

inspiration

GALLERY





It looks like Kim's family had a magnificent spring day together frolicking in the grass and playing with the family pup! We love all of the happy moments she captured on this double page layout. The sunny yellow, splashes of watercolour, and festive flags and assortment of buttons and ephemera make this layout a feast for the eyes.

we love our life together

BY KIM WATSON

supplies CARDSTOCK: American Crafts; PATTERNED PAPER, BUTTONS: American Crafts, Crate Paper; EPHEMERA, JOURNALING CARDS: Hip Kit Club; STICKERS: American Crafts, Hip Kit Club; WOOD VENEER: Simple Stories; PAINT: Shimmerz Paints; WATERCOLOUR PAINT: Prima Marketing; PEN: Bella Blvd; ADHESIVE: Scotch, Therm O Web, Tombow



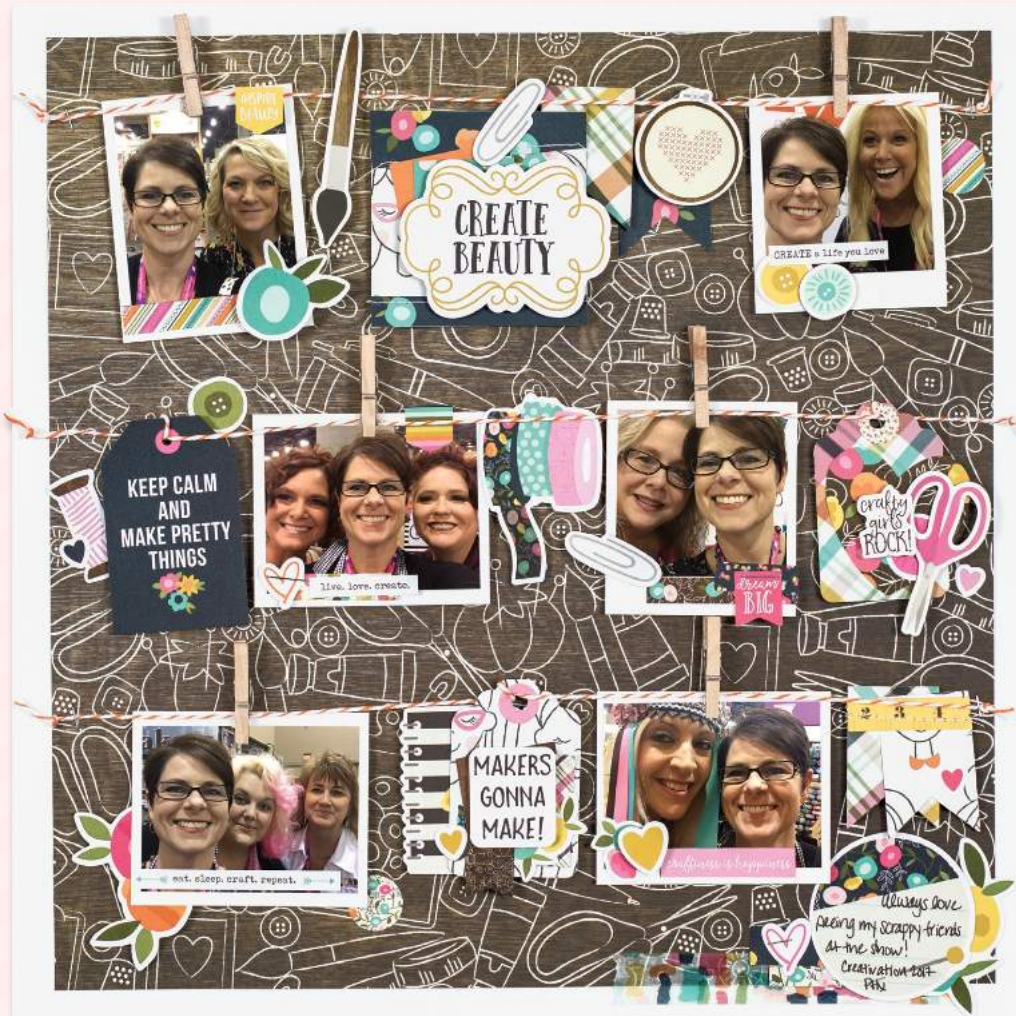
Marcia's joyful layout focuses on an adorable photo with all of the pretty flowers and sun rays taking our eye to the image. What we particularly love about this layout are all of the details—from the lacy white flowers to the cut files backed by various patterned papers to the sweet butterflies and the beautiful stitching along each ray of the sun. What a delight!

