

In the Meadow Reflection Technique

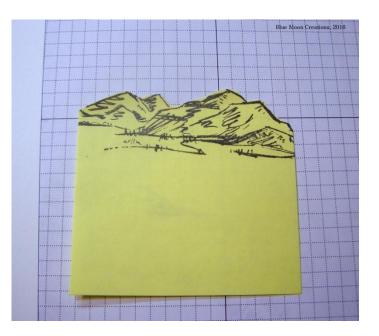
Stamp Sets: In the Meadow, Sheltering Tree, Picture Perfect

Ink: Gray Archival, Marina Mist, Island Indigo, Pool Party, Early Espresso, Old Olive markers, Soft Suede

Paper: Marina Mist, Basic Gray, Whisper White

Accessories: post-it-note, copy paper, sponge, Blender Pen

The instructions below are for the mountain scene card. But, you will be following the same basic instructions for whichever card you want to do. If you want to do the mountains, then you'd create a mask out of a post-it-note for the mountains. If you want to do the deer, then you'd create a mask out of a post-it-note for the deer. The island/and or the grass is done using the ground image from Sheltering Tree. Color in the deer using Soft Suede ink and Blender Pens.

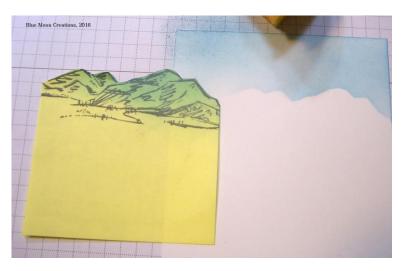


1. Stamp image of mountains on a post-it-note and cut out the top part with a pair of scissors.

Note: The post-it-note is not big enough to cover the total amount needed for your card front. So, you will have to reposition it to get the mountains all the way across.



2. Position post –it-note onto your card front and sponge sky using Marina Mist and Island Indigo inks.

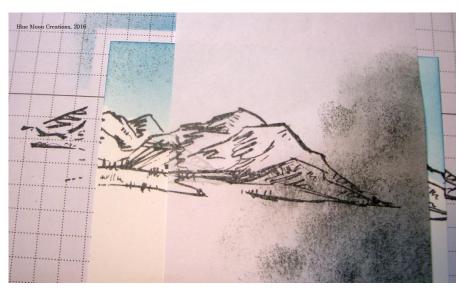


3. Reposition the post-it-note to the left hand side of the card front and continue sponging on sky.

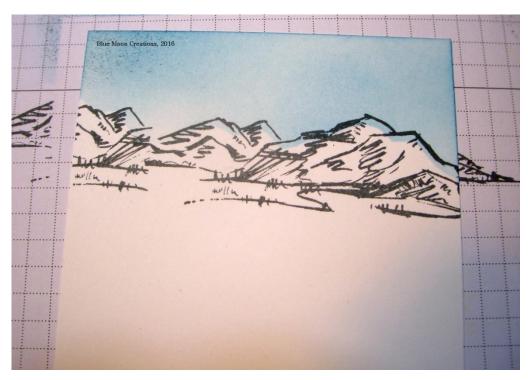


4. Stamp the mountains using Gray Archival ink, lining it up with the outline of the masked mountains.

For the left hand side of the mountains, place a scrap piece of copy paper over the stamped image on the right hand side before stamping.

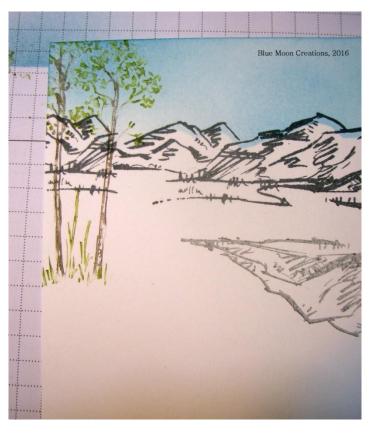


Anne Hayward, 719-784-2275, annehayward@wildblue.net



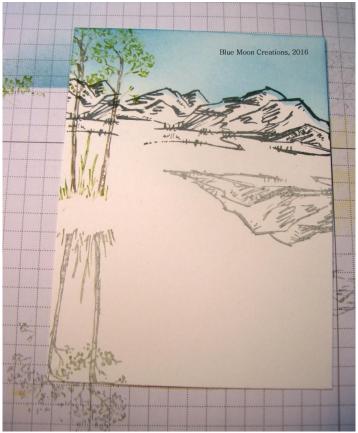


5. Stamp the reflection of the mountains. Ink up the stamp in Gray Archival, stamp off onto your worksheet, turn the stamp upside down and stamp. Be sure to leave some space for the shore line which will be added later.



6. Stamp the trees. Color in the stamp using Old Olive and Early Espresso markers.

Stamp so the leaves are towards the top of the card stock so they won't compete with the mountains in the background.



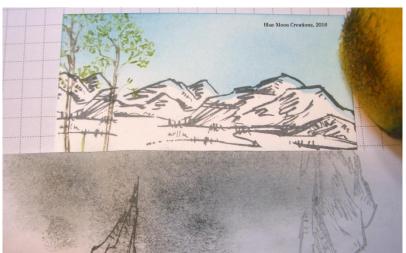
7. Stamp the reflection of the trees. Ink up the image using Gray Archival, stamp off onto your work paper, turn it upside down and stamp.

If you want to fill in more leaves, ink the stamp again, stamp off, turn it upside down and stamp. Continue to stamp without reinking.

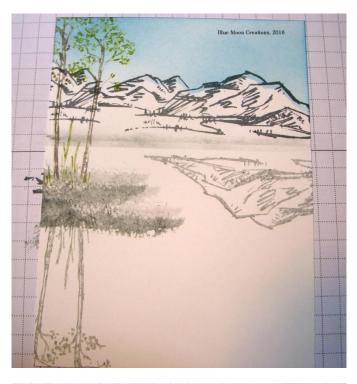
Be sure to leave some room for the island.



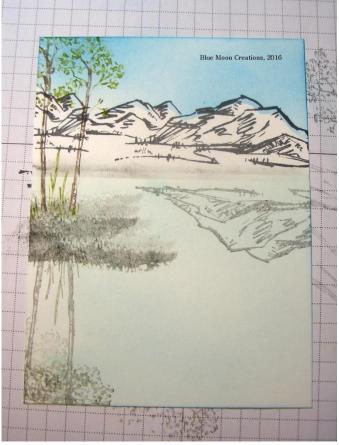
8. Stamp the island using the ground image from Sheltering Tree. Ink up the stamp, stamp off onto your worksheet and stamp. Keep stamping without reinking to fill in the reflection and shadows.



9. Sponge in the shoreline. Lay a scrap piece of copy paper below the mountains and lightly sponge on Gray Archival ink.



10. Move the scrap paper down a smidge and lightly sponge on more ink for the shoreline.



11. Sponge on water using Pool Party and Marina Mist inks.

Fill in trees, shoreline, island with more stamping and sponging if desired.

- 12. Stamp greeting using Gray Archival ink.
- 13. Layer card front to Basic Gray mat. Layer to Marina Mist card base.