

Delightful Summer Wind Flags

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Easy, quick and oh, so beautiful!

I used small silk scarves from Dharma (dharmaTrading.com), tie dye and bamboo polls that we cut from my neighbor's garden. He is an older gentleman and appreciated our pruning efforts. I also enlisted the help of a few neighborhood teenage boys

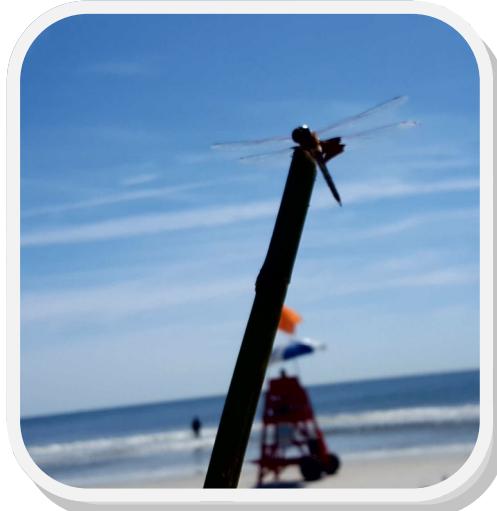
to operate the Fiskar trimmers. I guess this could be called a multi-generational art project!

We took our silk flags down to beach and pained them with dye, right on the sand. They dried in a minute!

We tied them onto the ends of the flag poles and stuck them on the sand. This led to an observation of how Brother Wind was behaving that day.



This inspired some
windy songs to sing,
and lots of colored
sand to play in.



Even Miss Dragonfly
stopped by for tea.