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Featured Products this Month:

- Gingerbread & Peppermint Designer Series Paper - #156313 - \$11.50
- Frosted Gingerbread Bundle - #156807 - \$48.50
- Real Red Mini Ruffled Ribbon - #156323 - \$8.00
- Gingerbread & Peppermint Acrylic Shapes - #156322 - \$6.50

Peppermint Kisses Card (top left):

- Old Olive card stock base – 4 ¼" x 7 ½", scored at 2"
- Basic White card stock for inside 4" x 5 ¼"
- Stamp Basic White card stock as desired and adhere to the inside of the card
- Designer Series Paper – main piece is 4" x 4" and coordinating piece is 1 ¾" x 4"
- Add the 4" x 4" piece of designer paper to the underside of the 2" flap, line up the bottom, matching the edges of the Basic White
- Add smaller designer paper to the 2" section at the top of the front
- Stamp sentiment, die cut with label of your choice and adhere with Stampin' Dimensionals
- Wrap ribbon around and tie with a bow in the front. Add a glue dot to secure if desired

Die Cut Shaker Card (top right):

- Cinnamon Cider card stock base – 4 ¼" x 11", scored at 5 ½"
- Designer Paper for front – 4" x 5 ¼" die cut with die from the Picture This Die Set #155559, or any die shapes you have

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- Window Sheet – 3 ¾" x 5", adhere to the backside of the die cut designer paper piece
- Then add pieces of Adhesive Strips (#141825 - \$8) around edges and if needed to separate sections of the die cuts
- On the front of the card base figure out where the "windows" will be, then add pieces from the Gingerbread & Peppermint Acrylic Shapes along with sequins from your stash (we both know you have some) on the card front. Remove backing from the adhesive strips and add to the card front.
- For the front, I've die cut images from the designer paper using the coordinating die from the Frosted Gingerbread Bundle and added a sentiment.
- Tree was fussy cut using paper snips and the sentiment is cut down to just say "Merry Christmas," Stampin' Dimensionals were used to adhere them to the card front

Box:

- Box top is 6" x 6", scored at 1" on all four sides
- Box bottom is 5 15/16" x 5 15/16", scored at 1" on all four sides
- Cut up 1" on 2 of the score lines on two opposite sides, add adhesive to the "right" side of the designer paper tabs you just created, fit together to create both the top and bottom boxes
- Tie with a bow, using the ribbon of your choice

Covered Note Pad:

- I've used a note pad from a big box store, the dimensions you use may vary based on the note pad used
- I've measured the backside of the note pad, added ¼" to the length for the thickness and about another 1" – 1 ¾" to cover the binding on the front of the note pad. Adhere this piece of designer paper to the back around to the front. Liquid glue, Seal + or Tear and Tape all work good for this.
- Add ribbon, bow or embellishment of your choice

Tags:

- Tailor Made Tag Dies or even Basic White Card stock cut 2" wide by 4" long work just as good. Use a tag topper punch or an edgelit from another die set to make the top fancy
- Decorate with stamped sentiment and stamped or die cut images of your choice.
- Add twine or ribbon to create hang tag.