum
- Ken Oliver Crafts Fuchsia Color Burst
- Elizabeth Craft Designs Strawberries Die
- Sizzix Sidekick Die Cutting Machine
- Deco Foil Clear Toner Sheets in Dainty Hearts
- Gina K. Red Fancy Foil
- Sprinkles Epoxy Stickers in Bubblegum by Doodlebug Designs

May Design Team worked with a Let's Get Fruity theme. Toni wanted this page to look like an overflowing basket of yummy strawberries. She had never used the toner sheets before or the foil. She thought that the foil went onto the paper and was going to use it as the design on the berries but after she realized it didn't transfer to the paper, she had to change her plan a little bit. She then decided to use the hearts as a background layer. She started with spraying the background with a bunch of water and then puffed some of the color burst onto the page and used a heat tool to spread the color and dry it. Toni did this process a few times until she got the coverage she wanted. Toni then layered the foiled hearts to complete the background. The next step was cutting out a BUNCH of strawberries. She made about 80 in total. Toni loved that this die also has embossing for the strawberry seeds to add a fun texture! She mixed and matched the two pinks for strawberries with two greens for the stems. She matted her photo with two layers of vellum and roughed up the edges and then added a white mat. After she placed the photo, she used her tape runner to add a bunch of stripes on the bottom of the page to add the strawberries to and started placing them haphazardly. Once they were placed, she added foam dots to some to add a lot of dimension, and used glue to keep the strawberries in place as the tape runner was not enough to permanently keep them in place. She added the title with sticker letters and cut out the word strawberries using her Silhouette Cameo in the Sweet Hypster font. She used the Sprinkles to complete the title and add some fun clusters around the photo which add even more dimension to the page!











#### Design Team Member Tonielle Parizek What a Fun Bunch

- Bella Blvd Squeeze the Day Collection 12x12 Paper, Washi Tape, Chipboard and Epoxy Stickers
- Doodlebug Designs Bumblebee Sunshine Cardstock Alphabet
- Penless QR Code Video Stickers
- Tim Holtz Kitsch Flamingo Distress Paint



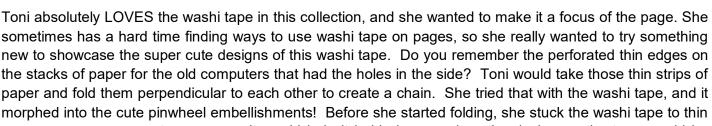
Toni's good friend brought her kids to her house for the weekend, so she had A LOT of pics to share but didn't want to do multiple layouts, so she decided to add a waterfall of pics using the washi tape to "hinge" the pictures. She started this layout by splattering the distress paint on the background using the Tim Holtz splatter brush. It's so easy to use her four-yearold daughter did it and it looks great! This layout came together quickly. She matted the pictures that were going to be in the waterfall, made the wa-

terfall and then added all the fun embellishment stickers in clusters! She cut out some circles of the black and white paper to help the title stand out and the bulk of this layout was complete, but she wanted to add one more bit of pizazz! She had a fun video of the kids playing on the trampoline, so her husband used a free video editing app to spice it up a bit and then added it to the pineapple Penless QR Code sticker. Toni is not super comfortable with technology, so she was a little intimidated by this step, but it was actually super easy! You need the Penless app to put a video on the sticker but ANYBODY with a smart phone can play the video. All they need to do is take a picture with their phone of the QR code and press the notification that pops up on the screen of their phone and it will take you to the video!! She is now obsessed with these stickers! Toni loves having pictures of memories but sometimes a video of the action makes it even better! Plus, she loves hiding fun interactive elements in her pages and her daughter loves playing with them when she looks at her albums!



May Design Team Member Tonielle Parizek What a Fruitloop

- Simple Stories Summer Lovin' Collection 12x12 Paper, Enamel Dots, Sticker Sheet, and Washi
- Simple Stories Color Vibe Red Foam Alpha Stick-





computer paper so it would help it hold shape and so the design on the tape would be more vibrant! After she got done folding the paper, she punched out a 1 1/4" circle of paper and hot glued the pinwheel onto it to help it hold shape and finished it off with an enamel dot in the middle! On the bottom of the picture, she Simple Stories used the border sticker from the sticker sheet and a leftover piece of washi tape from one of the first pinwheels she tried to create the textured yellow

border. Toni loves the fun summer vibe this layout exudes along with all the great textures it has!







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SUMMER LOVIN'

#### May Design Team Member Karen Schatz You're One in a Melon Card

Karen absolutely loves this month's theme and chose to use the Taylored Expressions Tutti Frutti stamps and dies! This set is so fun and perfect for these warmer spring and summer days!

She started off by stamping quite a few images using Taylored Expressions Oreo ink with her Misti and Just Press Tool, and then she used Copic markers to color the images.

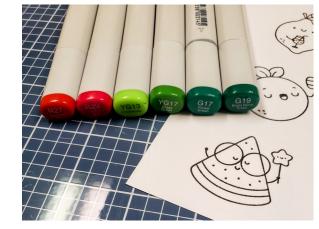
She thought it would be fun to add a little bit of sparkle to this card, so she used a Quickie Glue Pen and some fine gold glitter for the watermelon's wand.

The black watermelon seeds were stenciled on using the Taylored Expressions Wonky Dots stencil, Oreo ink and a mini blending brush.

She used Taylored Expressions Watermelon, Lime Zest and Cilantro cardstock colors, and then attached them to a white mini slimline card base.













