

SCRAPBOOKING IDEAS

5 Foundations to speed up the process

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PARTS OF SCRAPBOOK PAGE

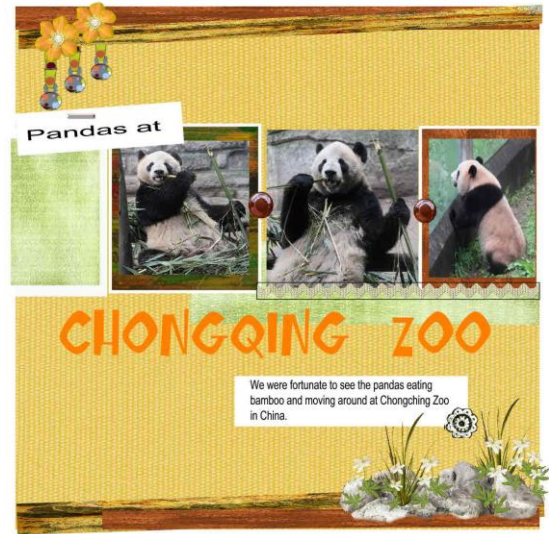
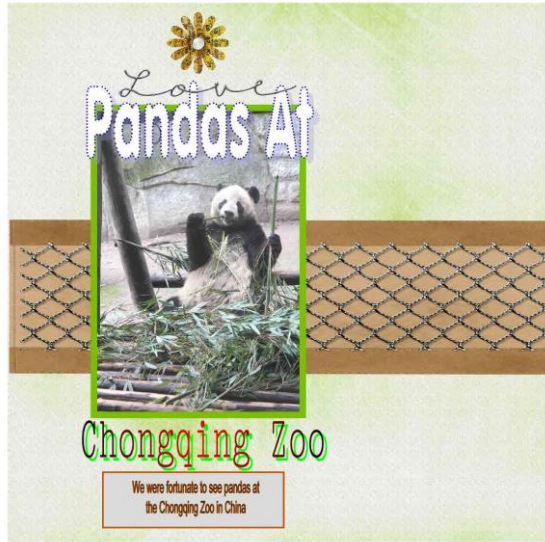
- Photos - how many photos
- Journaling- can be a few lines or story
- Title- can use upper lower case or combination
- Embellishments- add interest to page

PAGE DESIGN

- Arrange photos
- Background
- Color – 1 to 3 dominant colors
- Elements – how many and where arrange

PHOTOS

- 1 Photo
- Cluster of photos- 3 or more grouped together
- Grid- 4 or more photos, straight and equal spacing
- Line- horizontal or vertical
- Overlap- 2 or more photos , tipped or straight and can be different shapes



BAND

- 1 to 4 photos – Mat pictures or outline
- Neutral background paper
- Horizontal band – lighter neutral color
- Mat under band – print or brighter color
- Top band with horizontal squares or bright print paper
- Title- above or below picture
- Add journaling below picture
- Add embellishments above picture



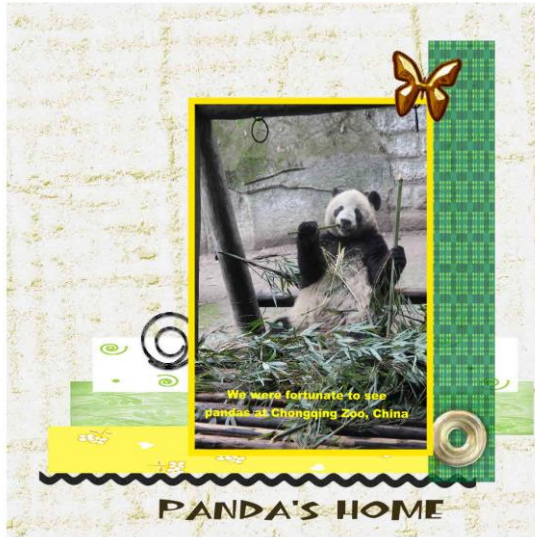
DIAGONAL

- 1 photo (square)
- Neutral paper behind photo
- Solid paper for background and print paper behind solid background
- High contrast paper to mat to the right of photo
- Add stamping behind left side of photo between photo and matting
- Add title below photo
- Add journaling below title
- Use embellishments that follow the diagonal of page



SHELF

- 1 photo
- 2 strips paper to compliment photo – not go all way across page
- Add journal card and journaling next to picture
- Neutral background and white mat around picture
- Title below photo
- Add embellishments on shelf
- Add ribbons or banners, and small embellishments in left hand corner



BRACKET

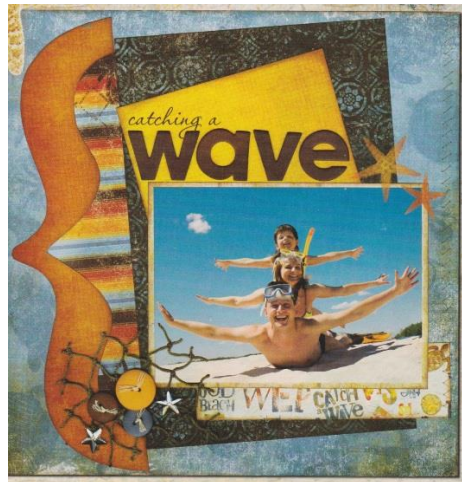
- 1 to 2 photos – vertical shaped
- Select 2 dominant colors to add strip of paper vertical and horizontal
- Choose more 2 more different strips of paper horizontal
- Choose background paper
- Add title and journaling
- Add embellishments in right corner so photos are inside the bracket



GRID

- Way to use many photos
- Insert photos into blocks

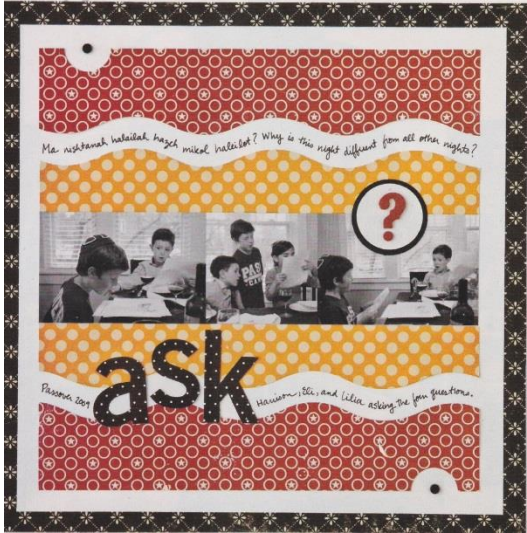
- Add background paper
- Journal in one of the grids
- Title
- Embellishments (keep it simple)



WHAT DO YOU SEE?



FOCAL POINT



BAND



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ONE PHOTO

REFERENCES

- Debbie Hodge – Get It Scrapped debbiehodge.com
- Linda Sattgast – DigitalScrapper.com

There are many other sources to get examples for scrapping if you have a lack of creativity. We all have those moments! Just do a search and you will come up with lots of ideas!