

Festive Clipboard Projects



We have a tradition of giving 'Tree Presents' in our house. As far back as I can remember, we used to be able to look forward to more pressies, after the main ones had been opened, usually with great excitement at the crack of dawn.

These little gifts would be opened at tea-time, usually after having been out all afternoon (if you were lucky, it would be in the snow) and having burnt off a huge Christmas lunch.

As their name suggests, they would be hung or positioned on the Christmas tree, with the aim of hiding them behind ornaments and in the foliage, to make it even more exciting to find.

Tree presents are small gifts and trinkets, to avoid the risk of toppling over the whole tree. One person would be elected to hand out the gifts and woe betide anyone who forgot anyone else!

We have continued this tradition in my own household and so, I am always looking for tiny gifts to put on the tree for my family. This was the inspiration for this project.

I have made three different ones, a simple photo clipboard, a post it note and a photo calendar. Each are made in much the same way, with different embellishments and they all have magnets on the back, so they can be stuck to the fridge.



If you want to see how these are made, find out where to get the materials and get the free printable calendar, 'll be posting details in a following blog post.