Easter Basket Sneak Peek Locking Gate Card





<u>Link to the Original Project Blog Post:</u> https://wp.me/p5snyt-GhX

Link to the Video on how to Make this Card: https://youtube.com/live/Geh4dD0PDL4

Card Stock Cuts for this Project:

<u>Lemon Lolly Cardstock</u>: $5 \frac{1}{2}$ " \times 8" (card base, scored and folded at $2 \frac{1}{8}$ " from each short end); $2 \frac{7}{8}$ " \times 4 $\frac{1}{8}$ " (\times 2 - front and back of locking mechanism); 3/8" \times 1 3/4" (sentiment); Easter Basket die cut bow

<u>Balmy Blue Cardstock</u>: Easter Basket die cut strips for the basket

<u>Basic White Cardstock</u>: $23/4" \times 4" (x2 - scored at 13/8" on the short side - locking mechanism); stamped & die cut Easter Basket bunny and three carrots; <math>4" \times 51/4"$ (inner liner)

<u>Easter Joy Specialty DSP</u>: $2" \times 5 3/8" (x2 - gate panels)$; $2 3/4" \times 4" (on front of locking mechanism)$; Easter Basket die cut basket and two eggs

Instructions for this Project:

- 1. Use the Paper Trimmer to score the 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" piece of Lemon Lolly cardstock at 2 1/8" from each short end.
- 2. Fold both score lines as valleys making the gates.
- 3. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the two 2" \times 5 3/8" pieces of new **Easter Joy Specialty DSP** to the front of each gate panel.
- 4. On the 4" \times 5 1/4" piece of Basic White cardstock stamp an **Easter Basket** sentiment in Shy Shamrock ink.
- 5. Across the bottom stamp the flowers from the set in Shy Shamrock.
- 6. Color the flowers with the Light Pretty in Pink, Light Shy Shamrock, Dark Peach Pie and Dark Lemon Lolly Stampin' Blends.
- 7. Add a butterfly from the Softest Spring Mix & Match Puffy Stickers.



- 8. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the panel to the inside of the card base.
- 9. Score the two 2 3/4" \times 4" pieces of Basic White cardstock at 1 3/8" on the short side and fold them.
- 10. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the two folded panels to one of the 2 7/8" x 4 1/8" pieces of Lemon Lolly cardstock with the folded edges touching in the middle.
- 11. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the second 2 $7/8" \times 4 1/8"$ piece of Lemon Lolly cardstock to the mechanism sandwiching the mechanism between the two Lemon Lolly pieces. Check the video to see how to do this part!





- 12. On one side of the mechanism, use Liquid Glue to adhere the 2 3/4" \times 4" piece of the *Easter Joy Specialty DSP*.
- 13. Use the Easter Basket die to cut out a basket from a piece of Crumb Cake **Easter Joy Specialty DSP**. I
- 14. Use the rectangle die in the set to cut out a bunch of Balmy Blue cardstock strips.
- 15. Weave three of the Balmy Blue strips into the basket and use a little Liquid Glue to secure them in place.
- 16. Use scissors to trim the excess.
- 17. On a piece of Basic White cardstock stamp the *Easter Basket* bunny and three carrots in Crumb Cake ink and cut them out with the coordinating *Easter Basket* dies.
- 18. Color the bunny's ears and nose with the Light Pretty in Pink Stampin' Blend and the carrots with the Light Shy Shamrock and Dark Peach Pie Stampin' Blends.
- 19. Use the egg die in the set to cut two Easter eggs from a piece of the **Easter Joy Specialty DSP**.
- 20. Use the die in the set to cut out two grass strips from Shy Shamrock cardstock.
- 21. Use Liquid Glue to adhere one grass die cut to the back of the easter basket.
- 22. Use scissors to trim off the bottom of the die cut bunny leaving his arms intact.
- 23. Use Liquid Glue to adhere him to the basket with his arm hanging over the front.
- 24. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the eggs and the carrots to the back of the basket.



- 25. Use Stampin' Dimensionals to adhere the basket onto the front of the locking mechanism.
- 26. Use the die in the set to cut out a Lemon Lolly bow.
- 27. Use Liquid Glue to adhere it to the basket.
- 28.On the $3/8" \times 13/4"$ piece of Lemon Lolly cardstock stamp an **Easter Basket** sentiment in Shy Shamrock ink.
- 29. Use scissors to cut a banner end and adhere it with Liquid Glue.
- 30. Use Liquid Glue to adhere the second grass strip to the bottom of the basket.
- 31. Add five *Easter Assortment* easter eggs a couple in the grass and a few "hidden" around the basket.
- 32. To close the card just slide the two gate panels into the "X" of the locking mechanism.



- 33. Stamp and color the *Easter Basket* flowers on the front of the Basic White Medium Envelope.
- 34. Stamp and color the *Easter Basket* bunny on the envelope flap. 35. DONE!

<u>Please click on the links to the right to see and purchase the available item(s) in my Online Store:</u>

You'll also need the Easter Basket Bundle, Easter Joy Specialty DSP, Easter Assortment and Softest Spring Mix & Match Puffy Stickers when they're available.

Lemon Lolly 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [161720] - Price: \$14.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5e
Basic White 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [166780] - Price: \$14.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5f
Balmy Blue 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [146982] - Price: \$14.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5g
Shy Shamrock 8-1/2" X 11" Cardstock [163795] - Price: \$14.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5h
Shy Shamrock Classic Stampin Pad [163808] - Price: \$9.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5i
Crumb Cake Classic Stampin' Pad [147116] - Price: \$9.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5j
Lemon Lolly Stampin' Blends Combo Pack [161673] - Price: \$11.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5k
Pretty In Pink Stampin' Blends Combo Pack [163824] - Price: \$11.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5l
Peach Pie Stampin' Blends Combo Pack [163827] - Price: \$11.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5m
Shy Shamrock Stampin' Blends Combo Pack [163825] - Price: \$11.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5n
Basic White Medium Envelopes [159236] - Price: \$11.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5o
Multipurpose Liquid Glue [110755] - Price: \$6.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5p
Stampin' Dimensionals [104430] - Price: \$4.25 - http://msb.im/2Y5q
Paper Trimmer [152392] - Price: \$28.00 - http://msb.im/2Y5r