

# Maritime Lichtboxen

Instructions No. 1603

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🕒 Working time: 1 hour

Create a **highlight** in your home with these **maritime light boxes**. Lightboxes are **easy to make yourself and** to design individually. A **wonderful light source** in your own four walls.



## Preparation of the cardboard frame

First **prime** a round **cardboard frame** with white Acrylic paint and let it dry. Each light box is decorated with **Décopatch** Paper Cut this to size and stick it on the frame. Use a brush and Décopatch Lacquer.

Now place the frame on your **Lamp foil** and mark the outer circle with a pencil. Cut the Lamp foil to size.

**Tip:** Our **star foil Magic Star** conjures up extraordinary light effects. Illuminated with a chain of lights, many shining stars come to light.

## Light box "Ahoi"

**The light box "Ahoi" gets its special look from the flotsam and the shell optic**

The Lamp foil is equipped with **stamping ink**, a **brush** and **Stencil** decorated with Sea shell- or beach motif The best way is to spray Stencil in advance with **temporary spray glues** so it can't slip. Then place the Stencil on your foil and use a brush to dab the design on.

You **can** print out our **lettering "Ahoi"** or you can choose a lettering according to your wishes. Put your message under the foil and paint it with a



**Marker** after. In our example, we have added **further accents to the font** as nights with a **white Marker** .

In the next step you can open the slide with **Handicraft glue** onto the frame. The adhesive seam and thus the edge of the self-made light box is then glued with decorative **Driftwood** ornamented

**Driftwood** and also the **chain of lights** on the back of the light box we have fixed to the frame at some points with hot glue.

## Light box "compass rose"



The Lamp foil of the light box "wind rose" is not painted with the usual Hobby Colour but with stamp ink. Use a **Ink Pads in the colour "Petrol"** and dab the entire cut Lamp foil with a sponge-stabbing brush.

The compass rose of this light box is painted on with a stencil. After the stamping ink has dried, spray the stencil with **temporary spray glue** to prevent it from slipping. The Stencil is placed centrally on the foil and dabbed with **stamping ink** . We have designed our compass rose in Stone Grey . As soon as the ink has dried, the **Craft foil** with **Handicraft glue** can be glued to the frame.

For the light box edge now a **Cotton cord** triple and knot a sailor's knot into it, e.g. a square knot. Glue the Cord with **hot glue** to the edge of the cardboard frame and decorate it according to your personal taste also with shells, **Driftwood** and **scattering**.

Finally, **fix a micro LED light chain** inside the frame with the **hot glue gun**.

**Your atmospheric lighting is ready! Enjoy your new light source and the admiration of your guests.**

## Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
111065	VBS Handicraft glue	1
110921	Spray glue "Masking Glue 201", 250 ml	1
566902-03	edding 404 "permanent marker"Blue	1
542708-05	Staz-On Stamp padNougat	1
542708-06	Staz-On Stamp padDark brown	1
792707	Décopatch paper "Wood look Light brown"	1
688314-01	VBS LED chain of light with switch, circular circuit, 10 LEDsTransparent Cable	1
460170	VBS Cotton cord	1
619318	Shells nature	1
612463	VBS Driftwood	1

560078-80	VBS Craft paint, 15 mlWhite	1
120708	Painting sponge "Stippling Brush", set of 3	1
776820	Paperpatch glue, 70 g	1
789745	Décopatch paper "Color sprinkle ice blue"	1
542708-03	Staz-On Stamp padPetrol	1
688956	VBS Star foil "Magic Star"	1