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## Founder's Note



Welcome to the month of May! I am so excited to see the days of Spring sneaking in! I feel so much energy, excitement and enjoyment for life at this time of year! It's kind of like being a kid again—looking forward to the bright, sunny day ahead! Which is why we've chosen our Childish Things collection to be featured this month! This line is filled with fun, happy patterns that bring a smile to your face! And, don't let the name fool you, it's definitely for children and adults alike! The shabby, vintage patterns make me feel nostalgic and happy and suit my kids vibrant personalities as well! We know that you'll love this collection for all sorts of spring and summer projects! Plus, the ideas our team has come up with in this newsletter make you want to head to your scrap space to start creating! So, stock up on the Childish Things collection while it's still in stores and enjoy some fancy scrapping time with this fun collection!

Jodi



## Meet Pocket Chick: Jing-Jing Nickel



Greetings! I am Jing-Jing Nickel. Pronounce it like there are nickels in your pocket making that jingling noise! :) I am so delighted to be an official Pocket Chick for Fancy Pants Designs, whose innovative products have been staples in my scrap room for years! I have been scrapbooking since 1999. Back then it was the most perfect extension of my love for traveling and travel photography. Then with the birth of my first child, a new dimension of scrapbooking as well as a new realm of creative possibilities was born with her. Today and every day, I scrap my family, my trips, and my family on trips. No matter what my subjects are, I always stylize them with some humor :) While I am not scrap-booking, I also work full time as an I.T. engineer.

Learn more about Jing-Jing and see more of her creativity at work on our blog at [www.missfancypants.typepad.com](http://www.missfancypants.typepad.com)



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# Childish Things

Take a walk down memory lane. Remember the carefree joy of being a kid ... running through the neighborhood, laughing, skipping and running ... this is what Childish Things is all about!



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# Exclusive Project: Photo Folder



Photo Folder: Yuki Shimada



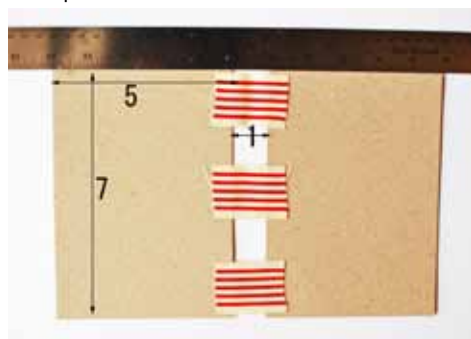
## Fancy Pants Designs supplies:

Childish Things: Book Shelf patterned paper  
 Childish Things: Imagination patterned paper  
 Childish Things: Recorder patterned paper  
 Childish Things: Snacktime patterned paper  
 Childish Things: Buddy patterned paper  
 Childish Things: Strips patterned paper  
 Childish Things: Trims  
 Childish Things: Buttons  
 Childish Things: Alpha Stickers

Childish Things: Element Stickers  
 Childish Things: Chipboard Pieces  
 Childish Things: Filter Embellishments  
 Childish Things: Brag Book Kit  
 Be You: True Original 2x2 Stamp  
 Artist Edition: Metal Charms

Other supplies:  
 sewing machine

- 1 You'll need two 5 x 7" chipboard pieces for photo folder base. Cut three, 2" lengths of Childish Things striped ribbon and adhere to chipboard as shown.



- 2 Create the cover from Childish Things patterned paper and trim. Before adhering the base, stitch 8" ribbons to the both sides of cover papers.



I added an Artist Edition Metal Charm, Childish Things Chipboard Piece and Be You Stamp.

- 3 Adhere patterned papers to back side. Photo sizes are: 4 x 6", 4 x 3", 2.5 x 3".

Embellish around photos with Childish Things Buttons, Stickers, Chipboard Pieces, Trim and Filter Embellishments. I used Childish Things Alpha Stickers for the title work on this project.



For more fun project ideas, visit our blog [missfancypants.typepad.com](http://missfancypants.typepad.com)

# Inspiration Gallery



Frame: Betsy Veldman



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Layout: Kim Watson



Layout: Sarah Mullanix



Tags: Piradee Talvanna



Layout: Jing-Jing Nickel



Layout: Yuki Shimada



Layout: Vicki Chrisman



Memo Board: Tracie Hudson



Contest Fun!  
Join us on our blog for some fun in the month of May! We have a fun Trivia Game each Tuesday and a month long Layout Contest! Click [here](#) for more details!

For more ideas on how to use Fancy Pants Designs products visit:

