



# May PROJECT OF THE MONTH

## BLAST OFF MOBILE

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### You'll need:

- It's A Mod, Mod World (W-7512)
- Copic Markers
- Brilliance Graphite Black Ink Pad
- Acrylic Block
- 2—8.5" x 11" Heavy-Weight White Cardstock
- 3—8.5" x 11" Yellow Cardstock
- 1—8.5" x 11" Orange Cardstock
- Small and Large Star Punches or Die
- Large Scallop Circle Nestabilities
- Clear Thread
- Various Sized Rhinestones
- Diamond Glaze
- Stardust Pen
- Dimensional Glue Dots
- Paper Piercer
- Glue

### Dangles

1

Stamp 10 Rocket Ship images onto Heavy Weight cardstock with the Brilliance Graphite Black inkpad. Use the Copic Markers to color in images. *You will need to color 2 of each in red, orange, yellow, green and blue.*

2

Outline images with Stardust pen and add Diamond Glaze to the circle windows. Let dry and cut out images, leaving approximately 1/8" around the edge.

3

Cut 5 varying lengths of clear thread. Glue the backs of the matching Rocket Ships together, placing one end of one thread in between. Set aside and let dry.

4

Punch out 8 small stars from Yellow cardstock. Cut 4 more shorter, yet, varying lengths of thread. Glue 2 stars together with a piece of thread in between, until all stars are used. Set aside and let dry.

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## Mobile Base

- 1** Use the Large Scallop Circle Nestabilities Die to cut 4 large scallop circles from Yellow Cardstock. Take 2 of these and glue together, so that you have an extra thick circle. Repeat on the remaining circles.
  - 2** Using your paper piercer, punch 5 holes about  $\frac{1}{4}$ " from edge at different locations on one of the scallop circles. (*You will want these fairly evenly spaced from each other, as this is where the Rocket Ships will hang from.*)
  - 3** Take the end of the clear thread with a Rocket Ship at the other end and thread it through the hole you just punched AND around the edge of the scallop. Tie in a double knot. Do this for each Rocket Ship.
  - 4** Using your paper piercer, punch about 5-6 holes at varying spots in the center of the same scallop circle you attached the Rocket Ships to. Thread clear thread with a star at the other end in one hole and out another of these holes. Double knot to secure star in center of scallop circle.
  - 4** Cut 2 pieces of clear thread approximately 15" long. Set aside. On the remaining scallop circle, punch 4 holes  $\frac{1}{4}$ " from edge that are evenly spaced around the edge of the scallop circle. (*These holes should line up to form a square.*) Take one of the lengths of clear thread and put it through one of the holes you just punched AND around the edge of the scallop. Tie in a double knot.
  - 5** Now take the other end of that same piece of thread and do the same thing in the hole that is ACROSS from the hole that you just used. Using the other length of thread and the other 2 holes, repeat. **Be sure to make the pieces clear thread are even.**
- Pull these threads up, and tie off the top, creating a loop for the mobile to hang by.
- 6** Attach the top and bottom circles together using dimensional glue dots. (*I put 4-5 in the middle to create a center of gravity for this project. I also used about 5 along the edge of the scallop circle.*)
  - 7** Decorate the top and bottom of the mobile with punched stars and various size rhinestones.