hello spring

BY MARCIA DEHN-NIX

supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics; PATTERNED PAPER, STICKERS, DIE CUT SHAPES, BRADS, FLAIR: Cocoa Vanilla Studio; INK: Quick Quotes; SPRAY INK: Tattered Angels; ELECTRONIC CUT FILE: JustNick Studio; ADHESIVE: 3M, Xyron





There's nothing better than taking a few days to get away from it all and spend creative time with like-minded friends. Jennifer's super fun layout features lots of pictures of her and her crafty friends as well as fun creative icons and sayings. One of our favourite things about this design is how she strung tags and clipped photos to twine like a tiny little layout clothesline!

create beauty

BY JENNIFER HAGGERTY

supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics; PATTERNED PAPER, CHIPBOARD, STICKERS, DIE CUT SHAPES, WASHI TAPE: Simple Stories; TWINE: Whisker Graphics; CLOTHESPINS, PEN: American Crafts; PUNCHES: Fiskars, Paper Shapers; STAPLERS: Tim Holtz, Fiskars; ADHESIVE: Therm O Web, Tombow

Stamp up a sweet treat for mom to tell her how much you care. With Mother's Day right around the corner, you'll want to make her something special. Dana's delicious card looks good enough to eat, and that one bite out of the donut just might remind her of your childhood shenanigans.

sweetest mom

BY DANA JOY

supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics, Copic, Neenah; PATTERNED PAPER, STAMPS, DIES: Lawn Fawn; INK: Tsukineko; EMBOSSING POWDER: WOW; PEN: Kuretake; MARKERS: Copic; ADHESIVE: 3M, ATG





One lovely photo shines in Laura's beautiful layout dedicated to her precious mother. We love this unique design with three circles across the top and a cluster of prettiness at the bottom to highlight the title. In between, you'll find Laura's heart-tugging journaling. What a treasure this loving tribute is!

we are family

BY LAURA WHITAKER

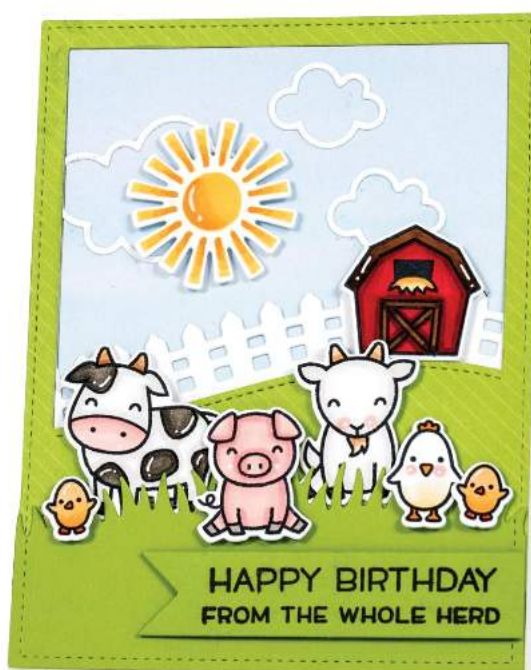
supplies CARDSTOCK: Recollections; PATTERNED PAPER, STICKERS: Pebbles; LETTER STICKERS: American Crafts; RIBBON: May Arts; BUTTONS: Maya Road; DIES: Spellbinders; TYPEWRITER: We R Memory Keepers; ADHESIVE: 3M, ATG

