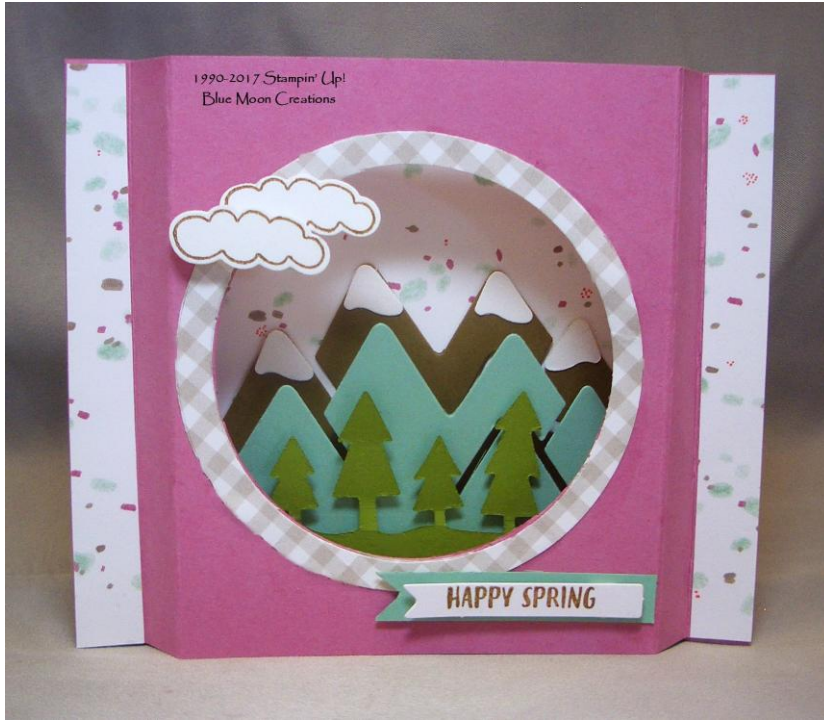


Always an Adventure Diorama Card



Supplies Used:

Stamp Sets: Always an Adventure, Bunny Buddies (Paper Pumpkin)

Ink: Soft Suede

Paper: Sweet Sugarplum, Soft Suede, Mint Macaron, Old Olive, Whisper White, Succulent Garden Designer Series Paper

Accessories: Big Shot, Outdoor Adventure and Circle Framelits Dies, Dimensionals, Fine Tip Glue, Tear and Tape Adhesive

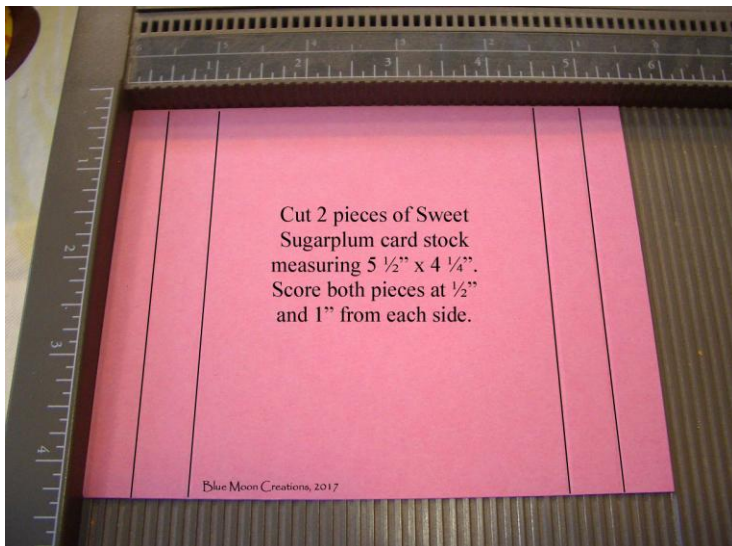


Pieces you will need:

-2 pieces measuring 5 1/2" x 4 1/4" scored at 1/2" and 1" on the short edges on both pieces

