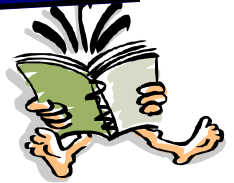




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Tips!

Myra emailed me with a tip I think you will like!

She says the other day her scissors was all gummed up from cutting through stickers or glue or something, and rather than digging out her "UNDO" (which is really cool, too) she reached for her rubber adhesive pick up and took the goo away! She tells me it works GREAT!!

I also got a great heads up from Pat today.

She came in and got a couple more embossing dies made for the Cuttlebug, but tells me that they work in her Quick Cuts machine, you just have to be a little careful with how hard you push! (Now, I am a Cuttlebug fan, as I LOVE the A2 size embossers... but if you already have the Quick Cuts system, this can be a good way to expand your embossing possibilities!

Again,WHAT?

Well! A couple months ago I told you about being asked whether I was a boy or a girl... last month we "defended" our scrap habit. This month: even WORSE! Someone asked me last week if Chuck was my SON!! I am dying!! This job must be making me OLD!! LOL!

Ok... really... we are back from the Craft & Hobby Association show in Chicago! Megan went with me this year... we are exhausted, renewed, excited, and really excited to share what we found and what we really LOVED!

We ALREADY have 9 new themes of papers, stickers and rub-ons set up and put out from REMINISCE: Surf's up, Water, Girly, Zoo, Thanksgiving, 2 Halloweens and 2 Holiday. They are beautiful!

Also in just this week, one of our favorite finds at the show: the "Bind It All." This lightweight, compact little binding machine is so

COOL! For just \$59.99 you will be able to bind your own mini books, calendars, photo books... etc. You will only be limited by your imagination!! FUN! We have a demo set up.... Come check it out! They are going fast!

We have ordered all kinds fun stuff from our favorite companies and a few new ones. We will be doing demos on all the new tools we have ordered, so watch for emails over the next couple months keeping you appraised... (you will be getting more than the usual ONE a month, so hopefully that doesn't make you irritated, just glad to be in the loop!)



Happy Scrapping... and remember, it's cool in here if you can't take the heat!

— Katrina

ChristyandtheCricut

Christy "volunteered" to do the Cricut project this month (August 9th at 6pm) and she came up with this great idea for paper piecing... how to take virtually any design, break it down to shapes and

rebuild it with George! Cool man! I can't wait to see what she does! Please RSVP to let us know if you are coming to Cricut support... lots of news from the show, besides!!

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| Sun | Mon | Tue | Wed | Thu | Fri | Sat |
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| | | | 1 Card Group 1:30pm Free Birthday Party 5—8pm | 2 | 3 Scrappy Friday 4 –11pm \$12 | 4 |
| 5 | 6 Birthday Party 6—8pm | 7 Card Class with Katrina 6:00pm \$10 | 8 Card Group 6:00pm Free | 9 Cricut Support Group 6:00pm \$10 or Free | 10 | 11 |
| 12 | 13 That's WAY cool! 6:00pm \$12 | 14 FUNdamentals 6:00pm \$10 | 15 | 16 Intro to Photoshop Elements 6:00pm \$12 | 17 Scrappy Friday 4 –11pm \$12 | 18 |
| 19 | 20 Private Party 6:00pm | 21 | 22 | 23 | 24 | 25 |
| 26 | 27 Book Club 6:00pm Free | 28 | 29 | 30 Photoshop Elements Brushes 6:00pm \$12 | 31 Scrappy Friday 4 –11pm \$12 | 1 Birthday Party Noon-10pm |

Class Descriptions...

Book Club: \$Free

We have had a great turnout for this group. We have already decided that this is a great, fun way to learn! We use great ideas from Simple Scrapbooks and Paper Crafts! We have a couple of open spots and would love for you to join us!

Card Class with Katrina: \$10
Katrina will make four fabulous new cards with various themes and materials for EACH class. We will always make a birthday card and other occasions will cycle through, including the holidays. Bring your eyelet setting tools, if you've got them.

Card Group: \$Free

We meet, we make cards to exchange, someone in the group teaches us a technique or card idea, we giggle and

laugh — it's fun!! We now have TWO groups, one afternoon and one evening. Call if you are interested!

Cricut Support Group: \$FREE (with Cricut purchase from here) or \$10

Got your Cricut...cutting away? Having a heck of a good time? Want to be one of the best cutters in the area... let's all learn together!! You won't believe what we've figured out on the Cricut already!! We love this machine!!

FUNDamentals: \$10

Just the basics, all the basics. Receive a \$10 store credit for anything in the store after class. We will do one page as we talk about everything you need to know to get started making your own scrapbook. (We won't use your pictures, as we are teaching techniques.)

Ruth.

