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mom's special scrapbook page

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SUPPLIES & TOOLS:

- 12"x12" Cardstock: pink, melon, orange
- Cardstock scraps: pink, yellow, orange, melon, green
- 12"x12" Striped paper: red/pink/gold stripe
- Craft Essentials[™] items: "Love" Adhesive die-cut words Adhesive Ribbon, red/pink Basic Chipboard Alphabet
- K & Company Metal Art Paperclips
- Jolee's® Vellum Stickers: Daffodils, Red Roses, Plumeria

DIRECTIONS:

- Paper cutter and scissors
- Fiskars Lg. Circle Squeeze Punch
- Zots, medium
- Adhesive dots or tabs
- Black pen
- Xyron® #510 machine
- Sandpaper, fine
- X-Acto[®] knife & cutting mat
- Glue stick
- 1. Trim the striped paper to 11"x11" then cut into one 5" strip and two 3" strips. Mount the 5" strip at the bottom of an 11½" piece of orange cardstock, allowing a margin of orange to show. Mount a 3" strip at the top. Sand the edges of the orange cardstock. Mount the orange cardstock onto a sheet of 12"x12" Pink sanded cardstock. Cut a 12"x5" strip of melon cardstock and attach it to the page as shown.
- 2. Mount the photo on green and pink sanded cardstock. Attach the photo to the page at the corners only.
- 3. Cut pieces of cardstock large enough to fit the chipboard letters. Sand lightly and run through the Xyron® machine. Attach paper to letters, flip over and trim around edges with an X-Acto® knife on a cutting mat or other protected surface.
- 4. Decorate first "m" with a metal word, a vellum flower, and a piece of adhesive ribbon. Attach a scrap of striped paper behind the "o". Attach "mom" to page.
- 5. Punch 22 circles in a variety of coordinating colors, including the stripe, and sand lightly. Attach to page in an undulating, overlapping line, a little below photo. Allow a few circles to extend over the end of the page; trim and use the partial circle elsewhere. Set 2 circles aside.
- 6. Attach vellum stickers to page as shown, overlapping flowers onto the row of circles. Cut and adhere additional green stems and leaves where necessary. Attach dragonflies.
- 7. Write mother's name on one circle edge, followed by "and..." Add a vellum flower and tuck behind photo. Write baby's name and age on other circle edge. Attach flowers at the center.
- 8. Insert circles inside a decorative paper clip and attach to page with Zots, slightly overlapping the first chipboard letter.

Skill Level 1: No experience needed

Approximate Crafting Time: 2 hours

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