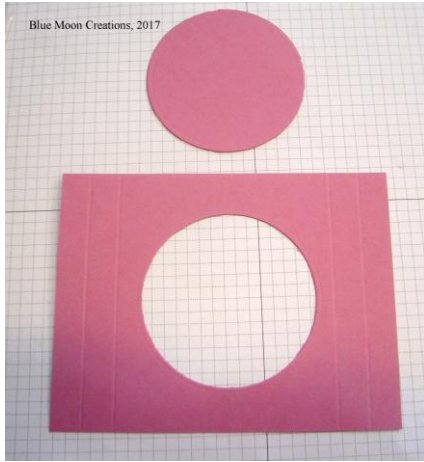
-1 piece Designer Series Paper measuring 3 3/8" x 4 1/4" for inside of bottom piece of Diorama

Scrap pieces of paper for circle ring, mountains, trees, clouds, greeting

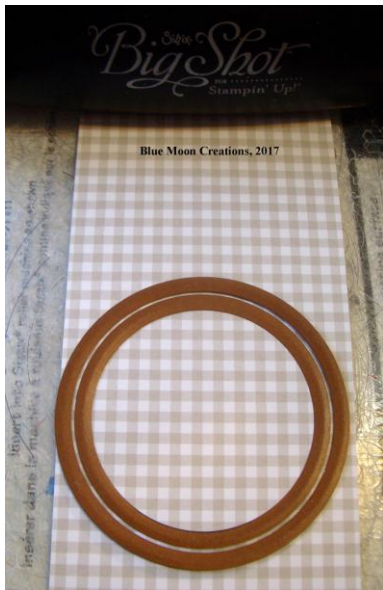


1. Cut 2 pieces of Sweet Sugarplum card stock measuring 5 1/2" x 4 1/4". (You can get 2 pieces out of 1 sheet of 8 1/2" x 11" cardstock).

2. Score both pieces at 1/2" and 1" from each side.



3. Create a window for 1 of the Sweet Sugarplum pieces using the Big Shot and 3rd largest sized Circles Collection Framelit. Align the framelit between the score lines and run through the Big Shot. This will be the front of the diorama.



4. Optional: Create a ringed frame for the window using the Big Shot and 2nd and 3rd largest sized Circles Collection Framelits out of So Succulent Designer Series Paper. Place the smaller framelit within the larger framelit and run through the Big Shot.



5. Attach to frame to the window on the front of the diorama using Fine Tip Glue



6. Attach the 3 3/8" x 4 1/4" piece of Designer Series Paper to the bottom piece of the diorama, lining it up between the score lines.

7. Cut landscape pieces out of various card stock using the Big Shot and Outdoor Adventure Framelits Dies

8. Determine the placement of the landscape pieces on the bottom piece of the diorama. Start building the layers, using Dimensionals to pop them up. Adjust and trim the edges of the pieces as needed to match up with the inside score line.



9. Fold the top and bottom pieces of the diorama along the score lines. For the top piece, the 1" score lines are "mountain" folds, and the 1/2" score lines are "valley" folds. For the bottom piece, the 1" score lines are "valley" folds, and the 1/2" score lines are "mountain" folds.



10. Apply Tear and Tape Adhesive to the “up” sides of the bottom piece of the diorama.

11. Peel the backing off the adhesive and carefully attach the top piece to the bottom piece, lining up the top and bottom edges.

I did not attach the ring to the front until after I put the diorama together. It is easier to attach while the upper piece has not been scored and is laying flat.

Optional: I added $\frac{3}{4}$ ” by $4\frac{1}{4}$ ” strips of Designer Series Paper to the edges of the top piece to add a little more interest.

12. Stamp clouds from Always an Adventure on a scrap piece of Whisper White card stock using Soft Suede ink. Cut out using the Big Shot and Outdoor Adventure Thinlits Dies. Attach to the front of the diorama using Dimensionals.

13. Stamp greeting on scrap piece of Whisper White card stock using Soft Suede ink. Banner cut the edge. Attach to a piece of Mint Macaron card stock. Banner cut the end. Attach to the front of the card using Dimensionals to complete.