

Perforated Easter Treat Box Tutorial

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This project uses 1 full sheet of A4 card stock as the box!

Place the long edge to the top of your Simply Scored and score at:

- 2"
- 5"
- 7"
- 11"



Rotate card stock 90° clockwise and score again at:

- 2"
- 6¹/₄"

At this stage, I also **lightly** score at:

- 2¹/₂"
- 3"

These are the two lines you will perforate later on.

On each of the long sides, cut up all the score lines to the first horizontal score line only.

Remove the two smallest sections using your paper snips.



Cut 2 pieces of DSP ~ 4" x 1 3/4"
Cut 1 piece of DSP ~ 4" x 2 3/4"
Adhere to the sections shown below.



Now it's time to perforate along the light score lines we did earlier. I don't have the SU scoring attachment for my trimmer, so I just used a steel ruler and a perforating tool I have had in my drawer for many years!



Now tear along the perforating at the **short** end where the tab will be (see above), but only perforate to the first score line! (This is the tab that will be pulled to open the box to retrieve the goodies inside).

Next, you will need your Extra Large Oval Punch. Fold under the bottom flap, insert the punch where you want your window to be and punch out the shape. You may need some extra muscles here 😊



Front



Back

And you will end up with this!



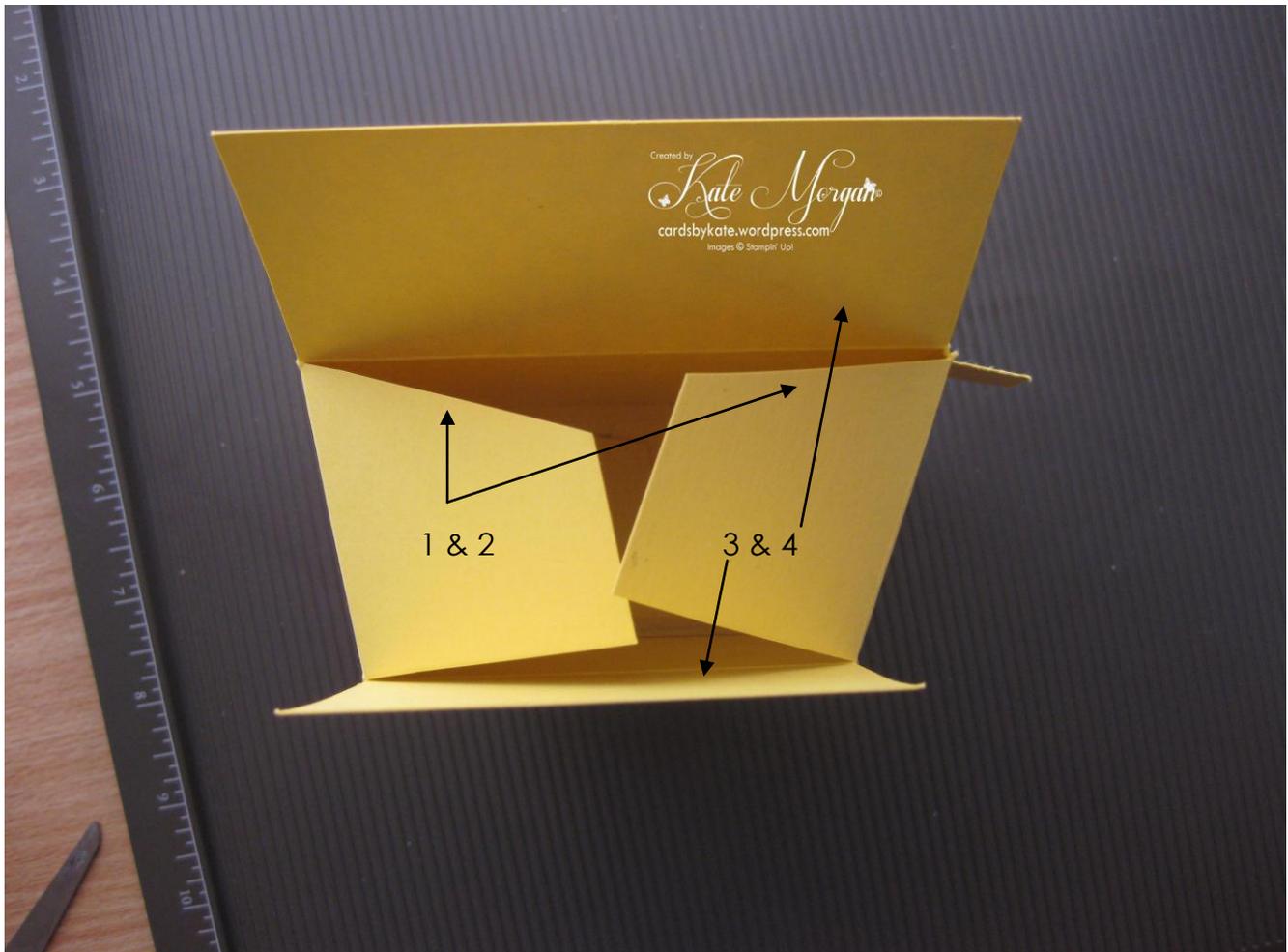
Cut a piece of acetate to fit around the oval and adhere with Tombo Glue as shown below.



You need to close up the sides of the box, by gluing it, but ensure that the little flap is left **outside** the box! This is what will be pulled to open it!!!!



Next you need to close up the bottom of the box by starting with the two side flaps. You will notice they don't fit, so you need to cut two pieces on an angle so they fold in neatly (1&2). These do not need to be perfect, as they cannot be seen once the box is closed. Then fold up the bottom flap (3).



Lastly, fold down the main flap (4). Once again, because of the shape of the box, I sit the box down on its base and draw a line in pencil (see below) and then cut the excess off.



Glue this final flap down.

Now the fun part, fill your Easter Treat Box with yumminess!!!!

Once you have filled your box (without eating too many mini eggs!!!) seal up the top in the same order as you did with the bottom.



Here is another one I made earlier ☺

If you make one of your own, please share it with me, I would be so grateful. And an acknowledgement goes a long way!

Many thanks,

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