**Updates to Club G45 Vol. 1**

The following adjustments are necessary to complete the Wrap-Around Album correctly. Make these adjustments to the album when beginning the project.

You can find these updates explained in the detailed video tutorial for the projects on the Graphic 45 YouTube channel.

Wrap-Around Album

- Trim down largest scored chipboard piece (with curved edge)
  - Trim long 7¾” side to be 7” (cutting the ½” off widest end of the curve)
  - Trim the large rectangle panel of scored piece to be 5” x 7”
- Trim largest rectangle (no score lines) to be 5” x 7”
- Trim spine piece on the long side to be 7” (width will remain the same 1⅛”)
Nature Notebook — Wrap-Around Album & Desktop Calendar

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Graphic 45® Supplies:
1 ea Nature Notebook Deluxe Collector’s Edition (4502093)
1 pk G45 Rose Bouquet Flowers—Classic Ivory (4501784)
1 pk Club Exclusive—Wrap Album Chip Kit (ADPBOOK-KIT.G45)

Other Supplies: (not included)
1 ea 12” x 12” Sheet Cardstock—Kraft
20” Jute Twine (optional)

Tools, Adhesives & Ink:
Paper trimmer, scissors, ruler, scoring tools, bone folder, pencil, corner rounder punch, 2” circle punch, double sided adhesive, foam adhesive, strong glue, sanding block, distress ink

Notes:
• All measurements are width x height, unless specified.
• Distress the paper edges with light brown ink, which is optional.
• When cutting papers, be mindful of the pattern direction.

Directions:
Wrap–Around Album:

1. Locate the large scored chipboard piece and gently fold on all score lines in the same direction to form a curved wrap-around closure as shown. The wavy portion will come around the front of the album.

2. Cut a 2 ½” x 8” piece of Kraft cardstock to join the back cover and spine to the wrap-around portion. Adhere the chipboard pieces onto the cardstock strip with about ¼” space between the pieces.

3. Use a scoring stylus or bone folder to score the cardstock where it extends past the top and bottom of the spine.
4. Use strong adhesive to adhere the cardstock portions inside the spine area as shown. Use clips or clothespins to hold until dry.

5. Gently use the flat part of a bone folder to score in between all spaces of the chipboard.

6. Cut a 2½” x 6¾” piece of Kraft cardstock and adhere across the inner spine, centered. Again, gently score in between the spaces of the chipboard.

7. Cut three pieces of Kraft cardstock as follows: 2¼” x 6¾”, 1¾” x 6¾” and 1¼” x 6¾”. Score each piece’s long sides at ½”. Fold forward on all score lines as shown.

8. Cut an 11½” x 6¾” piece from Nature Notebook (B-side). Adhere onto the inside of the album cover from left to right. The right edge should end at the first score line in the wrap-around area. If not, trim as needed.

9. Once the adhesive is dry, gently score the spaces between the chipboard as you’ve done previously.

10. Adhere the Kraft cardstock pieces from Step 7 from largest to smallest to the inner spine area (adhesive will only go on the flat portion of each cardstock piece, not on the folded sides) centering as you go. This will be the inner hinge system to which the pages will attach.

11. Cut a 10” x 6¾” piece of Wildflower Bouquet and trace the wavy album cover on the left edge and cut out. (Tip: since the paper is shorter than the chipboard album, simply center the paper top and bottom when tracing.)

12. Starting from the wavy cover area, adhere the Wildflower Bouquet paper, keeping the chipboard rolled inward as shown, rather than flat. Wet glue is recommended. The album is designed NOT to open out flat, but to remain curved, therefore it’s important to keep it curved as you glue.

13. Center your two magnets one on the flap and the other on the cover of the album. (Your magnet might be larger than in the photo.)
14. Place the other magnet on top of the inner magnet, add adhesive to the center of the top magnet and bring the wavy cover over to the album cover and hold until adhered. (Tip: use clips to hold cover in place while it dries). Cut a 4¾” x 6¾” piece of Harmonious Honeybees and adhere to cover (over the magnet). Cut a 6¾” butterfly border from Seasonal Splendor and adhere along the left edge. Cut a 13⁄8” x 6¾” piece of Harmonious Honeybees and adhere to outer spine.

15. Cut a 2½” x 6½” and 4¾” x 2½” piece from Plant Kingdom. Round off the top of the tall piece as shown, and notch out a partial circle from the other. Adhere each piece into the album as a tuck spot and a pocket.

16. Cut a 4¾” x 6¾” piece from Nature Notebook (B-side). Trace the wavy edge of the inside of the album, cut out, check the fit and adhere into place with glue. Keep the cover curved as you adhere.

17. Cut 9” x 6¾” pieces from Flora Fascination, Diary of a Botanist, and Verdant Woodlands. Score down the center of each at 4¼”, then cut a partial circle out of the top right portion as shown.

18. Fold each paper from Step 17 in half. Place adhesive on both sides of the first “hinge” in the inner spine and adhere the page straddling the hinge. This page will be a top-loading pocket.

