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## karla's travel tip

### Don't forget the journaling!

When on a trip we tend to think, "I'm never going to forget this!", but memories fade so even a few sentences capturing the moment will be invaluable in the future.

## the best memories

BY KARLLA DAUER

**supplies** CARDSTOCK: Bazzill Basics; PATTERNED PAPER, CHIPBOARD, EPHEMERA, STICKERS: Bella Blvd; FONT: Bahnschrift Light Condensed; ADHESIVE: Aleene's, Scrapbook.com

## glorious getaways

As spring approaches with summer not far behind, it's time to travel! We asked a group of designers to create layouts focusing on a wide range of travel—from Disney, to the great outdoors, to other countries! In addition to amazing inspiration, these ladies are sharing some of their favourite tips for memory keeping when it comes to travel. BY SUSAN R. OPEL

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**the challenge:**  
Create layouts based on epic trips and travels.



### Jana's travel tip

**Go the route of a double-page spread.** If you're anything like Jana, you take nigh on a gazillion photos while on vacation. Instead of using only a couple, choose several to tell the story! Jana was able to combine photos of faces, landscapes, and detail shots for a beautifully varied two-page layout!

### travel

BY JANA EUBANK

**supplies** CARDSTOCK: Neenah, Simple Stories; PATTERNED PAPER, CHIPBOARD, ENAMEL DOTS, EPHEMERA, STICKERS: Simple Stories; TRIM: Fun Stamper's Journey; FONT: Prestige Elite Std; ADHESIVE: AdTech



### sarah's travel tip

**If you think to yourself, "Should I take this photo?"—the answer is always YES!** You never know what fun story you'll be able to share. Sarah snapped this photo of her girls in the Singapore airport on the way home from a vacation her family took to Bali. They were in awe of the incredible waterfall they saw there.

**DESIGN TIP:** Collect travel memorabilia such as brochures, tickets, business cards, stickers, etc. to help document your trip. It will also help you create a timeline of events.

### airport adventures

BY SARAH KEE

**supplies** PATTERNED PAPER: Bella Blvd, Creative Memories; STAMPS: American Crafts; INK: Tsukineko; ENAMEL SHAPES, EPHEMERA, PUNCHES, STICKERS: Creative Memories; LETTER STICKERS: Bella Blvd; PAINT: Scrapbook.com, Tonic Studios; FONT: American Typewriter; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L, Tombow

**DESIGN TIP: Create your own mountains with quirky tall peaks!** Cut from patterned paper, add a white top, and stitch for a cute and homemade landscape on your layout.



## allison's travel tip

### Play around with different perspectives

when it comes to taking photos. Take the photo from your typical viewpoint first, then try out different angles or heights or even try tilting your camera. While Allison's family travelled all over Colorado, she would occasionally roll down her window and snap a quick selfie while they were driving. It was a fun way to capture photos of herself and the scenery behind her as they drove.

## explorer adventure

BY ALLISON DAVIS

**supplies** CARDSTOCK, PATTERNED PAPER: American Crafts, Simple Stories; INK, GLITTER GLUE: Ranger; EPHEMERA, LETTER STICKERS: American Crafts; STICKERS: My Mind's Eye; CUT FILES: Echo Park Paper, Silhouette America; EMBROIDERY FLOSS: DMC; FONT: Century Gothic; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L, Tombow

## nicole's travel tip

**Consider the location.** Once you're back home and ready to recapture your trip in a scrapbook layout, think about where your travels took you and how you can convey the vibe. Nicole's trip to the Rocky Mountains included a nature hike to a lake. The textures of wood and twine along with a moose and cheerful bird fit her theme like a glove.

**DESIGN TIP: Did you notice the coil to the left of the photo and journaling?** It's the perfect nod to her handwritten journaling as if it were jotted down in an actual notebook.

## captured

BY NICOLE MARTEL

**supplies** CARDSTOCK: Hammermill; PATTERNED PAPER, BRADS, DECORATIVE TAPE, ENAMEL DOTS, EPHEMERA, STICKERS: Simple Stories; STAMPS, DIES: Taylored Expressions; INK: The Stamp Market; PEN: Tul; TRIM: Hemptique; ADHESIVE: Bearly Art, Creative Memories, Taylored Expressions





## nathalie's travel tip

**Manage photo overwhelm.** One thing travellers have in common—especially the scrapbooking types—is the massive number of photos we take. If you have time, consider doing a daily delete and/or quickly review what you've captured and favourite the ones you love. This cuts back on feeling stymied when it comes time to document your memories.

**DESIGN TIP: Call on repetition!** Nathalie added similar elements in her clusters around the page. Using repetition helps tie the page together and results in a cohesive look.

