

Curtain Backdrop Card with Ice Cream Character

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Create a dimensional card using the Yum Chums paper to make a curtain backdrop effect. The card features a cute ice cream character positioned in front of draped curtains, giving a theatrical spotlight effect that makes the character the focal point.

From our live show **THE THURSDAY DROP - Brand New Launch from Simon and AVAGO-INK with guest presenter Toni - Broadcast 16th April 26** (16 April 2026) - watch it from 32:45.

WHAT YOU WILL NEED

- Stamps By Me Waste Free Die Set- Wavy Arches - 260424D
- Stamps By Me - Avago Ink- Yum Chums Collection - 090426A

Cut the Yum Chums paper into strips to create the curtain effect, measuring $6\frac{3}{4}$ by 5 inches to fit perfectly on your card base. Watch this step: 33:00 into the show

Mount the curtain strips onto a piece of card so they overlap without showing any edges. Watch this step: 33:15 into the show

Apply sticky pads to the back of the curtain pieces to give them dimension and lift them away from the card.

Watch this step: 34:45 into the show

Stamp the ice cream character onto white card using the Yum Chums stamp set.

Watch this step: 35:30 into the show

Colour the ice cream character using pale colours and watercolour techniques to add shading and depth.

Watch this step: 39:00 into the show

Cut out the coloured character and mount it onto black card.

Watch this step: 39:15 into the show

Position the character in front of the curtain backdrop to create the spotlight effect.

Watch this step: 39:30 into the show

Add a sentiment stamp to complete the card.

Watch this step: 39:45 into the show

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TIPS FROM THE SHOW

- You can use the paper as a single flat layer without dimension if preferred, as the paper already has lovely depth built in.
- If you don't like wasting paper, you can get three cards from one sheet by cutting it strategically.
- The shaped dies go around the main characters, so you don't need to fill the entire card with images.





PRODUCTS USED

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