

July 2015 East Meets West Swap Card

Happy Birthday

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Supplies

Stamps:

138700 Best Thoughts Clear-Mount
139234 Best Thoughts Wood Mount
138646 Build a Birthday Photopolymer

Paper:

122923 Island Indigo (5 1/2" x 8 1/2")
100730 Whisper White (4 1/4" x 3 1/2") (4" x 1/2") Scraps
131203 Soft Sky (5 1/4" x 4")
121045 Basic Black (4 3/4" x 3 3/4") (3/4" x 4")

Ink:

126986 Island Indigo
131181 Soft Sky
126982 Pool Party
126944 Daffodil Delight
131180 Pear Pizzazz
102283 VersaMark

Other:

129381 Ovals Collection Framelits
109133 Black Stampin' Emboss Powder
129053 Heat Tool
103083 Embossing Buddy
129304 Fluttering Textured Impressions Embossing
103954 Aqua Painters
126889 Stampin' Trimmer
103579 Paper Snips
104332 Snail Adhesive
104430 Dimensionals lack

Instructions

1. Fold the Island Indigo (5 1/2" x 8 1/2") in half for card base.
2. Emboss the Soft Sky (4" x 5 1/4") with the Fluttering Impressions Embossing Folder. Attach to Island Indigo card base.
3. Cut the Whisper White (4 1/4" x 3 1/2") with the 3rd largest oval framelit and the Basic Black (4 3/4" x 3 3/4") with the 2nd largest framelit.
4. Use the embossing buddy and wipe over the white oval and scraps of Whisper White paper. Stamp the flower image in the *Best Thoughts* stamp set with versa mark and cover with the Black Embossing Powder. Heat set. Stamp this set 2 more times on the scrap white paper with Versamark and cover with Black Embossing Powder. Heat Set
5. Stamp *Happy Birthday from Build a Birthday* in Island Indigo on the strip of Whisper White. Chevron cut both ends of the strips of the Whisper White and Basic Black. Attach this stamped white image to the black with dimensionals. Affix to front of card with dimensionals as well.
6. Now comes the painting with the aqua painters on the flower images. Use the Pool Party and Island Indigo for the petals. Daffodil Delight was used for the Stamens. Pear Pizzazz for the leaves and stems. Soft Sky was used around the base flower. To use the Aqua Pens. Fill with water and use the stamp pads to pick up color. Hint: you can squeeze the ink into the lid of the stamp pad and use that as a paint pallet. Use the marks on the stamped images to create dimension
7. Fussy cut the flowers to layer onto the base. Attach the flowers to the image with dimensionals.

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