

# BLUE BUCKS<sup>®</sup>

## ADVENTURES

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# Make Your Own Blue Bucks® Sailboat

Hey, kids! Here's a fun project that'll turn some empty juice boxes into a Blue Bucks® sailboat! Here's what you'll need to get started:

- Juice Boxes (empty)
- White Glue or Glue Stick
- Tape
- Scissors
- Construction Paper
- Thin Cardstock
- Markers
- Wood Shish Kebab Skewers

First, take your juice boxes and cut a square hole in the top of each one. Rinse out any leftover juice and let dry. Next, tape the two boxes together at the open ends. Run a bead of glue around the joint where the boxes connect and let dry. Now, cut a piece of cardstock to fit the top and glue this to the top of your boat. If you'd like, you may cut a strip of cardstock, fold it in half and glue it to the front to make a pointed bow. Next, cut some construction paper to fit the sides and top of your boat and glue them down. Choose any colors you'd like. Then, you can use the markers to customize your boat. We made ours a nice wood deck by drawing lines for planking, plus a hatch. Now, poke a small hole in the center of your deck just in front of where the boxes are glued together. Take a wood skewer and punch it through the hole until it reaches the bottom. This will be your boat mast. Make a mark on the mast where it touches the deck, and remove for now. Next, cut the flag out of the enclosed insert, wrap it around the top of your mast and glue into place. Let dry.

Now, let's make a sail! Cut two triangle shapes out of white construction paper - one wide and one narrow. Use the photo below as a guide. Make sure they fit between the flag and where you made your mark on the mast! Cut out the two Blue Bucks® Yacht Club logos from the insert. It's O.K. to leave some white space around them. Your sail is white, too. Glue a logo to both sides of your wide sail and let dry. Now glue or tape the sails to your mast. Once finished, and all glue has dried, insert the mast into the hole in your boat deck. Add a dab of glue at the base to secure it. Finish up by cutting out two name plates from the insert and gluing them to the sides of your boat near the front.

Now Milo & Fancy are ready to sail the ocean blue!



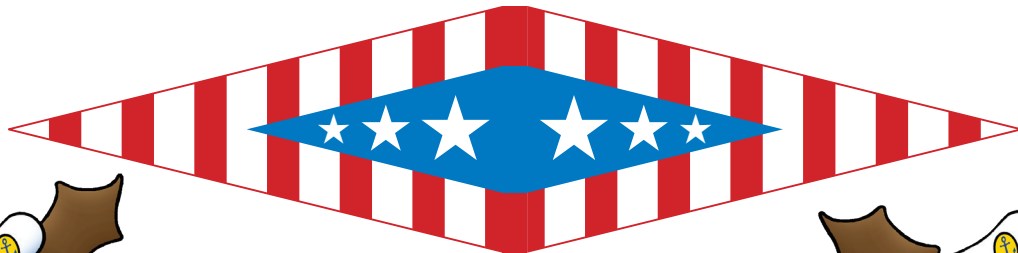
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Ahoy, Blue Bucks® sea-vers! I've got a perfect summer activity for you - a juice box sailboat. This crafty craft is the perfect size for tables, desks or even blue-carpeted floors, plus it can be enjoyed from the first sip to the last snip. Included in this issue of the Blue Bucks Newsletter are instructions for you to make a sailing vessel called the True Blue® Screecher Sail. Fun and easy to make, the True Blue Screecher Sail will soon be ready to embark on your maiden voyage!

I bet you didn't know that sailing and saving have a lot in common. Both start with an "s", end in "ing", and they both need a map. Just as a sailor's map guides them through uncharted waters using landmarks and coordinates, a savings map uses your deposits to help you on your voyage of reaching your saving goals. Good luck as you set those goals and chart your course for saving!

All hands on deck! Until next time!

Milo



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