

# FUN FRIDAYS

## WITH FAMILY ARTS & CRAFTS

### PAPER MACHE BOWL

#### MATERIALS:

- SPONGE BRUSH
- BOWL
- MOD PODGE OR GLUE
- BALLOONS
- TISSUE PAPER
- PIN/NEEDLE/THUMB TACK
- SCISSORS

#### DIRECTIONS:

1. INFLATE THE BALLOON TO A REASONABLE SIZE. TOO BIG OR TOO SMALL WILL MAKE IT HARD TO WORK WITH. SET THE BALLOON ON THE BOWL TO KEEP IT STEADY.
2. CUT YOUR TISSUE PAPER IF ITS NOT PRE-CUT. GET CREATIVE AND DO CRAZY SHAPES IF YOU WANT.
3. USE YOUR SPONGE BRUSH APPLY A THIN LAYER OF MOD PODGE TO THE SURFACE OF THE BALLOON. STICK YOUR PIECES OF TISSUE PAPER ON THIS LAYER. EVERY TIME YOU PLACE A PIECE DOWN, COVER IT WITH A THIN LAYER OF MOD PODGE.
4. WAIT FOR THE FIRST LAYER TO DRY.
5. REPEAT THE PROCESS WITH THE SECOND LAYER. WAIT FOR IT TO DRY.
6. CONTINUE THE PROCESS FOR 8 TO 10 LAYERS.
7. LET IT DRY FOR 24 HOURS
8. ONCE ITS COMPLETELY DRY POP THE BALLOON WITH THE PIN.
9. CUT THE EDGES TO YOUR PREFERENCE.