

HORN OF PLENTY

Project:

Horn of Plenty (Courtesy of Delores Bower, Pack #1398, Woodbridge, VA)

Materials:

Papier Mache, made from medium paste of flour and water
½-inch strips of used newspaper
Oval shaped balloons
Extra newspaper
Adhesive tape
Water colors or spray paint

Instructions:

- 1) Inflate balloon
- 2) Twist flat sheets of newspaper to form tail of horn, and tape to the balloon
- 3) Wind strips of papier mache around balloon and crumpled newspaper, beginning at mid-point of balloon (about 4 or 5 thicknesses)
- 4) Make sure balloon end of papier mache is smooth and even
- 5) When dry, brake balloon and remove from horn
- 6) Paint horn and decorate with real fruit and nuts, or make papier mache fruit by using crumpled newspaper balls and winding papier mache around it, then allow to dry and paint