



You'll need:

- Arrgh! Pirately! Clearly Swanky Stamp Set
- 8.5" x 8.5" Clear Acetate (or Transparency) Sheet
- 8.5" x 2.125" (2-1/8") Orange Cardstock plus scraps
- 2— 1-7/8" White Cardstock Circles plus scraps
- 3" Green Cardstock Circle
- 3" Purple Cardstock Circle
- 2— 2-1/8" Black Cardstock Circles plus scraps
- 8.5" x 2" Polka-dot patterned paper
- Nestabilities Circle and Scalloped Circle dies – or punches of your choice
- Tuxedo Black Memento Ink
- Copic Markers or coloring medium of your choice
- Copic Multiliner - Black
- 4 — Black eyelets
- 1/8" hole punch and eyelet setter
- Thin Silver Cording
- White Pigment Ink
- White Embossing Powder
- 4 — Toothpicks
- Double Stick Foam Tape
- Ribbon (optional) - approx. 33"
- Red Line Tape



Piratey! Treat Box

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Clear Treat Box

- 1 Download the template. Following template, score the acetate at .5", 2.5", 4.5", and 6.5". Use bone folder to crease each score line.
- 2 Turn sheet and score at 2" and 6.5". Use bone folder to crease each score line. Cut away small strips on each end of the .5 edge of sheet as shown in template.
- 3 Cut up to score line on each side of the sheet to create end flaps for box. (Cut lines are shown as dashed lines on the template.) *Optional: Trim every other flap as shown on the pattern so that when folded in they'll fold flat.*
- 4 Apply red line tape to the 1/2" strip on the side of the box and form rectangular box shape.
- 5 Apply red line tape to the end flaps of one end of the box and close that end. Fill box with treats and close opposite end with red line tape.

(Note: I used a transparency sheet for this box and it was not as thick as I would have liked. I added the orange ribbon with the black stitching from top to bottom – tying the bow at the top – to support the weight of the treats and to stabilize the box. If you are doing this too, add the ribbon now, before adding the decorative paper band to the box.)

Box Wrap

- 1 Layer and adhere patterned paper strip to center of orange cardstock strip.
- 2 Position on lower half of box and adhere one end with red line tape. Wrap around box. Use bone folder to score at each corner as you go. Adhere end of wrap over original end of strip. Set aside.

Pirate Medallions

- 1 Cut white cardstock circles using Nestabilities die or punch. (Mine is 1-7/8" round.)
- 2 Stamp Pirate Ronnie using black ink – one on each white circle.
- 3 Color using Copic Markers – hand draw wall of ship and/or portholes if desired using black Copic Multiliner. Layer piece to black cardstock circle.
- 4 Punch 1/8" hole at bottom of colored circle. Insert and set eyelet.
- 5 Stamp sentiment onto scrap of white cardstock in black ink. Trim into small "tag" shape and layer with scrap of orange cardstock. Punch hole and set eyelet at one end. Using silver cording, thread through eyelets on layered pirate medallion and tag and tie into a bow.
- 6 Fold small piece of black cardstock in half and crease at fold. Use pirate flag template – placed at fold – to cut four black flags. Stamp skull and crossbones onto black cardstock flag with white pigment ink. Add white embossing powder and heat to emboss. Adhere flag to toothpick using glue dots or redline tape.
- 7 Using double stick foam tape, adhere toothpick flags to back of layered Ronnie piece and then to scalloped cardstock circle cut from green or purple cardstock.
- 8 Add completed medallion with flags to each side of treat box using double stick foam tape.

