REINDEER FLYING LESSONS AND WARM HEART SNOWMEN POST Mold Numbers

2443 "Reindeer Flying Lessons" Reindeer 11"T \$70.00

2365 Long Snow Base 11.5"T \$22.00

2445 "Warm Heart" Snowman Post 14"T \$54.00

Materials Needed

OPAQUE STAINS: Confederate Blue, Summer Blue, Baby Blue, Medium Blue, Light Turquoise, White, Purple, Light Pink, Pale Yellow, Persimmon, Orange Peel, Curry, Dark Yellow, Black, Chocolate Fudge, Saddle Brown, Butterscotch and Bright Blue.

ULTRA METALLICS: Bright Gold and Silver.

MISC.: Various size clear globe lights.

PREPARATION: After removing cast from mold, cut out area and make holes as desired. Place proper holes for electrical hookup. Allow to dry, clean greenware as usual and fire to cone o4.

BASECOAT: Basecoat color to areas as follows: **Butterscotch** to reindeer, **Chocolate Fudge** to antlers. **Confederate Blue** to all dark blue areas; tree trunks, flight cap, sign post, snowman's hat and scarf. Apply **Summer Blue** to some snowflakes, snowgirl's blue areas of hat and reindeer scarf. **Medium Blue** to trees, reindeer's sign, snow bases, snowmen bodies and large cut out snowflake. Apply **1:3 mix of Light Turquoise and Baby Blue** to snowgirl's scarf, some snowflakes and cold nose, warm heart sign. **Pale Yellow** to yellow snowflake, **Purple** to purple snowflakes and snowman's hat band and **Light Pink** to trim on snowgirl's hat and pink snowflake. **White** to reindeer's sweater and light cord.

METALLIC WASH: Thin the Bright Gold down with 2 parts water to 1 part Gold, mix well. Apply the wash over the entire reindeer piece and base, allow to dry undisturbed. Thin the Silver down with 2 parts water to 1 part Silver, mix well, apply the wash over the entire warm heart snowman piece. Allow to dry undisturbed.

DRYBRUSH: Drybrush reindeer's body with 2 coats of Butterscotch, highlight lightly adding lvory to your brush, blush cheeks with Peach. Drybrush antlers with 2 coats of Chocolate Fudge followed with Saddle Brown. Lighten tips of antlers with White added to your brush. Drybrush all other original basecoat colors back onto each areas, lighten each color using white. Use more White where necessary.

PAINT: Reindeer's hooves and nose black, snowmen noses with Persimmon and star mouths with Curry.

DRYBRUSH: Black areas with Charcoal, highlight with a small amount of White added to your brush. Drybrush snowman noses with Orange Peel, highlight with White. Paint Dark Yellow on top of Curry, leaving a Curry Edge.

PAINT: All eyes using Bright Blue for the irises. Paint words on sign using White and Confederate Blue. Paint snap on flight cap using Bright Gold. **FINISH:** Glue in clear globe lights, hook up electrical.

OPEN SKATING SNOWMAN, MERRY CHRISTMAS REINDEER AND

SNOWMAN TREE CLIMBER

Mold Numbers

2444 "Merry Christmas" Reindeer Post 15"T \$54.00

2446 Snowman Tree Climber "Let It Snow" 14.5"T \$48.00

2447 "Open Skating" Snowman 11"T x 12"L \$70.00

2448 Ice Base 11"W \$26.00

Materials Needed

OPAQUE STAINS: Butterscotch, Chocolate Fudge, Saddle Brown, Clove, Rust, Ivory, Christmas Green, Medium Green, Pale Yellow, Medium Blue, Dark Yellow, Magenta, Fire Thorn, Bright Red, Rainforest Green, Holly Green, Northern Blue, Concord, Pansy, Purple, Persimmon, Orange Peel, Curry, Charcoal, Bright Blue, Black and White.

METALLICS: Silver

TRANSLUCENT STAIN: Tan Sparkle

MISC.: Electrical hookups, globe lights and tree star.

PREPARATION: After removing cast from the mold, place holes for globe lights in trees and light string. Place proper holes in base for electrical. Open up pourgate in sign side of "Open Skating" for easier lighting. Allow to dry and clean greenware in the usual manner, replacing texture using the TL-9 texture tool. Fire to cone 04.

BASECOAT: Basecoat color to areas as follows: **Blue mix – 1:3 Light Turquoise and Baby Blue** – To all snowmen, snow and Ice Base. **Butterscotch** – Tree trunks and "Let it Snow" and "Open Skating" Sign. **Curry** – Both sign posts, skating snowman's scarf and snowkid's hat trim and mittens, plus one light on light string. **Christmas Green** – To all trees and boy reindeer's shirt. **Fire Thorn** – To all red areas. **Magenta** – To snowkid's hat, scarf and skates. **Northern Blue** – to snowman skates, light on light string and climbing snowman's hatband. **Concord** – To climbing snowman's scarf and a light on light string. **Persimmon** – To light on light string. **Charcoal** – To skate blades. **Rainforest Green** – To the light string. **Chocolate Fudge** – Reindeer bodies and antlers.

