

## Scrapbooks Forever May 2020 Newsletter

### BIG NEWS!

The City of Branson has decided to let us OPEN UP sooner than their original plan!

Scrapbooks Forever will once again be OPEN effective immediately. We will have shorter hours to start off with.

10:00 am to 3:00 pm Monday through Saturday

Closed on Sundays

We are subject to the State of Missouri guidelines for re-opening which are:

Maintain Social Distancing

No more than 10 people in the shop at one time

Wearing of masks is NOT mandatory, but when social distancing cannot be maintained, it is encouraged.

Sanitizing of frequently used surfaces

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### BIG SURPRISE!

Life has been a little different during the shut-down, but I have managed to keep myself busy around here. A little cleaning, a little rearranging...and a Big Surprise! Many of you have asked "What would it take for Shirley to finally set up Online Shopping?" " Evidently " a global pandemic!"

Yes, I now have a store for you to order from online! One thing to note is that it is a WORK IN PROGRESS, because I was correct in saying it would take me the rest of my life to put EVERYTHING in the shop online. I have started out offering bundles for the various scrapbooking themes. It will save you from scrolling around trying to put bits and pieces together and it will save you money on shipping. Of course, stamps, dies, inks and so on will soon be offered also. More and more will be added every day so check back often – remember to hit "refresh" to be sure you are viewing the latest version. Coolest thing right now is the "BARGAIN BIN"! I am not sure we will be allowed to have our Clearance Sale Open House in June due to social distancing, so I have put together some half price goodies you can get right now! I have bundled items, again to save you on shipping costs. And speaking of shipping, orders over \$ 60.00 qualify for FREE shipping! Also, don't worry, your order will come with a punch card, so you won't miss out on those rewards! I welcome feedback so I can keep tweaking the site to make it best serve your needs. There is a comment/contact section at the end of the opening page. The photos on the home page are projects we have made. If you

hover over the picture it will tell you what was used to make the item. To buy the items, you can click “Shop All” or even better...use the category links at the top of the page to narrow the listings to just what you are interested in...Dies, Tools, Stamps, Scrapbooking (with a drop down menu to select sports, military Easter, etc. – whatever you want). There is also a search command on the header bar. Now where do you find this wonderful thing...

<http://scrapbooks-forever.square.site>

There will also be a link on the home page of our regular informational website:

[www.scrapbooksforeverbranson.com](http://www.scrapbooksforeverbranson.com)

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Our events are still on hold right now, until we have a clear idea of what kind of rules there will be regarding social distancing and so forth as we progress into the future. I will send out news and post to the website as soon as we learn more.

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#### PROJECT OF THE MONTH:

I have prepared a fun little tutorial to make you laugh...hopefully. And I DID NOT STAGE any of the photos – honestly it just happened, so I decided to go with it! Check it out at:

[www.scrapbooksforeverbranson.com](http://www.scrapbooksforeverbranson.com) click on “Classes/Events” and the “May Project of the Month”

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#### New items in the shop Now:

- 1) Picket Fence Paper Glaze – so creamy and shiny, use through stencils or alone
- 2) Sizzix Chapter 2 releases, including Tim Holtz
- 3) Graphic 45 Dies and stamps, Tag/pocket butterfly, Policy, and Folder Sentiments
- 4) Graphic 45 Farmhouse collection
- 5) Graphic 45 Safari Adventure Collector’s edition
- 6) Entire new Lawn Fawn release, including magic Iris
- 7) Tim Holtz Distress Embossing Glaze powders – see though like colored glass
- 8) WOW embossing powders in cool variegated mixes
- 9) Memory Box Fairy Sugar Glitter Glues – very intense, lot more glitter than Stickers
- 10) Dress My Craft Shaker elements – fruit shapes, teddy bears, clouds
- 11) Sizzix Shaker mixes in tower tubes – Shakers are hot right now
- 12) Spellbinders Build a Doily – so fun and easy, makes a 3D doily
- 13) Memory Box String Art Frame and corner Dies- Love these!

- 14) New Paper Cuts dies to make cool edge designs, Seahorse, new Florals, cake
  - 15) Farmhouse Market and Summer Market from Carta Bella
  - 16) Hey hello from Jen Hadfield, so fun, papers make great cards, cut apart greetings
  - 17) New Reminisce release: Train papers, Sea Life, King of the Jungle, Graduate & more
  - 18) New Harry Potter papers
  - 19) Simple Vintage Garden District by Simple Stories – so pretty
  - 20) Farm Meadow by Craft Consortium – papers, stamps, embellishments – we have it all
  - 21) Bo Bunny Family Heirloom – great for mini albums and heritage
  - 22) 49 Market Vintage artistry collections in various colors, papers and cool embellishments
  - 23) New 3D Punchouts for Spring
  - 24) New grown-up His and Hers Birthday papers and kits
  - 25) Lots of Easter- if you feel like you missed out this year, you can always prepare for next year!
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Well, that's it for now, but I will be sending out more mini newsletters as Branson continues to open up. Keep staying safe, keep crafting, and I hope to see you all again some day soon!

Miss your smiling faces,

Shirley