## discovering ecuador

BY NATHALIE DESOUSA

**supplies** CARDSTOCK: Echo Park Paper; PATTERNED PAPER, CHIPBOARD, EPHEMERA, LETTER STICKERS, STICKERS: Vicki Boutin for American Crafts; SPECIALTY PAPER: Avery, We R Makers; FONT: Remington Noiseless; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L

## Jess's travel tip

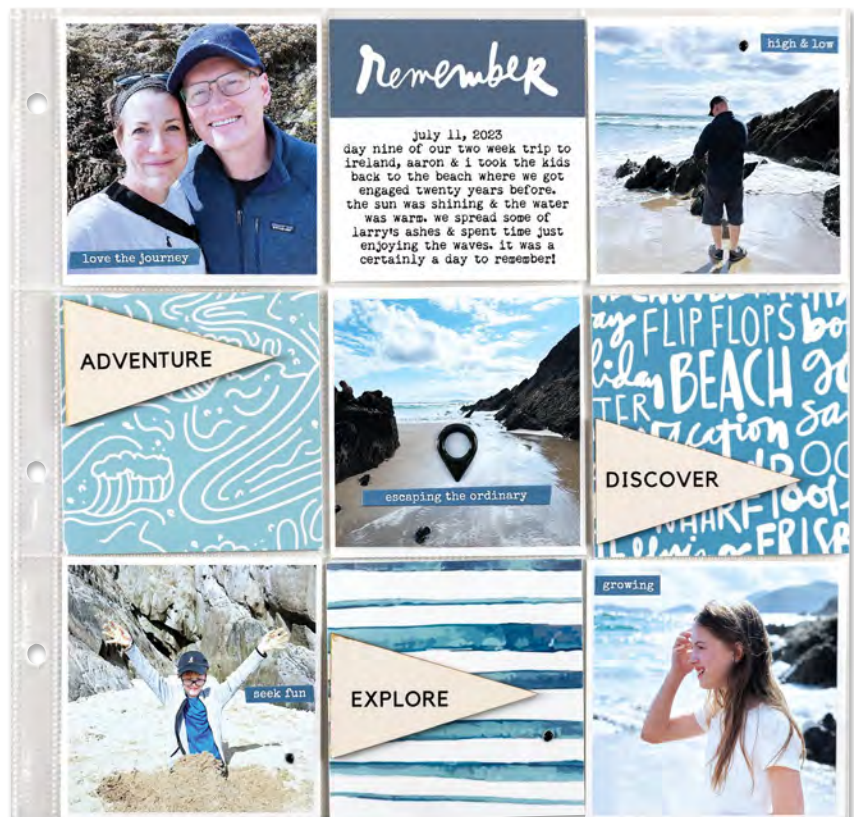
**Pocket pages are a no-brainer** when it comes to commemorating an epic trip. The various pockets can accommodate multiple photos, and you can reserve pockets for journaling, embellishments, your title, and even memorabilia. Even if you don't typically use pocket pages, your travel scrapbook could easily include a few pocket spreads to remember the trip.

**DESIGN TIP: Give your layout a balanced look** with evenly distributed photo and non-photo pockets.

## coumeenole beach, dingle, ireland

BY JESS FORSTER

**supplies** PATTERNED PAPER, PAGE PROTECTOR, STICKERS, WOOD VENEER: Ali Edwards; FONT: Remington Noiseless; ADHESIVE: 3M



## 8 mari's travel tip

### Feature a favourite photo from the trip.

Sometimes there's that one photo that is the absolute epitome of the entire trip. Mari likes to print that photo large so that it can be the star of the show and truly be appreciated. She chose papers and embellishments that subtly coordinate with the colours in the photo without taking the attention away from the photo itself.

**DESIGN TIP: For beach layouts,** emulate the waves and the sandy beach with torn paper edges and gently curving lines.

### set sail

BY MARI CLARKE

**supplies** PATTERNED PAPER, EPHEMERA, STICKERS: Heidi Swapp for American Crafts; SPECIALTY PAPER, CRAYONS: Vicki Boutin for American Crafts; TYPEWRITER: Smith Corona; ADHESIVE: Scrapbook Adhesives by 3L



## 9 layle's travel tip

### Keep your memories on-the-go.

Make room in your carry-on for a traveller's notebook to create while you travel or jot down your thoughts. Take a few minutes each morning before you head out or while you head to a new destination by train, plane, or automobile. Won't it be fun to remember how you created memories away from home?

**DESIGN TIP: Keep it simple with handwritten journaling,** a limited colour scheme, and minimal embellishment. The goal is to preserve the memories, isn't it?



### ireland

BY LAYLE KONCAR

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