

ALBUM IN A YEAR: June online material

These Photos by Amanda Probst. **Supplies** Cardstock: Prism Papers; *Die cut flower*: Deluxe Cuts; *Metal loops & brads*: Creative Impressions; *Pen*: American Crafts Precision Pen; *Pastel pencil*: Koh-i-noor Gioconda; *Stamp*: Fontwerks; *Ink*: Stampin' Up!; *Computer fonts*: Century Schoolbook, Microsoft Word; Kravitz, downloaded from the Internet.

Step by step instructions to recreate this layout:

1. Select and print your photos. I used one vertical 4x6, four horizontal 4x3, two vertical 3x4, one vertical 2x3, and one horizontal 3x2. (Feel free to substitute patterned paper, memorabilia or white space.)
2. Cut two strips of teal cardstock for the top (each should be 12 x 2.25) and adhere to the top of your pages (full sheets of green 12x12 cardstock).
3. Frame three of the photos. Simply cut a slightly larger piece of black cardstock and add the metal loops to the top.
4. Adhere the photos to the layout as shown. If desired, use foam tape on the framed ones to add dimension.
5. Create journaling "plaques" for each column of photos. I used my computer for this part and drew a pen outline around the block, but feel free to simply handwrite...it's probably quicker and easier. Adhere to the page as shown.
6. Print the title block on orange cardstock. Cut out the semi-circle. (I just used scissors, but I won't tell if you feel the need to use a circle cutting system.) Use pastel pencil to color in the "crosshairs" of the "O" (in my mind, this mimics the view through a camera lens). Adhere to the bottom of the right page.
7. Add a die cut flower to the top left page. (I used a pre-cut design, but you can always create your own...or use a silk/felt/sheer flower...or stamp a design...or anything else you can think of.)
8. Stamp a circular design onto orange cardstock and cut out the circle. (I used my favorite date stamp from Fontwerks and circled the month using pastel pencil.) Adhere to the top left page overlapping the flower.