#### May Design Team Member Karen Schatz Thanks Card





For her second card she decided to create a mini slimline. Karen used the Taylored Expressions Rotating Rays mini slim stencil and adhered it to her cardstock with some Pixie Spray. Next she blended Taylored Expressions inks in a circular pattern, beginning in the middle with Pineapple, and blending out towards the ends with Lemon Meringue.

Once the ink blending was done, she used a small pallet knife and Lawn Fawns Fairy Dust stencil paste over the sun rays and set it aside to dry.

She cut two of the Thanks word die pieces out of Taylored Expressions Lollipop cardstock and glued them together to create a little bit of dimension and used a Photoplay Paper Stitched Frames mini slimline die to cut the sun ray panel with a stitched edge. Once the stencil paste was completely dry, she finished assembling her card.

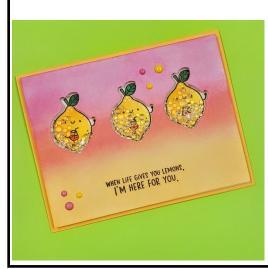
Karen loved how this card turned out with the colorful fruit pieces, glittery and bright yellow sunshine rays, and the pretty pink card base. It's such a happy card!





#### May Design Team Member Karen Schatz I'm Here for You Card

For her third card Karen thought it would be fun to create a shaker. She blended her ink using only two colors that blended well together to create a third color in the middle of my paper. Karen then die cut the lemon out of that panel three times and stamped her sentiment at the bottom.



She cut another white panel of the same size and glued the three lemon images onto that. Then she created her wells for the shaker elements using Taylored Expres-

sions Foam Sticky Strips and a sheet of acetate. Once she had enough jewels in each area, she used her Misti to line her edges up perfectly for the bottom and top panels. She then adhered the shaker panel to a Pineapple card base and added some Simple Stories Sunkissed enamel dots.

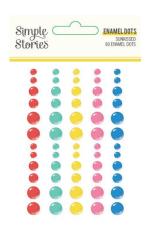
















May Design Team Member Jennifer Kinney Cherry on Top Card

Jennifer was inspired to create a circle card after seeing the new circle hot foil plates from Pinkfresh Studio. It can be fun to break out of a rut of A2 rectangle cards. She used the largest circle plate with black foil from Spellbinders. The high contrast between the shiny black circle and the white card stock is really sharp! She topped it with the cherries from the Color Layering Cherries set from Hero Arts (such an awesome set!) and a simple sentiment. It's a very clean and simple card kicked up a notch with the foiling and the shape.



#### May Design Team Member Jennifer Kinney Hello Friend Cherry Card

Here are the cherries again - such a great set! This time Jennifer played with a different color combo - the cherries are a bit pinker, and the leaves are more of a blue green. She adhered the cherries on a stitched panel, which she then adhered to a scalloped panel. Using foam tape, she popped up the white panels on top of the pattern paper panel. All the panels were die cut using Lawn Fawn dies (these dies are a great basic supply that she used over and over again).

#### May Design Team Member Lisa McBride



Lisa used the Taylored Expressions Very Cherry cling, and clear combo this month to make her three cards. Here is a picture of the supplies and the ink colors she used for her three cards. The Taylored Expressions bitty blending brushes are great for inking smaller areas.

On her I'd Pick You card, Lisa wanted to let the bright

red cherries be the focus of the card and she liked the look of a couple of them hanging around on the other edges of the circle.

For her Note to Cherry you Up card she wanted subtle colors that were muted from what would be



considered the norm for cherries.

When deciding on the layout for this card she wanted her sentiment to be a half circle at the top of the card.

She used the Lawn Fawn Just Stitching Double Rectangles die to add stitching to the card. This was done after the stenciled layer was adhered to the green mat and the sentiment circle was added to the stenciled layer. She wanted the stitching to show up on all three layers.





The photo shows the placement of the foam tape on the card with the circle cut out. Lisa liked the dimension it gave and how it created a focus point for the stamped cherries. When she had to line up a card front with a base, she put the top upside down in her Score Buddy and then lined up the base into that same corner. This is a life saver when it comes to things with the foam tape where you only get ONE chance to get it straight!





Lisa's Thanks Cherry Much flat shaker card is very simple to put together and would be ideal for sending in the mail.

Here is a look at the back of the shaker card to show where she placed the scor Pal tape and the sheet of acetate, using packaging from a stamp trimmed to size.



When Lisa folded over her corners, she mitered them just like she would when covering chipboard for a



mini album. She left one of the longer edges open so it would be easy to add the shaker bits. She laid her card on the Waffle flower mini media mat to help hold it in place. It's like an extra pair of hands when working so your project doesn't slide all over. It also came in handy when pouring different shaker items into the clear pocket to catch her extras. She was able to pick up the mat and fold it in half to get all the extra bits back into their containers.

#### May Design Team Member Jennifer Kinney Lemon Card Just Because Card

Jennifer wanted to play with watercolors for her third card for Scrapmania this month. For the background she wet the top corner of her card and then added some Distress Oxide inks. She used her brush and a spray bottle to move the color around until she was satisfied with the look. After it was dried, she splattered a bit of ink. The lemons and leaves are from the super fun Lemon Zest set by Spellbinders. Jennifer used the ink smooshing technique with her Distress Oxide inks to add color to a piece of watercolor card stock before die cutting the various pieces. She adhered the die cuts to the panel and then added the sentiment from the Signature Sentiments set by Taylored Expressions, which has so many common phrases in a great font mix!











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