

designer challenge



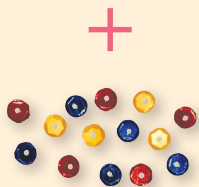
Patio Party patterned paper
by Pebbles
pebblesinc.com



Crafty Girl Bits & Pieces
die cut shapes by Simple Stories
simplestories.com



Hawthorne Acetate Words
by Heidi Swapp
heidiswapp.com



Recess sequins
by Simon Says Stamp
simonsaysstamp.com

Laura Vegas, Virginia Nebel, and Anya Lunchenko 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.



LAURA'S DESIGN TIPS: Use lines and curves!

- Go linear and create lots of horizontal movement.
- Add curves to the straight lines with circles to soften the design.
- Highlight the journaling block with thoughtfully placed sequins.
- Spritz a little ink on the background to add texture and depth.

weekend adventure

BY LAURA VEGAS

additional supplies CARDSTOCK: American Crafts; SPRAY INK: Heidi Swapp; CIRCLE CUTTER: Creative Memories; FONT: Old Remington; ADHESIVE: GlueDots, Tombow



VIRGINIA'S DESIGN TIP: Creative backgrounds!

- Create a layered background by cutting tags from the patterned paper and placing them strategically to show words and phrases that support the theme of the layout.

happy crafting weekend

BY VIRGINIA NEBEL

additional supplies CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics;
ADHESIVE: Therm O Web; OTHER: Twine



ANYA'S DESIGN TIPS: Work those details!

- Build an interesting background for your layout with three different patterned papers on a unifying base.
- Pay attention to details in your photos. The wood of the barn plays well with the wood-look papers and tags the designers were given.
- Add extra sparkle to your floral embellishments with the addition of a sprinkling of sequins.
- Tie twine in the holes of the tags for added texture and depth.

magical

BY ANYA LUNCHENKO

additional supplies CARDSTOCK: Carta Bella; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L, Therm O Web; OTHER: Twine