Spring has sprung down on the farm, and the cutest little crew of barnyard friends are gathered on Audrey's adorable birthday card. We love the charming scene she created with all sorts of sweet details—from the white picket fence on a sloping hill to the cute puffy clouds and the rosy-cheeked animals.

the whole herd

BY AUDREY TOKACH

supplies CARDSTOCK: Lawn Fawn, Papertrey Ink; PATTERNED PAPER, STAMPS, DIES: Lawn Fawn; INK: Lawn Fawn, Tsukineko; MARKERS: Copic; PEN: Sakura; ADHESIVE: Elmer's, Zig





Nathalie's layout is bursting with floral fantasy focusing on a sweet photo of a memory captured.

The wood background provides a fantastic rustic flair to offset the brilliant bouquets. We particularly love the shots of teal that carry your eye from the title on the left to the heart on the photo to the unexpected upside down position of the pretty butterfly.

family love

BY NATHALIE DESOUSA

supplies CARDSTOCK, PATTERNED PAPER, STICKERS, DIE CUT SHAPES: Jillibean Soup; STAMP: Becky Higgins; INK: Clearsnap; SPRAY INK: Heidi Swapp; PAINT: Artist's Loft; PEN: Pentel; ADHESIVE: 3M, Red Thumb

The onset of spring finds us longing for the warmth of tropical destinations, and sometimes we get our wish with a spring break trip! Meg's lively layout includes nine photos (AWESOME!) commemorating a fun trip to Fort Myers. We love how she created a collage with six of her photos with a white margin. It's a quick and clever way to include lots of photos all in one spot!

sun & sand

BY MEG BARKER

supplies CARDSTOCK: DCWV; PATTERNED PAPER: American Crafts, Crate Paper; LETTER STICKERS: American Crafts; STICKERS: American Crafts, Cosmo Cricket; WASHI TAPE: Fancy Pants Designs; ADHESIVE: Elmer's; OTHER: Pen





Our Instagram feed tells the story of our life, so why not create a layout showcasing these snapshots of the everyday? Stephanie Buice created this layout for Stephanie Smokovich using photos from her Insta feed. What better way to capture the perfect imperfection of life?! The grid design of this layout features eleven photos and could easily be adapted to non-Instagram photos.

perfectly imperfect

BY STEPHANIE BUICE

supplies CARDSTOCK: American Crafts; PATTERNED PAPER, LETTER STICKERS, STICKERS, CHIPBOARD, DIE CUT SHAPES: Bella Blvd

Planting and tending flowers in our gardens is a sure sign that spring is here! Majken's pretty floral layout features three sweet photos of Presley being a big helper with the watering can. A commanding die cut watering can drives home the theme. How cute is the stitching around the perimeter and the accents that mimic the holes of the spout?

little moments

BY MAJKEN PULLIN

supplies CARDSTOCK: American Crafts; PATTERNED PAPER: Cocoa Vanilla Studio, Pink Paislee; STAMPS, ENAMEL DOTS, CHARM: Cocoa Vanilla Studio; INK: Close To My Heart; STICKERS, RIBBON: Pink Paislee; BOW: Crate Paper; ELECTRONIC CUT FILES: JustNick Studio, Echo Park; FONT: Kingthings Typewriter 2





As the days grow warmer and spring fever hits, take your teen on an excursion for a fun photo shoot in the city! Summer and her daughter found a cool alley nestled in between the buildings of Vancouver, and their favourite shot is featured on this hip and trendy layout. And that patterned paper heart is SO fab with its riot of colour and patterns! All the heart eyes.

vancouver, bc

BY SUMMER FULLERTON

supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics; PATTERNED PAPER, DIE CUT SHAPES, STICKERS, ELECTRONIC CUT FILE: Jilibean Soup; TWINE: Hemptique; FONT: Bohemian Typewriter; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L, Tombow

