Let's Make a

Mardi Gras

Shoe Box Float!

What You Will Need:
- Shoe Box with Lid
- Colorful Paper
- Glue
- Tape
- Scissors
- Embellishments to Decorate
  Optional: 4 Straws or Dowel Rods

Directions:
- Remove lid from shoe box and position as the back wall of the float or use as a roof by holding the lid above the “float” with 4 straws or dowel rods. The box can be positioned upside down or right side up to hold trinkets or krewe members on the float.
- Cover the box and lid with colorful paper.
- Decorate! Embellish any way you like with craft supplies you have on hand such as netting, feathers, jewels, beads, ribbon, etc. Adults should assist young artists if using hot glue.
- Parade your float this carnival season 2021 by posting a picture to Facebook, Twitter, or Instagram using the hashtag: #WBRMuseumMardiGras.