ANTIQUE: Antique all pieces using Tan Sparkle, wipe off excess with soft cloth. **DRYBRUSH:** Using the same drybrush, drybrush reindeer with 2 coat of the following colors in the order that they are given: Saddle Brown, Clove, Rust Butterscotch. Highlight lightly with Ivory added to your brush. Blush

cheeks with Peach added to your brush. Drybrush antlers the same as the reindeers using more color as you reach the tip of the antlers, highlight with White. Drybrush snowman and all snow areas with 2 coat of the blue mix Followed with 1 coat of Ivory, followed with 2 to 3 coats of White. Blush cheeks lightly with Peach added to your brush. Drybrush Open Skating, Let it Snow sign and other Butterscotch areas with 2 coats of Butterscotch. Follow with 2 coats of Ivory added to your brush to highlight. Drybrush Curry areas with 2 coats of Curry, followed with 2 coat of Dark Yellow, highlight with Ivory and then White added to your brush. Drybrush trees and reindeer's shirt with 1 to 2 coats of Christmas Green followed with 2 to 3 coats of Medium Green, highlight by adding

Pale Yellow to your brush. Drybrush blue areas with 1 to 2 coats of Northern Blue, followed with 1 to 2 coats of Bright Blue, highlight with Ivory and then White added to your brush. Drybrush purple areas with 1 to 2 coats of Concord, followed with 1 to 2 coats of Pansy, followed with 1 to 2 coats of Purple, highlight with Ivory and then White added to your brush. Drybrush Magenta area with 1 to 2 coats of Magenta, highlight with Ivory and then White added to your brush. Drybrush red areas with 1 to 2 coats of Fire Thorn followed with 2 to 3 coats of Bright Red, highlight lightly with Persimmon. Drybrush orange light and snowmen noses with 1 to 2 coats of Persimmon followed with 2 coats of Orange Peel. Lightly highlight with Ivory and then White added to your brush. Drybrush light cord with 1 to 2 coats of Rainforest Green followed with 2 coats of Holly, highlight lightly with Ivory added to your brush.

PAINT: Snowman's hats, reindeers hooves and noses using Black. Paint all snowflakes with Medium Blue.

DRYBRUSH: Snowman's hats lightly with charcoal. Drybrush snowflakes with 3 to 4 coats of White.

PAINT: Words using Bright Red and White as shown. Paint snowman's star mouth with Curry, when dry paint stars with Dark Yellow leaving an edge of Curry. Paint all eyes using Bright Blue for the Irises.

FINISH: Glue in all globe lights, hook up with electrical.

BIRTHSTONE FROGS

Mold Numbers

2449 Jan/Feb Birthstone Frogs 8"T & 6.5"W \$40.00

2450 March/April Birthstone Frogs 5"x 5" & 5"x 7" \$40.00

2451 May/June Birthstone Frogs 6"x 5" \$40.00

2452 July/Aug Birthstone Frogs 7"x 5.5" & 6"x 4.5" \$40.00 2453 Sept/Oct Birthstone Frogs 7"x 5.5" & 6"x 4.5" \$40.00 2454 Nov/Dec Birthstone Frogs 5.2"x 5.5" & 7.5"x 4" \$40.00

Materials Needed

OPAQUE STAINS: Avocado, Medium Green, Lemon Grass, Garnet, Magenta, Light Pink, Peach, Curry, Dark Yellow, Fire Thorn, Bright Red, Medium Blue, Baby Blue, Summer Blue, Concord, Pansy, Purple, Sherwood Dark, Christmas Green, Bright Green, Miami Pink, Persimmon, Azalea, Confederate Blue, Light Turquoise, Black, White and Bright Blue.

METALLICS: Bright Gold.

MISC.: Rhinestones (desired size)

PREPARATION: Clean greenware in the usual manner. Lightly tap cleaned seams with a wet sponge to match texture. Fire to cone 04.

BASECOAT: All frogs with Avocado. Bannners and color of crown areas as follows: January – Garnet. Feburary – Concord. March – Medium Blue. April – Ivory. May – Sherwood Dark. June and October – Magenta. July – Fire Thorn. August – Avocado. September – Confederate Blue. November – Curry. December – Light Turquoise.

METALLIC WASH: Make a wash of 2 parts water to 1 part Bright Gold, mix well. Quickly apply wash to frogs, allow to dry undisturbed. Do this over a sink as the

pieces will be dripping.

DRYBRUSH: Frogs and August banner and color areas of crown with 2 coats of Avocado followed with 2 coats of Medium Green, highlight with Lemon Grass and then Ivory in your brush, drybrush extra coats of Ivory and then White to the center of the banner. Drybrush banners and color areas of crowns as follows: January – 2 coats of Garnet followed with 1 to 2 coats of Magenta, lightly highlight with a small amount of lvory added to your brush. February -2coats of Concord followed with 1 to 2 coats of Pansy and 1 to 2 coats of Purple, highlight with Ivory added to your brush. March – 2 coats of Medium Blue followed with 2 coats of Baby Blue, lightly highlight with White added to your brush. April – 2 to 3 coats of Ivory, highlight with White. May – 2 coats of Sherwood Dark followed with 1 to 2 coats of Christmas Green and 1 coat of Bright Green, highlight with lvory added to your brush. June – 2 coats of Magenta followed with 1 to 2 coats of Miami Pink, highlight with Light pink and then with White. July – 2 coats of Fire Thorn followed with 2 coats of Bright Red, highlight with Persimmon added to your brush. August – as frogs above. September – 2 coats of Confederate Blue followed with 2 coats of Summer Blue, highlight with White added to your brush. **October** – 2 coats of Magenta followed with 1 to 2 coats of Azalea and then Light Pink, highlight with White. November -2 coats of Curry followed with 2 coats of Dark Yellow, lighten with White added to your brush. **December** – 2 coats of Light Turguoise followed with 2 coats of the Blue mix (3:1 Baby Blue and Light Turguoise), highlight with White added to your brush. Using Bright Gold Metallic, drybrush the gold areas of the crowns about 2 to 3 coats.

PAINT: Eyes, using Bright Blue for the irises.

FINISH: Glue rhinestones as desired to crown using 521 Bond glue.

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