BettesMakes Weekly Newsletter July 4

Canada just celebrated Canada Day and today is Independence Day in the USA! I hope everyone is having fun and celebrates safely.

Each week, you will receive my newsletter which has a project or two you can make plus a FREE downloadable you will not find in the resource library. This week I have SVGs for Grandma's Day! Just go to the bottom of the newsletter to get your FREE downloadable.

I just found this glue and I am so excited about it!

I love it when I find something that will help me make my mats tacky again after cleaning them. I received my package a couple of weeks ago so I could test the product. I am so excited - the stick returned without any issues and I have been using my old mats again. It is called Zig Two Way Glue - it dries permanent when you stick things together or if you let it turn white it stays tacky! I know getting excited over glue is strange but when you are constantly searching for a good glue that will make your mats tacky again and you find one, you are going to share it everywhere!



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This Week's Blog Article - <u>Creative Handmade Birthday Card</u> <u>Using Stickers</u>

This is a classic card to make with cut outs and the addition of glitter stickers on the front of the card. The unique front shape lends itself to the use of many different types of cardstock. For this make I use 3 different types of cardstock, one double-sided, one shiny sticker paper (you could use vinyl here), and one for the inside. I also used a scrap piece of glitter cardstock to make the backing for the cut out hearts. I hope you have fun with this one - it is a quick make that can look so elegant.



BTW - if you missed any of these newsletters, the archives are in the <u>resource</u> <u>library</u> - at the end of the list of files.

My Color Palette For This Week - <u>Dandelion</u>

I chose this because they are in full bloom all over the west coast. Walking along the seawall, they covered the shoreline with their brilliant yellow color!





Video of the Week - Another 3D project - Spinning Pinwheels

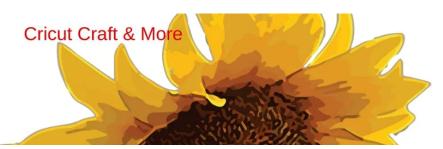
Time to make some pinwheels for the garden! These are very easy to make - add grommets for the middle and your pinwheel will spin with ease.



Take Another Peek Inside My Resource Library

I have been adding lots of templates and downloadables lately, so do not miss out on those extras! For all the FREE files that have been posted to BettesMakes.com blog, just go to my <u>resource library</u> and download anything you wish. The Password for newsletter subscribers is **love**

Spend some time browsing around for past downloads and be sure to download your weekly files!





Have you given any thought about joining my Facebook Group?

Our Facebook group is starting to grow and I will be adding some new files for the taking in the next few weeks - don't miss out! Take a look at our group http://Facebook.com/groups/BettesMakes! and join in the discussion! Are you a member of the group? My blog posts and the links to them are always posted in the group in order for you to have easy access. It is a great place to also add your comments and join in the discussions. The group is also the perfect spot for you to post your makes and ask for opinions.

As a reminder, you can always email me with ideas to bette@bettesmakes.com

YouTube - Take a Look at Some of My Legacy Videos!

I have been making videos for almost a year now and each one has been designed to help you make some incredible crafts. I love designing and making items, and getting suggestions on what you would like to see would be fabulous - just email me at Bette@BettesMakes.com - I would absolutely love to hear from you!

If you haven't already, please subscribe to the channel https://YouTube.com/c/BettesMakes

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Do you know anyone who loves to craft and would benefit from this newsletter and the resource library? Please pass this newsletter on and let us know who they are - I want to reward those who help us build our mailing list. Lots of Free gifts!

Take Time to Craft this Weekend...

Happy Crafting!





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BTW - is there anything you would like me to make? Just email me at Bette@bettesmakes.com

This Week's Freebie! SVGS for Grandma's Day (July 23rd)

This is a direct download and will not be available in the

resource norary.

Just click the image below.



I hope you have come to this spot in the newsletter.

Another piece of excitement for BettesMakes.com. We are moving forward with a new course called Design Space Bootcamp. It will be an indepth working course for all aspects of Design Space (text, layering, vinyl, and more). We are planning on releasing the course in mid-August. If you have anything special you would like to see in the course please email bette@bettesmakes.com and we will be sure to review your request.

Be on the lookout in our Facebook group for more details. https://facebook.com/groups/BettesMakes

While we are at home, Craftstash has so many downloadables at sale prices.



Another Look at FontBundles and Design Bundles

Fonts are always something you can never have enough of when you are making cards or anything that requires fancy fonts and text. You can get some amazing deals here - just check it out! No obligation to buy anything - you might

even find some freebies that suit your needs.



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