

# 2025 Challenge 23 – Ashley's Scrappy VIPs

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**Step 1:** Use a sheet of 12X12 cardstock or paper for the base of your layout. Gut it if you would like.

**Step 2:** Cut a sheet of paper to 11" x 11." Cut another piece of cardstock to 11- $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 11- $\frac{1}{4}$ " and mat your 11" piece on top. Adhere to your base.

**Step 3:** To create your border, cut a strip of paper with the wavy trimmer blade to 1- $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 12". Cut another strip to 1" x 12" and adhere on top of the wavy strip. Punch a border and adhere it on top of those two strips. Adhere along the bottom seam of your 11" square.

**Step 4:** Create the banner ribbon by cutting a strip of paper to 2" x 4". Cut another piece slightly larger if you want to layer like this

example. Trim the bottom to a "v" to create the banner look. Adhere in the top, right.

**Step 5:** To create the circle, use your medium circle in the custom cutting patterns, and use your red blade to cut a circle. Use a sticker for the middle, or cut another circle with the medium circle and your green blade to create a circle to go on top.

**Step 6:** Use 3 photos that are 6" x 4" and mat on 6- $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 4- $\frac{1}{4}$ " pieces of paper/cardstock.

**Step 7:** Title, journal, and embellish as desired. Use foam squares if you want more dimension.