19. Continue with the other two papers onto the third and the fifth hinge in the same manner.

20. Cut three 4½” x 1” strips from Wildflower Bouquet and score down the center of each at ½”. Fold on score lines.

21. Adhere the folded strips to the bottoms of the three pocket pages in your album to seal the opening.

22. Cut 10” x 6¾” pieces from Plant Kingdom (sheet 2), Wildflower Bouquet (sheet 2) and Seasonal Splendor. Score down the center of each at 6”.
23. Fold each paper from Step 22 in half with the opening on the left. Cut the 4” x 6” cut-aparts from Beautiful World and adhere to each page as shown.

24. Cut a 9” x 8½” piece from Mother Earth, Harmonious Honeybees (sheet 2), and Monarch Majesty. Score down the center of each at 4½”, then score 2½” from the bottom. Cut away the lower left corners as shown.

25. Fold each paper in half. With the opening on the right, fold up the bottom flap and adhere on two sides to form pockets.

26. Adhere each pocket page onto the folded units from Step 24. You should now have a fold-open pocket page on top of each base page.

27. Adhere each unit from Step 26 onto the remaining three hinges. This time you’ll place adhesive on the entire back of the papers as you adhere into the album.

28. Cut 3½” x 6½” pieces from Flora Fascination, Every Blooming Thing, and Monarch Majesty. Round corners of each and adhere a chipboard circle (lady bug) to the tops of each as shown. (Note: the circles will not be centered. Slide the paper into the top loading pocket pages first to determine the correct positioning.)

29. From Seasonal Splendor, cut out two 4” x 3” cut-aparts and three sets of two borders 4½” each. From Beautiful World, cut one more 4” x 3” cut-apart.

30 - 32. Adhere the border strips and 4” x 3” cut-aparts to the fold out pages as shown. If you prefer, you can adhere the 4” x 3” cut-aparts on the left and top edge only to allow space to tuck items underneath. Add a mushroom sticker to the lower right corner of each.
The basic assembly of the album is complete.

Now to decorate...

33. Cut three \(3\frac{3}{4}''\) x \(5\frac{3}{4}''\) pieces of Plant Kingdom and snip the top corners to create tags. Cut three \(3''\) x \(4''\) pieces of Harmonious Honeybees and adhere to tags. Affix stickers shown to the tops of each.

34. Cut three sets of the cut-aparts shown from Diary of a Botanist and fold each in half.

35. To the inside front cover, adhere two fussy cut butterflies from Monarch Majesty and the chipboard tag. Insert a cut-apart from Beautiful World. (Tip: adhere the B-side of Harmonious Honeybees onto the back of your cut-apart inserts for a space to journal or add photos.)

36 - 48. Follow the photos to adorn the pages in your album, utilizing stickers and chipboard, and more cut-aparts from the collection.
49. Fussy cut the large butterfly from Monarch Majesty. Shape the wings slightly for dimension.

50. Adhere the flowers in a cluster on top of one of the leaf stems. Let dry.

51. Close the album and adhere the flower unit, the fussy cut butterfly, the "Happiness..." chipboard tag, and three chipboard squares across the top. Tie a 10" length of black twine through the small "bee" chipboard tag into a bow and adhere to the spine.
Desktop Calendar Display:

1. Locate the 5⅜” x 7⅝” scored chipboard piece and gently fold on the two score lines in the same direction. Glue or tape the edge of the folded portion to the back to form a triangular shape to create an easel as shown.

2. Cut a 5⅜” x 6¼” piece of Verdant Woodlands and adhere to the back of the easel. Trim any excess.

3. Trace the bracket shaped chipboard piece onto a 6⅞” x 6⅞” piece of Verdant Woodlands paper and cut out slightly inside the traced line.

4. Cut a 5¾” x 5¾” piece of Verdant Woodlands and adhere to the front of the chipboard easel. Adhere traced paper to the front of the chipboard bracket.

5. Cut a 4¼” x 4¼” of Mother Earth and adhere to the easel front, centered. Locate the two chipboard shapes and cover the back of the smaller one with Plant Kingdom.

6. Adhere the small chipboard shape from Step 5 to the top of the easel unit, hanging off halfway. Cut a 4⅜” x 3” piece of Harmonious Honeybees and a 4⅜” x 2¼” piece of Wildflower Bouquet. Adhere together.

7. Use strong glue to adhere the easel unit to the base unit, then adhere the two papers from Step 6 and add the large chipboard butterfly piece on top.

8. Adhere leaves and flowers to the base unit. To have enough flowers for both this project and the wrap-around album, you’ll need to peel away a layer of petals from one large ivory flower to create a medium sized one.

9. Cut out the Mini Calendars on the following pages and adhere them with repositioning adhesive each month, or adhere a binder clip to hold the calendar cutout as shown. As an alternative, you can add a photo for a beautiful desktop display.

*If you want to keep the project sheet intact, use a copier to print the calendars onto separate paper for use.