Remember how your mom used to keep all of the art projects you did as a kid? She STILL loves things handmade by you! Stitch up a fun card for mom like Jill did with this awesome die from Paper Smooches. Did you notice the additional machine stitching on the rim of the hoop? That extra touch adds even more to the handmade feel of this sweet card.

cross-stitch mom

BY JILL DEWEY HAWKINS

supplies CARDSTOCK: My Favorite Things, Neenah, Recollections; DIES: Paper Smooches; FLOSS: DMC; ADHESIVE: 3M, Scor-Pal





Springtime is prom time in most teens' lives, and the before-prom photo shoots have become a favourite tradition. Tammy's layout is a breath of fresh air with the flowers and butterflies accenting the handsome couple on their way to prom. The pastel colour palette is perfect to highlight Katie's fabulous emerald dress!

smile

BY TAMMY HAWES

supplies CARDSTOCK, STAMPS, INK, PUNCH: Stampin' Up!; PATTERNED PAPER, EPHEMERA: Pink Paislee; SEQUINS: Close To My Heart; PHOTO CORNERS: Forever in Time

Flowers and balloons festoon this fantastic birthday card from Heather. It's fun to layer die cut and stamped images to create a party in card form. You'll note that Heather placed the toucan's bill over the balloon strings to make it appear that he's coming to the party with a balloon bouquet. Excellent design!

yay!

BY HEATHER CAMPBELL

supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazill Basics; Avery Elle; STAMPS, INK, DIES, SEQUINS: Avery Elle; MARKERS: Copic; ADHESIVE: 3M





Social media filters bring out the selfie in us and often result in adorable (and hilarious!) photos. Tammy captured five such photos of her daughter on this layout. And really, social media brings so much inspiration! Tammy credits this layout idea to the very talented designer Missy Whidden. Tammy spotted Missy's layout while scrolling through Instagram and had to make her own version.

amazing

BY TAMMY ZIOLKOWSKI

supplies LETTER STICKERS: American Crafts, Pink Paislee; STICKERS: Fancy Pants Designs, Heidi Swapp; DIE CUT SHAPES: Fancy Pants Designs; SPRAY INK: Heidi Swapp; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L, Scotch; OTHER: Patterned paper, glitter tape, sequins

Soon it will be Mother's Day, so why not document your own mom journey? Make sure you get in the picture, too, of course! We love all of the masculine accents Wendy incorporated in her design, and she quips, "Mom of 5 boys, what a feat! I never thought of the possibility, but I LOVE it!" And take a tip from Wendy: any journaling card can be altered to say what you want to say with the addition of letter stickers and handwritten journaling.

these 5 boys

BY WENDY ANTENUCCI

supplies CARDSTOCK: American Crafts; PATTERNED PAPER, LETTER STICKERS, STICKERS, DIE CUT SHAPES, WOOD VENEER: Jillibean Soup; MARKER: Sharpie; ADHESIVE: ATG



Tenia's card embodies the hope that spring brings! And what a fun design with the jaunty angle, zig zag stitching, and colourful washi tape to complement the image and sentiment.



where flowers bloom

BY TENIA NELSON

supplies CARDSTOCK: Recollections; PATTERNED PAPER: Reverse Confetti; STAMPS: The Stamp Market; INK: Tsukineko; WASHI TAPE: Queen & Co.; STICKERS: SRM Press; SPRAY INK: Tsukineko; PUNCHES: EK Success, We R Memory Keepers; ADHESIVE: Fun Stampers Journey, Tombow

What struck us about Debi's oh-so-cute card is the circular rainbow covered by a beautifully inked cloud and sun. And the dimensional raindrops just can't be beat!



rainbow sweetness

BY DEBI ADAMS

supplies CARDSTOCK: Neenah, Doodlebug Design; STAMPS: Simon Says Stamp; INK: Ranger Industries; DIES: Spellbinders; PEN: Faber-Castell; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L; OTHER: Chalk, vellum

freckled fawn

lovely embellishments for the lovely crafter