

Fun at the Beach

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Measurements:

- Very Vanilla cardstock (4-1/4" x 11", scored at 5-1/2" to form the card base; 4-1/4" x 5-1/2"; 3-1/2" x 4-1/2";)
- Basic White cardstock (smaller scraps for stamping the images; larger than 2" x 2" for the sentiment; 4" x 4-1/2" for the sky)
- Subtles 6" x 6" designer series papers (scraps for paper piecing the umbrella and beach chair; Calypso Coral: piece large enough to punch a 2" circle)
- Hello, Irresistible 6" x 6" designer series paper or any "ocean" colored paper of your choice (scrap for die cutting the water)

Stamps, Dies and More:

- Seaside Wishes stamp set (for speckles)
- Beach Day stamp set
- Beach Day dies
- Everyday Details dies
- Deckled Circles dies
- 2" circular punch
- Basics 3D embossing folder or pattern of your choice

Instructions:

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1. Create the beach scene background from the large Basic White rectangle. Use an aqua painter and Pool Party ink to create the sky, only painting the upper 3" of the rectangle. When almost dry, use a crinkled-up piece of Kleenex dipped in Pool Party ink to create blotches in the sky. If it is too dark, you may want to "stamp off" color from the Kleenex. Note: This rectangle will form the base to which the ocean and beach are adhered.
2. Cut with scissors or use the Beach Day die to die cut the ocean waves. Adhere below the sky.
3. Use the "sand dune" die to create two die cuts from Very Vanilla cardstock. Color the surface using a Light Crumb Cake Stampin' Blend. Ink the Speckles die with Crumb Cake ink, and randomly stamp over the surface of the sand. Ink the sea shell image from Beach day in Early Espresso ink, and randomly stamp, as illustrated in the photo. With a sponge dauber and Crumb Cake ink, darken the upper edge. Arrange the dips and peaks any way you would like and adhere to the panel. Trim of any excess that is overhanging the Basic White panel. You will trim to 4" x 4-1/2". Save some "sand" scraps for Step 6.
4. Use the Everyday Details dies to create a frame. Emboss with any subtle folder you would like. (I used the Crosshatch pattern from the Basics 3D collection.) Position the beach background panel behind the frame opening and adhere in place. Add to the front of the card base.
5. Ink the Beach Day images (gull, beach ball, beach chair, umbrella) in Tuxedo Black Memento ink, and stamp onto Basic White cardstock. Die cut out. To create the paper-pieced chair and umbrella, ink the images again, and stamp onto designer paper patterns and colors of your choosing. Fussy cut out the chair back and seat, and the sections of the umbrella. Glue into position on the images which had been stamped onto Basic White cardstock. Color the beach ball with Stampin' Write markers. I used Pumpkin Pie, Daffodil Delight and Coastal Cabana.
6. Ink the sandcastle die in Early Espresso and stamp onto a scrap of "sand" trimmed off in Step 3. Die cut out.
7. Ink the sentiment in Early Espresso. Stamp onto Basic White cardstock. Die cut out with a Deckled Circle die. Mat onto a 2" circle punched from Calypso Coral designer series paper. Use dimensionals to adhere the sentiment and circle to the card as shown.
8. Adhere all of the die cuts in the positions shown in the photo. Accent with three pearls.

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- [Beach Day Photopolymer Stamp Set \(English\) - 162797](#)
Price: \$20.00
- [Seaside Wishes Photopolymer Stamp Set \(English\) - 163494](#)
Price: \$20.00
- [Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 159276](#)
Price: \$13.00
- [Very Vanilla 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock - 101650](#)
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- [Subtles 6" X 6" \(15.2 X 15.2 Cm\) Designer Series Paper - 163776](#)
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- [Crumb Cake Classic Stampin' Pad - 147116](#)
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- [Early Espresso Classic Stampin' Pad - 147114](#)
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- [Pool Party Classic Stampin' Pad - 147107](#)
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- [Tuxedo Black Memento Ink Pad - 132708](#)
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