

designer challenge



**Saturday Afternoon
patterned paper** by 1Canoe2
1canoe2.com



**Everyday Musings Mini
Alpha Stickers**
by Pinkfresh Studio
pinkfreshstudio.com



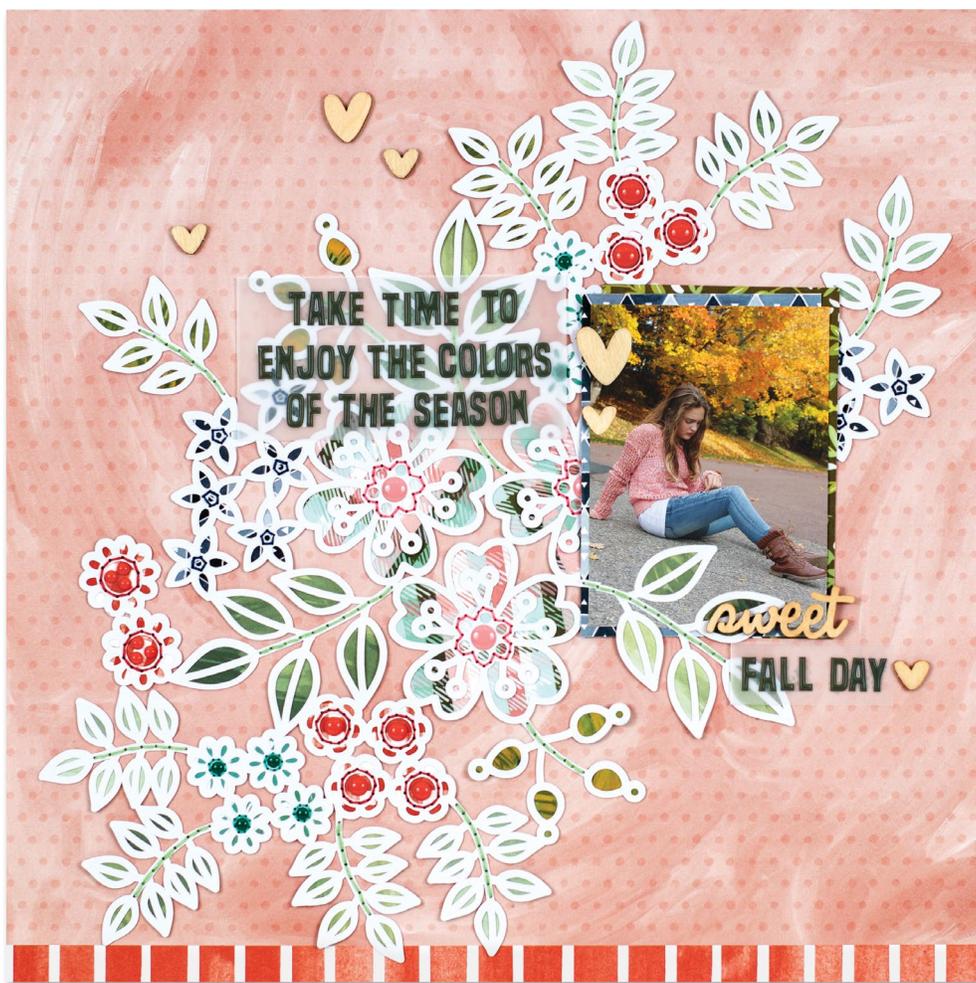
**Little Adventurer Wood
Veneer Pieces**
by Pink Paislee
pinkpaislee.com



**Coffee Collection
Enamel Dots**
by Echo Park Paper
echoparkpaper.com

Michelle Gallant, Virginia Nebel, and Nathalie DeSousa were provided with the same four products and challenged to create a layout.

With a little bit of creativity, even the smallest stash of supplies can produce something spectacular. Check out how each designer used her ingenuity to create a beautiful layout.



MICHELLE'S DESIGN TIPS: Feature gorgeous cut files!

- Find free electronic cut files to make a big impact on your layout! Add enamel dots and pretty papers to the cut file to make it your own.
- Use vellum behind your title and journaling to make them stand out a little more without marring the beauty of the cut file.
- Add a patterned paper strip to the bottom of your design to add weight and visual interest.

sweet fall day

BY MICHELLE GALLANT

additional supplies ELECTRONIC CUT FILE: Scrapbook & Cards Today; OTHER: cardstock, trim, vellum



VIRGINIA'S DESIGN TIP: Use the whole sticker sheet!

- Resist your scrapbooker "save it" mode and use two alphabet sheets to support a back to school theme!

back to school smiles

BY VIRGINIA NEBEL

additional supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics; ELECTRONIC CUT FILE: Scrapbook & Cards Today; PUNCH: EK Success; FONT: American Typewriter; ADHESIVE: Therm O Web



NATHALIE'S DESIGN TIPS: Repeat elements!

- Create pretty fall leaves with patterned papers and hand-stitching. Nathalie hand drew each leaf and lovingly stitched them for major impact!
- If you're too timid to hand draw your own leaves, look for free leaf cut files or find dies in your stash that would do the trick!
- Add texture and detail with stitched Xs around the perimeter of the layout.

the perfect fall accessory

BY NATHALIE DESOUSA

additional supplies CARDSTOCK: American Crafts; STAMP: 1Canoe2; INK: Altenew; PAINT: Heidi Swapp; TRIM: DMC; FONT: Book Antiqua; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L