



So you've got a need for
trend-conscious
décor
THAT CAN'T
BE tamed.

Here's our remedy—a
stylish soirée with loads
of darling decorations
and shimmery jewelry
embellishments.

big top jewelry shop

{CREATIVE INSPIRATIONS *free* FROM HOBBY LOBBY.}

call OF THE WILD

This preppy-meets-eclectic spread turns a low-key gathering into an all-glam affair. The key? A hodgepodge of home décor items, kept in sync with a few fashion-forward guidelines. For color: go bright and bold. For sparkle: add jewelry components and glitter accents. For the wild side in all of us: display mini circus animals as décor!

Make A Wish.



nature CALLS

A bare-wood element brings a down-to-earth vibe, and it balances our bold-is-beautiful setup. We gussied it up a bit by rubbing gold metallic finish around the edges and hanging two-toned pendants from the rim. (It's our version of camouflage—a little shimmer to match the surroundings.)

PENDANT play

Dangly rhinestone pendants and a trendy pennant banner make this crafted cake stand a statement piece. And it's easy to DIY! **Stand:** rhinestone jewelry component on wooden round, glued to turquoise candle holder (sold as is). **Cake topper:** triangle pendant with bead dangles, glued to paper straws at each end.



chain EVENT

Attach jewels, chains or pendants to your wooden round with screw eyes and jump rings. We chose a teardrop pendant for one, rhinestones for another, and color-block chain for the third. It's jewelry gone wild...in the best way possible.



NEAR and DEER Off-the-wall décor is the norm when you're shooting for wonderfully wild style. We sprayed once-rustic antlers (Home Décor Dept.) with gold glitter—then we draped a strand of beads casually over the points. Prop it in a frame, and it's game of another kind.

party ANIMAL This center ring star turns any boring bash into a roaring good time. His best party trick? He's the prettiest place card holder on the road! 1) Paint and embellish a mini elephant figurine. 2) Drill a small hole on the back, and insert beaded wire. 3) Adhere initial card to top.

ACE OF PLACES Preppify each place setting with a sprinkling of glitter, paint and jewels. **Charger:** Spray a bare wood plate with glitter, and adhere opal cup chain to perimeter. **Utensils:** Dip gold plastic forks (Card and Party Department) in baby blue paint at ends, as shown.

shadow SHOW Busy-bee hostesses, rest at ease. Ultra-simple DIY décor goes glitzy with this shadowbox glam-up. To make it: Spray paint the box, line with a cheeky chevron paper, and fill with any-size beads.



more IS MORE

More patterns, more colors, more sparkle. That's how we like it when it comes to putting the fun in funky-fab party décor. And nothing is off limits—search the store for pretty papers (Papercrafting Department), party essentials (Card and Party), decoration basics (Home Décor), and a troupe of trend-savvy jewelry embellishments. Put it together, and what have you got? One modern DIY party scene.



Pennants: Trace design of choice on patterned paper and cut.

Ovals: Layer kraft paper and cardstock.

Letters: Trace and cut letters from a basic font, and cut slits in middle, as shown.

Layer and adhere components, and attach to jewelry chain with jump rings. Add tassels and beads to strand as desired.

Tip: Glam up your gift wrap too! Just glue and go.



sign OF THE TIMES

This mini jewel-bedecked chalkboard easel sets the mood for our mix-match-mod get-together. We painted the bare-wood legs and adhered a rhinestone pendant, but an unpainted easel would be perfect for a toned-down celebration.



love TO LABEL

Our mini chalkboard easels make darling labels for snacks, gifts, etc. Embellish them with baubles from the Jewelry Department, and they double as super sweet table accessories. The best part? You can use and reuse them for every shindig you throw—from showers to birthdays to dinners and more.



pop TOPS

We skipped the candles and chose to top our yummies with color-pop pendants and bead dangles. Glue them to food-safe paper straws, and you've got wish-come-true embellishments that won't blow away.



more THAN STORAGE

These all-purpose storage jars turned food-table cuties prove that the darling really is in the details. We used preppy flower pendants to dress 'em up. Bonus: jars are sold with the chalkboard labels already painted on!

