## Nov'23 Kit B

## Let's Make Beautiful Things Together

Just some info: ADHERE means to stick your card elements together using a tape runner, a double sided tape, a liquid craft glue or any combination of those. If I specify a type of adhesive, that's because the situation will work BEST using the recommended adhesive. But you can always just use what you have!


## Where to Start?

First confirm you have all card elements and pre-plan your card layout. Just to get an idea of how you want it to look.

Contents:
1 Green card base, center-cut
2 Green panels-plain
1 Vanilla panel
1 Gold panel
1 Green panel, center-cut
1 Gold circle
2 Ornament die cuts
1 Goodie bag (2 ornament covers, 2 ornament toppers, 8 branches, 1 clear thread,
2 sentiments)
4 Foam strips-adhesive backed 1 Coordinating envelope*


Let's Begin!
We'll construct the card front first.

You'll need the card base and center-cut green panel, the ornaments and their decorations, all but 1 of the gold branches, the clear thread and the foam strips.

1. Begin by constructing the ornament spinner first. Use a gentle hand and a very light application of glue to adhere the ornament decorations to the green ornaments. Each of the 2 ornaments will have the gold cross pattern and a gold topper. TIP: Try to match up the angle of the cross pattern so that they match.
2.Now, use tape to adhere the clear thread to the back of one of the decorated ornaments making sure the excess thread comes out the top and bottom of the ornament. Keeping this line straight up and down will ensure it sits in the center of the cut out circle.
2. Next, adhere the 2 ornaments together, back to back allowing the thread to hang out the top and bottom. They should align edge to edge.
3. Decorate the center-cut green panel with the gold branches. Use a light application of glue and adhere them in a random pattern allowing them to hang over the edge. Trim any excess. TIP: use the cut pieces to fill in the open spaces. See example picture for placement ideas.
5.Next, adhere the gold circle to the decorated branch panel. See example picture. Set aside.
4. Use tape to adhere the clear thread/ornament to the front of the CARD BASE. Center the ornament inside the open circle and tape the top and bottom of the thread in place. Take care to keep it TIGHT and STRAIGHT.
5. Ready to try out the spinning mechanism? Turn the ornament around in a circle about $4-5$ times. While it is wound, close the card front and it will hold it in place. Open the card to see the ornament unwind. Check to see that the thread and ornament are still securely in place and make any adjustments that you need.
6. Now you are ready to add the branch panel. Using the foam strips, adhere the decorated branch panel to the front of the card base making sure to align the cut out centers. This should also leave an even border of green showing along the outside edge of your card.*One side of the foam is adhesive backed, you will need to add adhesive to the remaining side. The foam can easily be trimmed as needed.
7. Make sure to wind the spinning ornament before putting it into your envelope. This way the recipient will get a fun surprise when they open it!

## That's it! Now let's decorate the inside of the card and the Notecard.


1.Adhere the gold panel to the inside of the card making sure to leave an even border of green showing along each edge.
2. Next, adhere one of the green panels to the gold piece making sure to leave an even border of gold showing along each edge.
3.Lastly, add the sentiment of your choice to the center of the green panel making sure it is fully covered by the ornament when the card is closed.
4.Adhere the vanilla panel to the remaining green panel and decorate it with the remaining gold branch. This is a notecard for you to add inside the envelope as a place to write your message.

## Thank you so much for crafting with me!

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## All instructions can be found on the Card Kit Instructions page at sandiscards.com

*Confirm postage needed when mailing **mailing liner is used as a barrier over the card front to protect it during shipping