Intro to Photoshop Elements: \$12

Photoshop Elements is a very powerful and intimidating program; begin to learn about it's usefulness. Photo sorting and viewing. Simple photo techniques: color enhancements, adding text, and a basic understanding of brushes and layers. It is highly recommended for you to have Photoshop Elements, either 4.0 or 5.0. Class will be lecture and demonstration. Ruth. (Beginner)

Photoshop Elements Brushes: \$12

Photoshop Elements comes with a wide variety of brushes for you to select and use. These are called Presets. You can use the Preset brushes or modify and customize them as needed. You can

even create your own! This class will teach you how to have fun with brushes! It is highly recommended for you to have Photoshop Elements, either 4.0 or 5.0. Class will be lecture and demonstration. Ruth. (Intermediate)
Scrappy Friday: \$12
 7 Hours to scrap. Scrapping in a group is a GREAT way to learn new techniques,

just from each other. Join us and use our tools, let us clean up the mess. Dinner and snacks provided, prizes, plus lots of FUN!! What better way to spend a Friday night, than with your scrappin' buddies?
That's WAY Cool!: \$12
 I have LOVED this class and have two participants who have come each time!

I would be happy to share my ideas with more of you... so call me! I am using the pages from this class for a "Book of what I LOVE!" This month...Brothers and sisters... and we will use the new Bo Bunny Papers and things! Gorgeous! Love all the new stuff! Katrina.

Did you know?

(Tidbits about the store you may have missed)

You can have your (or your child's) birthday party at Scrapper's Haven. You can do a class or a crop, reserve your spot and we take care of the rest... just give us a call to chat about it!

With our Epson machine we can make prints in lots of sizes from your pages, photos, memory cards, slides; you can even email them to us! We do 12 x 12 borderless scrapbook pages that are archival for over 100 years!

Ordering "special" items you cannot find can be made easier at Scrapper's Haven. Let us know what you are interested in, and many times we can order it up for you with no shipping or hassle of doing it yourself! Fast turnaround, too, usually!

When you are ready to do invitations for a special party or wedding, we help you with design and (maybe more importantly) the math! Get just the right amount of paper, don't pay for what you don't need. We have bulk pricing on special orders, if we save money, you save money!

This month Katrina is taking the first vacation she has had since the store opened! Up North to the lake to do absolutely nothing for 8 glorious days. People are taking bets as to whether it can be done! Take some time just for you... it is good for you!

Scrapping in our workroom is free any time that there is not another event scheduled. We would like nothing better than to have the workroom in use at all times, and we are happy to take "reservations" for groups to come in as well, so...please, give us a call to make sure we have the space whenever you are ready to scrap.

Class Supplies. For all our classes, you need to bring a basic toolkit including: a 12" Trimmer, a scissors, your favorite double sided adhesive, glue dots, pop dots, a pencil, bone folder, scoring tool, and a ruler. For many classes you may need other specific tools for that class (which we will tell you about.) Payment is required to reserve your placement on the class list; fee listed for class includes all supplies, unless indicated otherwise. Call 507-452-1740 to reserve a spot. Cancellation must be made within 48 hours to receive a refund. To avoid class cancellations register early; we reserve the right to cancel any class or crop with less than 4 registered participants.

Make up your own class... have at least 4 friends who want to learn about something specific? Or just love one of the classes we have scheduled, but the time is no good? Learn the techniques you have always wanted to learn or get ideas for specific themes. Tell us what you want to do and for how long and we will work with you to design the perfect class for you! (Minimum class size: 4 students)

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HOURS Monday – Thursday: 10am to 8pm Friday: 10am to 7pm Saturday: 10am to 5pm Sunday: 11am to 4pm

Everyone has a story, we help you tell yours.



Are you interested in becoming a member of the Scrapper's Haven Design Team?

Winning design team members will complete at least one assignment per month, which will belong to them after 6 months of display in the store. With every completed assignment design team members will receive a 15% off shopping spree (on TOP of your regular 8% Frequent Buyer Points!) and, of course, lots of recognition for being a GREAT designer! (Not to mention perks like inside information on what's coming before ANYONE else!) Members will need to be able to commit to at least three of the four quarterly "stay in touch" meetings held at Scrapper's Haven.

To be considered, please submit:

3 Layouts

Layouts can be one page or a two page spread. Up to one layout can be substituted with a themed mini project, home décor project or other similar project. Submissions can be originals, photo quality copies or digital. All submissions will be returned. Please be sure to include your name and contact information with each project.

Essay

Please tell us why you would like to be a part of our design team and what you consider your personal style to be.

Deadline for submissions is Monday, August 20, 2007.

New design team members will be notified by August 31st.

First quarterly (Kick Off) meeting will be held week of September 10. Please add day and time preference with your submissions.

The above items can be mailed, emailed or brought directly to the store. Please include "Design Team Challenge" in the subject line.
