

Boo-tifully Creepy Halloween Arrangement



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Supplies you will need:

Flowers:

8 – Large Carnations (5 darker, 3 lighter)

1 - Bunch mini-carnations (white or other light color).



3 – Curly twigs - approx. 24" in length.



Some moss – enough to cover top of foam in pot.



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The rest of Your Supplies:

Halloween Container (or round vessel 8" dia) – I found mine at Hobby Lobby



6 – Black Pipe cleaners

3 – Clear Straws (wide ones if you can find them)



6 – Wiggle Eyes (or make on computer and cut out)



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3 – Halloween Signs (made on computer)



1 – Package Spider Webbing



Glue Gun



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1 – Brick Wet Foam



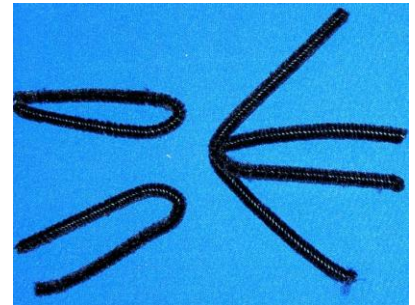
We're all set to put our arrangement together!

STEP 1: Place the foam lengthwise into your container and cut to within 1 1/2" higher than the top. Soak the foam and let it get good and wet.

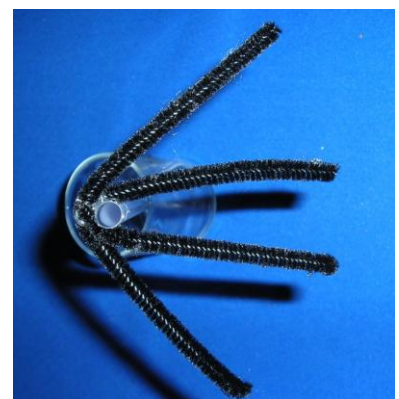


STEP 2: While the foam is soaking we'll make our carnation spiders.

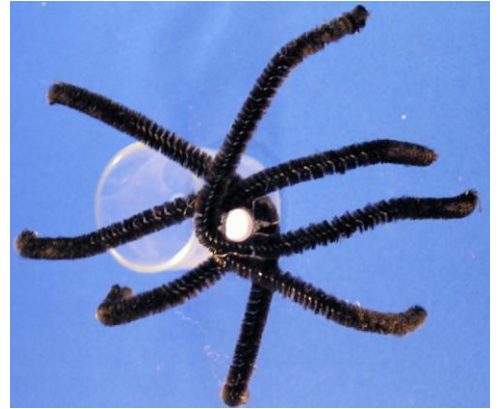
A. Cut the six pipe cleaners in half. Fold in half again. Glue two of the folded halves together this will form 1/2 of our spiders legs. Do the same with remaining pipe cleaners until you have 6 sets of 4 legs.



B. Take one set of four legs and glue around one side of straw. Repeat this step for remain two straws.



C. Glue second set of legs to other half of straw to complete legs.



D. This is a side angle side of how the completed straw should look.



E. Next cut the straw to approx. 6" in length. We will be inserting a light colored carnation through the straw to form our spider. Cut the light colored carnations approximately 8" long. You will have to trim the nubby parts of the stems in order to be able to slide the carnation thru the straw. Slide the carnation through the straw until the top reaches the legs. Attach two eye with glue. You now have a creepy spider for your arrangement. Repeat the steps for the two remaining straws and put the flowers back in some water until ready for your arrangement.



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STEP 3: Add some moss to cover the top of the foam.



STEP 4: Add the three twigs. Cut 2 to 20". Put the longest one in the back and each 20" one on each side. This will form the holder for our webbing.



STEP 5: Add the webbing to the twigs. It does not have to be put on thick. Actually, the thinner the better. You want a lacy effect.



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STEP 6: Add the four dark carnations in a backwards "L" shape. Save one dark for last. Add your three spiders on each side of the dark carnations. (as in the picture) I made holes in the foam before inserting the carnations, it makes it a bit easier for getting them into the foam.



STEP 7: Add a few of the mini-carnations to fill in a few of the gaps.



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STEP 8: Add your last dark carnation on the lower right side and the Halloween signs. That's it. You're all done. **CONGRATULATIONS!!**

HAPPY HALLOWEEN!!



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