

Scarlet Lime Project Kit: MARCH
Spring Garland by Janna Wilson

Prepare parts of garland.

- Cut string to about 7'.
- Print bird pattern onto white cardstock; trace four times onto chipboard and cut out.
- Cut out a 2 ½" circle from chipboard.
- Trace bird pattern onto 4 of the patterned papers (rainbow, green glitter, red, and yellow floral). Two of the birds should be facing left and two should be facing right. Attach paper birds to chipboard birds.

Embellish birds and flowers.

After covering the birds with paper, embellish each bird by adding an eye and wing accent. Here's what I did:



Fold two flowers in half and staple to the bird. Add chipboard flower and button. Add button eye.



Cut the wing design (using pattern provided) and staple to bird. Add glittery chipboard sticker and button.



Add two flowers to bird (staple in place). Add tag chipboard sticker accent. Create eye with chipboard sticker and button.



Add chipboard sticker accent for eye. Add a bit of yellow paper to fill in the hole in the swirl chipboard sticker; attach to bird for wing.



Four flowers.

- Create some of the flowers by cutting bits of the printed transparency to fit the inner openings and add the clear material to the back of the flowers.
- Add glittery chipboard flowers to accent centers of all flowers.
- Use jump rings to attach dangling accents from transparency sheet.

TIP: You could paint the transparent pieces with acrylic paint to introduce more color if you like.

Start assembling garland.

- Back the striped sticker with the 2 ½" circle of chipboard cut in the beginning. Punch two holes in the upper portion of the sticker/chipboard for threading the string through. Add string and thread along the string until the piece is CENTERED. Tape back to keep the piece from moving along the string.
- Add "SWEET" sticker to sticker and use jump rings to dangle a flower accent from the transparency sheet. Accent transparent flower with a button.
- Tie buttons on either side of the center piece.



RIGHT SIDE



LEFT SIDE



Continue stringing on each element of the garland from the center piece. Add as many bits and baubles as you like. Of course you can add more birds too! Have fun putting this project together!

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