



All of us at the Lake Huron Coastal Centre wish you and your family a very merry holiday season.

HOLIDAY HOURS

Please note that we will be closing for the holidays at 12:00 pm on December 23rd and reopening on January 2nd.

If you would like to get in touch with us you can send us an [email](#), and we will respond as soon as we can when we re-open in January.



NEED A LAST MINUTE GIFT?

Still need a Christmas gift? This holiday season you can give your Mom, Dad, Aunt Diane, or Cousin Amanda **the gift of a cleaner, healthier Lake Huron** by making a

donation in their name to the Lake Huron Coastal Centre.



SEASON'S GREETINGS

Custom E-cards are available to send to let them know that you made a **donation in their honour!** When [donating online](#), simply click 'in honour of' and select the e-card you like best.

GIVE
TODAY

Eco Friendly Christmas Craft

Try It At Home!

Looking for a fun Christmas activity that won't hurt your wallet or the environment? Try an eco friendly Christmas craft! Wrap it as a gift or hang it up for decoration!

What you need:

- Wreath frame
- Wire
- Scissors
- Ribbon (Medium/large thickness)
- Moss
- Foliage and pine (A selection of hardy foliage and pine (a mix of different shades of greens and textures works really well))
- Decorations (seed heads, pine cones, cinnamon sticks, orange/lime slices, or bells. Have fun with it!)



Fun tip: Get outside and collect the moss, foliage and pine from your yard!

Step 1: Attach one end of the wire to your frame with a few twists.

Step 2: Secure bundles of bunched up moss to the frame by wrapping the reel wire around them.

Step 3: Continue adding bunches of moss until the whole frame is covered with an even distribution. Keep the reel wire attached to the wreath. Assemble small bundles of your mixed foliage and pine – it works best to keep larger bits of foliage and pine at the back of the bundle.

Step 4: Lay a bundle of foliage on the wreath and secure firmly using the reel wire. Add more bundles in the same direction, overlapping with the previous one.

Step 5: Continue adding bundles of leaves until the frame is evenly covered. Cut the reel wire, leaving enough to secure at the back by twisting it around itself.

Step 6: Attach a ribbon by doubling it around your wreath underneath the foliage, leaving it long enough to attach to your door. It's a good idea to hold up the wreath and look at the shape before you decide where to attach the ribbon.

Step 7: Cut long lengths of reel wire to make 'legs' for your decorations (to attach them to the wreath). To do this, bend the wire in half and attach with a few twists around a suitable point on your decoration (such as the stem or around the pine cone).

Step 8: Attach the decorations at random intervals around the wreath by separating out the 'legs' of the wire and securing them at the back of the wreath with a few twists. Use the ribbon to hang your wreath on a door or suitable place and enjoy your Christmas wreath!

Original article found [here](#)



Reference

Williams, Z. (2022, November 18). *How to make a Christmas Wreath*. Retrieved from Gathered: <https://www.gathered.how/arts-crafts/how-to-make-a-christmas-wreath/>



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