

Bee Mine Pin

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Palette: DecoArt Americana

Moon Yellow, Golden Straw, Burnt Sienna, Soft Black, Burnt Umber, Sand, Razzle Berry, Black Plum, Hauser Med Green, Evergreen, Purple Cow

Brushes: Artist Club 800-845-6507

18/0 liner

¼", ½" Angular

#1, #4, #6 Shader

Surface: Betty Bowers, bettybowersdownhome.com

803-286-5505

Supplies:

DecoArt All purpose Sealer

DecoArt Gel Stain any color

19 Gauge wire

Stylus

Pin back

Glue

Drill and 1/16" bit

Wire cutters

Basic Painting supplies

Preparation:

Sand and remove dust. Seal with DecoArt All purpose sealer. Sand again.

Trace on basic lines.

Painting Instructions:

Basecoat as follows:

Razzle Berry: nose and heart

Sand: bee wings

Moon Yellow: bee stripes

Golden Straw: hive

Soft Black: bee head and stripes

Lamp Black: letters



Heart: Paint stitches with Sand. Paint stem and leaves with Hauser Med Green, shade with Evergreen. Highlight with Sand. Paint petals with Sand. Shade with Burnt Sienna. Highlight the tips with

White. Paint the center with Golden Straw. Shade the base of center with Burnt Sienna. Stipple the top with White. Add white dots. Paint the vine with Burnt Umber. Add cluster dots of shades of purple and white.

Bee: Shade under each black stripe (on yellow) and face with Burnt Sienna, also shade the bottom of the wings. Paint the stitches with Soft Black. Dry brush the face with Warm White to highlight, pick up a little Razzle Berry and dry brush the cheeks. Shade the bottom of nose with Black Plum. Highlight the top right of nose with Warm White. Dot eyes and paint mouth with Sand. Pull out lashes with Sand. Dot again with Soft Black. Let dry and dot again with Buttermilk. Paint arms with Soft Black. Highlight with Warm White.

Hive: shade with Burnt Sienna. Highlight above the shade line with Warm White. Paint detail lines with Soft Black. Highlight the hole on the top right side with Warm White.

Letters: Paint letters Purple Cow. Highlight with White. Outline with Black.

Finishing: Spray with several light coats of DecoArt Matte Spray Sealer. Add wire for antenna and glue pin onto the back.

