

Dancing Penguin Tray

project time 4-5 hours



INGREDIENTS

BISQUEFIRE

3027 Round Serving
Tray w/2 Handles

FUN STROKES

FS-2300 Polar Bear
FS-2314 Black Lab
FS-2392 Blue By U
FS-2355 Nantucket Blue
FS-2390 Orange Crush
FS-2301 Smiley Face
FS-2392 Rockin Red
FS-2366 Chocolate
Moose

BRUSHES

4 & 6 Round
Mop Brush

OTHER

Sponge
Fun Writers
Paper plate
3 plastic bowls

Step 1- Paint top of tray with one coat of Nantucket Blue using Mop brush.

Step 2- Pour a medium size amount of Nantucket Blue and Polar Bear onto a paper plate, a small distance apart. Squeeze a small amount of water from a clean loaded sponge between the two colors. Ring out sponge completely in water receptacle. Dab the sponge in both colors and the water, loading mostly with the white. Lightly dab the sponge over the top of the tray until it is covered. Using clean damp sponge, go back over tray cleaning up and extra water and paint.

Step 3- Using the 3 different Penguin patterns; trace Penguins in any order desired. Flipping the pattern and tracing on the other side will create more Penguins for the tray.

There are 2 methods of completing this project. Option 1 uses Fun Writers to color in the tray. Option 2 uses brushes and gives the tray a more artistic look.

Option 1

Step 1- Using Fun Writers and the fine point tip, excluding their feet, beaks, hats and scarves, outline all the Penguins in Black Lab. Use Rockin Red to outline the feet and beaks. Use Blue By U for the hats, scarves and earmuffs. Trace star wand with Chocolate Moose.

Step 2- Fill in the black areas of the Penguins using the Fun Writer with the medium tip.

Step 3- Fill the feet, beaks and star with Smiley Face using the Fun Writer with the fine tip.

Step 4- Using the pattern for design ideas; decorate the Penguins' hats, scarves and earmuffs using the Fun Writer with the fine tip filled with Nantucket Blue.

Step 5- Fill the beaks, feet and the inside of the star with Smiley Face.

Step 6- Dab a small portion of the damp sponge into the Rockin Red. Dab the sponge on scrap until only

a faint trace of the red shows. Lightly dab the cheeks of all the Penguins with the sponge.

Step 7- Place a dot of Nantucket Blue that takes up about 3/4 of the space in each eye. Look at pattern for placement of dots. When dry, add a smaller dot of black. When dry, add tiny spot of Polar Bear, using a fine point on a Fun Writer to create a highlight in the eye.

Step 8- Trace words on platter and outline tracing using medium point Fun Writer filled with Blue By U.

Step 9- Cover the outside of the tray with 3 coats of Nantucket Blue.

Steps 10- Take damp sponge and dab in Nantucket Blue. Lightly drag sponge along top of tray to create an even blue edge. Continue to load and gently drag the sponge until the entire rim of the tray is covered.

Option 2

Step 1-10- Follow exactly except use the brushes instead of the Fun Writers.

Step 11- Place a small amount of Nantucket Blue on a paper plate. Add a drop of water and mix. Dip the #6 Brush in clean water and then drag the brush lightly across a dry paper towel to remove some of the water. Now drag the brush beside the Nantucket Blue, picking up paint only on the side of the brush. Drag the paint-loaded side around the outline of the Penguins' inner body. Use Pattern as a guide.

Step 12- Follow instructions above using Blue By U and outline Penguins hats, scarves and earmuffs.

Step 13- Create shadows under the Penguins using Blue By U and same method as used in steps 11 and 12.

Step 14- Clear Glaze and fire to cone 06.



