August 2022 Sunday Stamper Cards

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Featured Products this Month:

- Oceanfront (annual catalog) & Sunkissed (July-December catalog) Stamp Sets
- Hippest Hippo Stamp Set* & Hippo Dies* (each is a Sale-A-Bration level 1 item)
 - Silver & Gold 6" x 6" Designer Series Paper* (Sale-A-Bration level 1 item)
 - Blessings of Home Bundle

Oceanfront Card (left):

- Card base is Tahitian Tide card stock 4 ¼" x 11", scored at 5 ½"
- Early Espresso card stock 3 ³⁄₄" x 5"
- Basic White card stock 3 ½" x 4 3/4"
- Images stamped using the ink colors listed below:
 - o Sky Daffodil Delight with Calypso Coral added by tapping on with Blending Brush
 - Water Tahitian Tide
 - Sand Crumb Cake
 - Grass & Shells Early Espresso
- Greeting stamped in Early Espresso ink
- Stepped-Up version has the umbrella image from Sunkissed Stamp set stamped in Early Espresso, then the actual umbrella and hat stamped on designer paper, cut out and adhered (paper piecing).

Partial Die-Cutting Image Card (middle):

- Card base is Thick Basic White card stock 4 ¼" x 11", scored at 5 ½"
- Texture Chic 12" x 12" Specialty Designer Series Paper 2 ½" x 6", adhere to the right front of the card, cut off excess length
- Evening Evergreen card stock mat 3 ¾" x 5", adhered directly to card front
- Basic White card stock 3 1/2" x 4 3/4", stamp image in middle with Evening Evergreen ink using the Stamparatus
- Die cut only half of the image by putting the top plate at the point of the image you want the cutting to stop, adhere the Basic White piece with Stampin' Dimensionals to the mat
- Greeting is from Inspired Thoughts stamp set, matted on Gold Distressed Paper or Gold Foil then adhered to card front using Stampin' Dimensionals
- <u>Stepped-Up version</u> has Gold Ribbon wrapped around and the mat section adhered to the card front with Stampin' Dimensionals. Champagne Rhinestones added for bling.

Hippo Sale-A-Bration Card (right):

- Card base is Pool Party card stock 4 ¼" x 11", scored at 5 ½"
- Silver & Gold 6" x 6" Designer Series Paper 4" x 5 ¼"
- Color middle section of designer paper using Blending Brush
- Die cut circle in Real Red card stock and adhere to card front
- Stamp in memento ink, color with Stampin' Blend Markers and die cut Hippo of your choice
- I have adhered Hippo with a Hampton Art Action Wobbles, purchased from Amazon.
- Greeting is from the Hippo stamp set, Memento Ink on Basic White card stock.
- <u>Stepped-Up version</u> has Hippo floating in boat on waves with snorkeling gear all die cut from the Hippo dies. Sentiment is from Party Puffins stamp set using Real Red ink.

Photo of "stepped-up" projects:

