

Hobby Potter Life!

Adventures In Clay With Tammy Jo Schoppet

NOVEMBER PROJECT 2021
Form: Platter/Serving Dish
Design Technique: Stamping



Using These Project Prompts

- Hobby Potter Life projects are meant for inspiration and growth! Whether you are a new or seasoned potter, stepping outside your comfort zone is the surest way to enjoy the process of learning.
- There is tremendous freedom in being a hobby potter! So customize your projects to fit in with YOUR lifestyle, aesthetic, and growth pace.
- Project video selections are only a sampling of the 1,000's of videos to choose from on YouTube! If you feel you need more information, or different perspectives on techniques PLEASE feel free to search YouTube.

SHARE YOUR JOURNEY: Tell us about your experience! On
Instagram: [Instagram.com/hobbypotter](https://www.instagram.com/hobbypotter)

DIRECTIONS:

1. CHOOSE A Form Making Method: Handbuilding or Wheel throwing
2. WATCH the video links for Form Instructions & Design Techniques
Feel free to follow the videos exactly (as a class type scenario) or GO ROGUE and use them as springboards for your own inspired designs or ideas.
3. MAKE & SHARE PHOTOS SOMEWHERE ONLINE! Ask any questions and encourage other potters who are taking the challenge.

** If you post to Instagram use the hashtag [#hobbypotterproject](https://www.instagram.com/explore/tags/hobbypotterproject) and tag [@hobbypotter](https://www.instagram.com/hobbypotter) so we can all find and encourage each other!!

Love & Blessings as you Enjoy The Clay!! ~ Tammy Jo

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HELPFUL TIPS

- If you are attaching functional handles to your platter, be sure to make handles proportionately. Large platters require thicker handles to support the weight.
- Platters are not an easy task! Making sure they stay flat may need some care in rolling or drying. Clay has memory, so do your best to not manipulate it any more than you have to after rolling. DRY SLOWLY and completely to avoid warping and cracking when fired.

INSTRUCTION VIDEOS & RESOURCES

<p>Form Making Videos</p> <p><i>Platter / Dish Tray</i></p>	<p>THROWING</p> <p>Throwing A Large Platter On The Wheel <i>Hsin Chuen-Lin</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/JS2hTrLgBqQ</p>	<p>(Int.) THROWING</p> <p>Throwing a Platter on the Potters Wheel <i>Karens Pots and Glass</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/vbam2fdz_x0</p>	<p>HANDBUILDING</p> <p>Handbuilding A Serving Dish <i>Hobby Potter</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/e5NYjTD_7sA</p>	<p>HANDBUILDING</p> <p>Handbuilding Pottery Tray <i>Troy Made It</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/H26Vu1Ui0CU</p>
<p>Design Technique Videos</p> <p><i>Stamping With Underglaze Or As Texture</i></p>	<p>Stamping With Underglaze Ink Pad <i>Hobby Potter</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/YxaY8XP8Xcw</p>	<p>Making A Stamp Pad for Underglaze <i>Namera Graybeal</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/iZaB8w1_-2o</p>	<p>Platter Stamping by Gary Jackson <i>Gary Jackson</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/d2iQ3bGJ2uE</p>	<p>How to Make Clay Bisque Stamps For Texture <i>Andrea Akerib Pottery</i></p> <p>https://youtu.be/lKDv1-UR2_U</p>

Be Sure To Check Out The Hobby Potter YouTube Channel:

<http://youtube.com/hobbypotter>

NOTES:

Be sure to thank the makers of these videos!

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