

This adorable matchbook tea bag gift is quick and easy to assemble and guests at your next gathering will be thrilled that you thought of them!

Products used in this project that are available to customers on May 3 include:

- Cup of Tea stamp set
- Teacup dies
- Tea Boutique 6" x 6" Designer Series Paper
- Sweet Sorbet 8-1/2" x 11 cardstock
- Sweet Sorbet Stampin' Pad
- Parakeet Party Stampin' Pad

1. Card Cuts:

- Cut 1 Sweet Sorbet Cardstock to 7-1/2" x 3", score at 7" and 3-3/8"
- Cut 1 Tea Boutique 6" x 6" Designer Series Paper to 2-7/8" x 2-3/4" (used on front of matchbook)
- Cut 1 Tea Boutigue 6" x 6" Designer Series Paper to 3-1/4" x 2-3/4" (used on back of

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matchbook)

- Die cut 1 image of the tea cup from Basic White cardstock
- Scraps of Basic White cardstock for stamping and die cutting images of greenery, tea bag and lemon wedge
- 2. Cut, score and burnish the Sweet Sorbet cardstock for the matchbook.
- 3. Die cut the image of the tea cup from the coordinating DSP.. I chose a floral pattern for the tea cup. The reverse side of this DSP is the plaid pattern shown on the front and back of the matchbook. Next, die cut the tea cup again from Basic White cardstock. Glue the DSP die cut tea cup to the white die cut tea cup. This will provide more stability.
- 4. Stamp the sentiment "It's Time for Tea" in Sweet Sorbet ink, onto a piece of scrap white cardstock and die cut using the tea bag tab image.
- 5. Stamp the lemon wedge in Daffodil Delight ink and use the solid die to cut out the lemon wedge. Using the sectioned lemon wedge die, cut 1 from Basic White cardstock. Use the dark shade of the Daffodil Delight Stampin' Blends and color the sectioned lemon wedge die cut. Now, glue the sectioned lemon wedge to the solid image of the lemon die cut. The dark shade of Daffodil Delight provides some contrast.
- 6. Stamp the floral image in Parakeet Party ink onto a piece of scrap white cardstock, and die cut using the coordinating die.
- 7. Adhere the plaid-patterned DSP panels to the front and back of the matchbook. Note that the smaller panel is adhered to the front of the matchbook.
- 8. Using a Mini Glue Dot, adhere a short piece of twine on the top of the backside of the tea cup. Using another Mini Glue Dot, adhere the other end of the twine to the front of the tea cup. Using a small amount of glue or additional glue dots, attach the tea bag tab over the twine on the front of the tea cup.
- 9. Place a thin line of glue on the front of the die cut greenery, and tuck behind the tea cup...
- 10. Adhere the tea cup to the front of the matchbook using Stampin' Dimensionals.
- 11. Adhere a Stampin' Dimensional to the lemon wedge and adhere to the front of the matchbook towards the base of the tea cup and slightly overlapping. Be careful of Stampin' Dimensional placement.
- 12. For the small closure on the front of the matchbook (the 1/2" scored section), I ran a very thin line of glue across the score line however, you can also staple this section very close to this score line to hold the flap in place. I did try Tear & Tape and it was not strong enough to hold the flap in place at the score line. Be careful not to glue or staple this fold too high up, otherwise you won't be able to tuck in the matchbook flap.
- 13. You can use a Mini Glue Dot to hold the tea bag in place but this is optional.

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Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock -159276

Price: \$9.75

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Daffodil Delight Classic Stampin' Pad - 147094

Price: \$7.50

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Daffodil Delight Stampin' Blends Combo Pack -154883

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Paper Trimmer - 152392

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Multipurpose Liquid Glue -110755

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Mini Glue Dots - 103683

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Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine -149653

Price: \$120.00

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