

WHITE HOUSE HOLIDAY HOW-TOS: “BO-HO-HO” CORSAGES & BOUTONNIERES



A finished “Bo-Ho-Ho” corsage and a finished “Bo-Ho-Ho” boutonniere

MATERIALS

Scissors

Hot glue gun & glue

Double-sided clear tape

Satin ribbon

Clothespins

Elastic wristband

Artificial leaves

INSTRUCTIONS

1. Cut a nine-inch piece of ribbon and line one side along the bottom edge with clear double-sided tape.
2. Start by rolling up two inches of ribbon into a tight coil. Then pinch the remainder ribbon into loops while circling around the middle coil. To build the petals of the flower, fold bigger and bigger loops as you go.
3. Affix the bottom of the flower to the artificial leaves with hot glue. Then, glue the completed bloom to the tip of a clothes pin for a boutonniere, or to an elastic wristband for a corsage.
4. Hot glue a message or name tag to the artificial leaves.