

CORN DOLLY CLUB



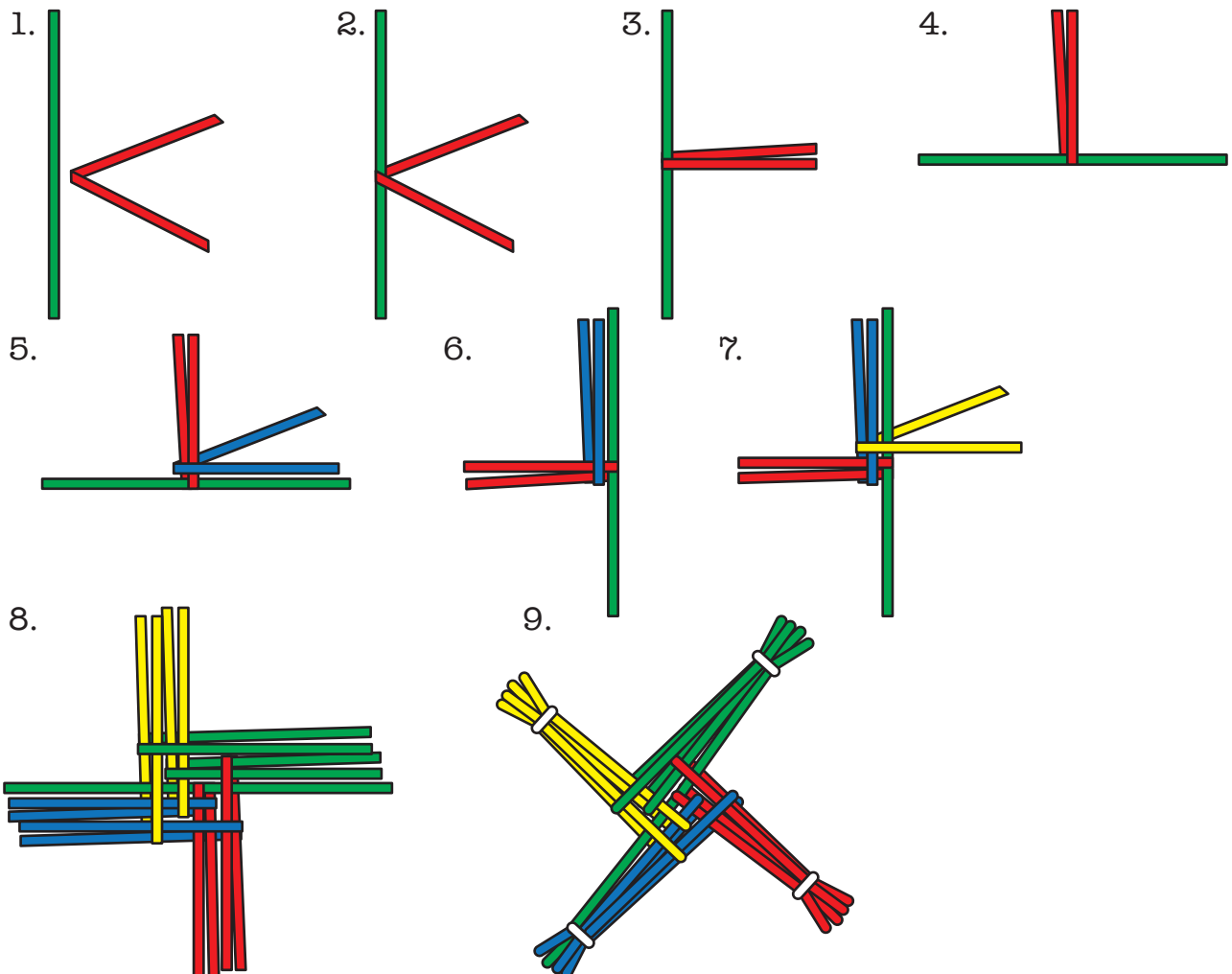
HOW TO MAKE A ST BRIGID'S CROSS

You will need:

9 extra long paper straws

4 small rubber bands or thread for tying

1. Hold a green straw vertically. Fold a red straw in half as in the diagram.
2. Place the green vertical straw in the centre of the folded red straw.
3. Hold the centre overlap tightly between thumb and forefinger.
4. Turn the two straws held together 90 degrees counter clockwise so that the open ends of the red straw are projecting vertically upwards.
5. Fold a blue straw in half and over both parts of the red straw to lie horizontally from left to right against the green straw. Hold tight.
6. Holding the centre tightly, turn the three straws 90 degrees counter clockwise so that the open ends of the blue straw are pointing upwards.
7. Fold a yellow straw in half over and across all the straws pointing upwards.
8. Repeat the process of rotating all the straws 90 degrees counter clockwise, adding a new folded straw each time until all nine straws have been used up to make the cross.
9. Secure the arms of the cross with elastic bands. Trim the ends to make them all the same length. The St Bridget's Cross is now ready to hang.



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HOW TO MAKE A BRIDEY OR BRIGID'S DOLL

You will need:

scraps of wool or rafia

a postcard sized (15 x 10.5cm) piece of stiff card

scissors

1. Wind the wool 15 times around the short length of the card.
2. Slide off and tie at each end to form the hands.
3. Wind the wool 30 times around the long length of the card and place a tie at the top of the card to bunch the wool together.
4. Slide off and tie near the top to form the head. Cut the loops at the bottom
5. Slip the arms through the body just below the tie and tie again to make the waist.

