

Straw Wreath Ornament (or Pin)

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I have been wanting to do a wreath ornament but had difficulty coming up with a good plait to use. So I started going through the NAWW Plait Directory to see what I could find that might work. And I found the rick-rack in a circle plait that works beautifully. Since it is a more challenging plait, I added in an embellishment with a three-straw rick rack to get a feel for the plait first. Then additional embellishments were added to give students a chance to practice other plaits that can be used for so many pieces. And if you use small straws and make the basic wreath small, you can make this as a pin to wear rather than a wreath ornament.



CLASS TIME: Sunday, February 25, 9:00-noon and 1:00-4:00

Skill level: open to all

Finished size: approximate 4 inch diameter (will depend of the size of your straws)

Bring to class: no special tools needed beyond basic kit as described in the welcome letter

Materials kit: (to be paid directly to instructor, or representative, in class – exact amount is appreciated). \$2.00 which includes all materials necessary for the project.