

“Punkin’ Pie”

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Fall Magnet

About Magnetic Sheeting

Magnetic sheeting is such a fun surface to paint on! You can transfer your pattern first, paint, and then cut out the magnet, or you can transfer your pattern and cut it out first.

The surface itself is rather smooth and a little slick so I prepare my magnetic sheet by lightly spraying with a light coat of DecoArt Matte Sealer and proceed to base coating the entire sheet. Instead of brushing on my base coat, I like to use a fine sea wool sponge. This avoids brush marks. I pounce several light coats to give me a perfect base coverage and a nice "eggshell" surface to transfer my pattern and begin painting on.

Palette: DecoArt Americana

Sand	Burnt Umber	Avocado
Marigold	Lt. Cinnamon	Pansy Lavender
Canyon Orange	Russet	Royal Purple
Tangerine	Oxblood	Lamp Black
Burnt Sienna		

Brushes:

Assorted Brushes

Supplies:

Magnetic Canvas	Kneaded Eraser
Sea Wool Sponge	DecoArt Matte Spray Sealer
Tracing Paper	
Transfer Paper	

Preparation:

Transfer the outside line drawing onto magnetic sheeting. With small scissors, cut along the outer edges. Basecoat the top of the magnet sheeting by sponging a base coat of Sand. I use a sea wool sponge to pounce this base coat on with. It gives a nice finish to paint on and no brush strokes showing. This will give your surface some "tooth" and be easier to paint on, rather than a slick surface. Let dry. Transfer the design onto your cutout.

Stem:

Base with Milk Chocolate. Paint the stripes and shade with Burnt Umber.

Pumpkin:

Base with Canyon Orange. Shade with Oxblood. Highlight with a brush mix of Sand and Canyon Orange. Brighten the highlight with Tangerine. Deepen the shading around the banner, bird, and top leaf with Russet. Paint the "x's" with Oxblood.

Leaves:

Base the leaves with Avocado. Highlight with a brush mix of Sand and Marigold. Float again with just Marigold to brighten. Shade with a brush mix of Avocado and just a tiny bit of Lamp Black. Paint the vines and tendrils with a brush mix of Avocado and a tiny bit of Lamp Black.

Crow:

Paint the beak with Marigold. Paint the body with Lamp Black. Highlight the wing with a very light float of Sand. Dot the eye with Sand. Paint the legs with Lamp Black.

Banner:

Base the banner with Pansy Lavender. Paint the inside folds of the banner with a brush mix of Royal Purple and a tiny bit of Lamp Black. Shade along the top of the banner with Royal Purple. Highlight along the sides and bottom of the banner with a brush mix of Pansy Lavender and Sand. Transfer the lettering and paint with Sand. Paint the stitching along the top and bottom of the banner with Lamp Black.

Finishing: Erase any pencil markings with a kneaded eraser. Spray with several light coats of DecoArt Matte Spray Sealer or use a brush on Varnish to complete your magnet.

Enjoy some Punkin' Pie this fall!!!



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