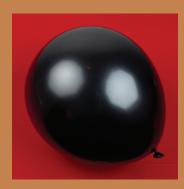


MUMMY PIÑATA



1. Gather your ingredients: string, tape, white crepe paper, water, flour, scissors, a black balloon, glue, newsprint and construction paper.



2. Blow up the balloon until it is slightly larger than a human head.



3. Cut up a bunch of newsprint into strips.



4. Mix one part flour and two parts water to make your paste. Dip the strips into the paste.



5. Let the excess paste drip off of the strip, then wrap it around the balloon. Repeat this until the balloon is completely covered except for a small circle at the bottom of the piñata.



6. Allow time to dry before adding a second and third layer. Let the piñata dry overnight.



7. When the piñata has hardened completely, pop the balloon.



8. Cut a circle out at the bottom of the piñata, leaving a section connected to the piñata so that it hangs off. Remove the balloon and any paper mache dust inside the piñata.





9. Pierce a small hole through the opposite end and thread a knotted string through.



10. Fill the piñata with candy.



11. Tape the bottom closed.



12. Cut a rectangle out of black construction paper, and glue on a pair of eyes.



13. Glue the black rectangle to the piñata.



14. Glue the end of a white crepe paper streamer to the back of the piñata. Wrap the crepe paper around the piñata, gluing periodically. Only a part of the eyes should be left uncovered.



15. Hang the mummy piñata from the ceiling and invite your guests to try unraveling the candy! #HalloweenHills