

Luck O' the Irish Party Invitation

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St. Patrick's Day is just around the corner and to get you in the mood I decided it would be fun to create an invitation for a St. Patrick's Day party. This invitation is sure to jump start your party planning!

As I looked through my Wausau Paper® Creative Collection™ samples I discovered many shades and textures of green. This line of cardstock offers a wide variety of product options, allowing you to take this project in a number of creative directions!



Supplies

Wausau Paper® Creative Collection™ 12"x12" Cardstocks

- 1 sheet Crinkles Charcoal
- 1 sheet Crinkles Olive
- 1 sheet Royal Fiber® Thyme Bark Texture

Zip Dry liquid adhesive

Fiskars® That's Amore L squeeze punch

Fiskars® 3-in-1 Sea Pearls corner punch

Micro-tip scissors

Provo Craft Alphabitties letter stickers

6" of 1/8" wide black ribbon

All Night Media Classic Mini Alphabet stamps

Black ink pad

Instructions

1. Cut a 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" piece of the Wausau Paper® Creative Collection™ Crinkles Olive cardstock. Fold this in half to create a card blank.
2. Cut a 3" x 4 5/8" piece of Wausau Paper® Creative Collection™ Crinkles Charcoal cardstock. Attach this piece to the left of the card blank with Zip Dry and leave a 1/4" border on all 3 sides. The right side should have about an inch between this piece and the edge.
3. Cut a 2 5/8" x 4 3/8" piece of Wausau Paper® Creative Collection™ Royal Fiber® Thyme cardstock. Use the Sea Pearl corner rounder (I used the small dot side) to round all 4 corner. Attach it to the piece from step #2. Center it using the Zip Dry.

4. Punch out 3 hearts with the Amore squeeze punch. Use the Zip Dry adhesive to attach these to the front cover as shown.

Please note: I only attached the bottom half of each heart so I could bend the tops slightly to give my shamrock dimension.

5. Use the micro-tip scissors to cut a 1 3/4" curved stick to serve as a stem for your shamrock.
6. Use the 1/8" ribbon to tie a small bow and trim ends. Attach this bow to the upper part of the shamrock stem where it meets the shamrock.
7. Use the small letter sticks to spell out "Luck O' the Irish" right above the shamrock.
8. Cut a 1/2" x 4 5/8" piece of Wausau Paper® Creative Collection™ Thyme cardstock. Ink around the outside edges of this piece with the black ink pad.
9. Use the alphabet rubber stamp set and black ink pad to create the phrase "You are Invited" on the strip of cardstock from step #8. Attach this strip on the card blank next to the shamrock piece. Center it between the shamrock piece and the outside edge of the card.