

# MARACAS, PADDLE BOARD AND RIBBON RING

When Queen Esther saved the Jews, the people were so happy! They celebrated with noisemakers, wore masks and costumes, and danced for joy. Use your kit supplies to make maracas and a paddle board with beads to make noise. Add a beautiful ribbon ring you can hold in your hand as you dance!



## MARACAS SUPPLIES

- Plastic Egg
- 2 Plastic Spoons
- Dry Beans
- Washi Tape

## MARACAS DIRECTIONS

1. Place a few dry beans inside your plastic egg and close.
2. Put the two plastic spoons on either side of the egg and use your Washi tape to wrap around the egg, as well as around the spoon handles, to hold everything together. Give your maracas a shake!

## PADDLE BOARD SUPPLIES

- 2 pieces of Card Stock
- Scissors
- Markers
- Tape
- Glue
- 6 Wooden beads
- Jute Twine
- Hole Punch
- Paper Straw

## PADDLE BOARD DIRECTIONS

1. Look around your house to find an object that has a circle shape that will fit on a sheet of your card stock. Trace around that object to make a circle on your paper. Repeat on your second sheet of card stock. Cut out the circles.
2. Place several pieces of rolled tape around the edges of one of your circles. Place your paper straw on your circle and tape it down so a long piece is extending out as a handle. Place the other circle on top and press down to tape them together. Your straw should be sandwiched in between the two circles.
3. Use your markers to decorate both sides of the paddle.
4. Use your hole punch to make 6 holes around the edge of your paddle. Be careful not to punch your hole too close to the edge.
5. Cut six pieces of twine that are a little longer than the width of your paddle. Thread a wooden bead through each piece of twine. Then thread the piece of twine through a hole on your paddle. Tie in a knot. Repeat with each of your remaining pieces of twine and wooden beads.
6. Twist your paddle back and forth to make music!

## RIBBON RING SUPPLIES

- Wooden Ring
- 6 pieces of Ribbon, any color
- Small Bells
- Jute Twine
- Scissors

## RIBBON RING DIRECTIONS

1. Tie or loop each piece of ribbon around your wooden ring.
2. Cut a piece of twine for each bell that you want to add to your ribbon ring. Make sure it's long enough for you to tie around the wooden ring.
3. Thread the twine through a bell and tie to the wooden ring. Repeat with your remaining bells.
4. Dance and twirl with your beautiful ribbon ring!