

4630 Chocolate Glitz

1. Make a backboard for the foundation of the container by cutting a piece of cardboard twice as tall as the drum and slightly less than the width of the container.
2. Stuff the silver drum with newspaper and secure the backboard about $\frac{3}{4}$ of the way towards the back of the drum. Cover the foundation with the black tissue. There should only be about $\frac{1}{2}$ give to the foundation when you press down.
3. Starting from the back of the container prop items from left to right, beginning with small top seller sampler in an acetate box and biscotti in acetate box. Stand at angles on both the left and right edges of the backboard and drum. Secure with stickie.
4. Next add sealed chocolate-coated krispie standing on the left and sealed pretzel sampler on the right. Place the caramel apple in the center. Apple should be wrapped in Saran Wrap, which has been pulled up around the stick and tied with a ribbon. It may be necessary to secure all the products together with stickies so they will remain upright.
5. In front of the apple but slightly toward the right, place chocolate bar. Fill in the front of the container with the foil wrapped hearts. Fill in spaces between the products with cosmic stardust.
6. Make a bag at least three times taller than the drum and its contents. Put the drum inside the bag and pull the bag up, gathering it together about four inches above the tallest item. Secure the top with wire.
7. Shrink the bag bottom and sides first, being careful not to heat the part above the wire. Cut one yard of iridescent overwrap. Crumble it up in a ball and spread it out to bring out the color. Gather one side of the overwrap and secure it with a two-inch piece of tape. Using another piece of tape, secure the overwrap to the back bottom of the drum while pulling it up to hide the back of the foundation board and add height and glitz. Secure the overwrap with wire in the same place that the shrink-wrap is wired. Fluff up the top.
8. Using 1 yard of ribbon unevenly divided, add streamers down both sides and attach with stickies. This will give the illusion of being larger.
9. Dip a piece of a stickie in the cosmic stardust and add it to the bow for some sparkle.

Note: This is a sophisticated, glitzy gift that can be easily customized by making it all dark or all milk chocolate or a combination of both! It can be upgraded by having the customer choose a more costly caramel apple. This container also has a perishable item in it. If you make your display with a fake apple make sure the container doesn't leave the store without a fresh caramel apple. Using different ribbon can help to create an entirely different look, as well. Use a display sign with your price inserted (available online).

Miscellaneous Items	Cost
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1.	Silver Bowl	Willow Specialties, #86135 pg. 31	1.50
2.	Tissue, 2 sheets, black or your choice		.20
3.	Ribbon, 3 yds.	Gift Box BE-MS2LAV 2 1/2"	.70
4.	Shrink wrap		.25
5.	1 yd., Iridescent overwrap	Gift Box PU-30IRI	<u>.81</u>
			3.46

Kilwin's Items	Cost
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1.	4218 Dark Krispie with white stripe, sealed		\$.73
2.	4533 Pretzel Rod Sampler, mk/dk/wht with stripe, sealed		1.14
3.	4789 2 Biscotti/2 Dk. Shortbread with wht stripe		2.76
4.	Small Top Seller Sampler		3.56
5.	1088 Dark Chocolate Bar		.75
6.	4015 Caramel Apple with Dark Chocolate Stripes or 4014 Caramel Apple with Milk Chocolate Stripes		.70
7.	4107 Dark Chocolate-dipped Oreo with topper (add cost of chosen topper)		.31
8.	1302 5 Dark Chocolate gold hearts		<u>.45</u>
			\$10.40

	Total Product Cost	<u>\$13.86</u>
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	Selling Price	_____
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Shipping/Handling

**Foil candies may change, according to what you sell in your area. Ribbon color may vary according to what is best in your area.*

Container ingredients may be substituted according to availability.

