

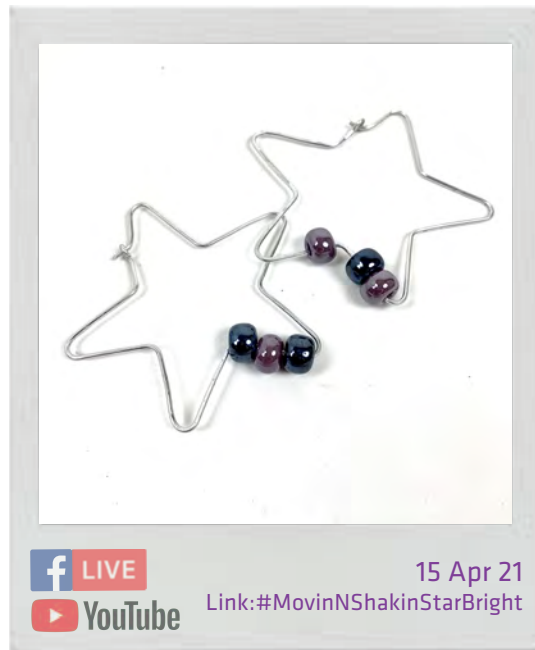


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## MovinNShakin-StarBright (#15-21)

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[Here's the second of my Bring It On!!: A Month of Challenging Elements Made SuperCool designs! This one's called StarBright, the first of the MovinNShakin hoop earring and pendant collection—and the happiest motif shapes perfect for sidling into summer. Each works perfectly with John Bead Fiber Craft (aka pony) Beads due to their size and larger holes. Don't they just make you smile wide open?!!]



### Materials

- Aluminum Wire, 18 gauge
  - Royal Blue [SKU 74720002-08]
  - Silver [SKU 74720002-00]
  - Orange [SKU 74720002-10]
- John Bead Fiber Craft Beads, 7.5mm
  - Metallic Gunmetal [SKU 632 21000-0001]
  - Opaque Lt. Amethyst Luster [SKU 632 21000-0010]
  - Opaque Lt. Royal Blue [SKU 632 21000-0011]
  - Opaque Pale Green [SKU 632 21000-0028]
  - Opaque Lemon Yellow Matte [SKU 632 21000-0032]

### Tools

- John Bead Pro Line Pliers/Cutter Set [SKU 74527341]
  - Round nose [SKU 74527301]
  - Chain nose [SKU 74527300]
  - Side-cutter [SKU 74527320]
- Nylon Jaw Pliers [SKU 74527322]
- Metal Complex Hammer, nylon [SKU 74529456]
- Metal Complex Bench-block, 4" [SKU 74529401]
- MovinNShakin: StarBright pattern [Hand Tool version @ Bead Projects & PDF's from John Bead Facebook group] or [jig version @ [www.BrendaSchweder.Etsy.com](http://www.BrendaSchweder.Etsy.com)]



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## Directions

### Create the StarBright Hoop Earrings

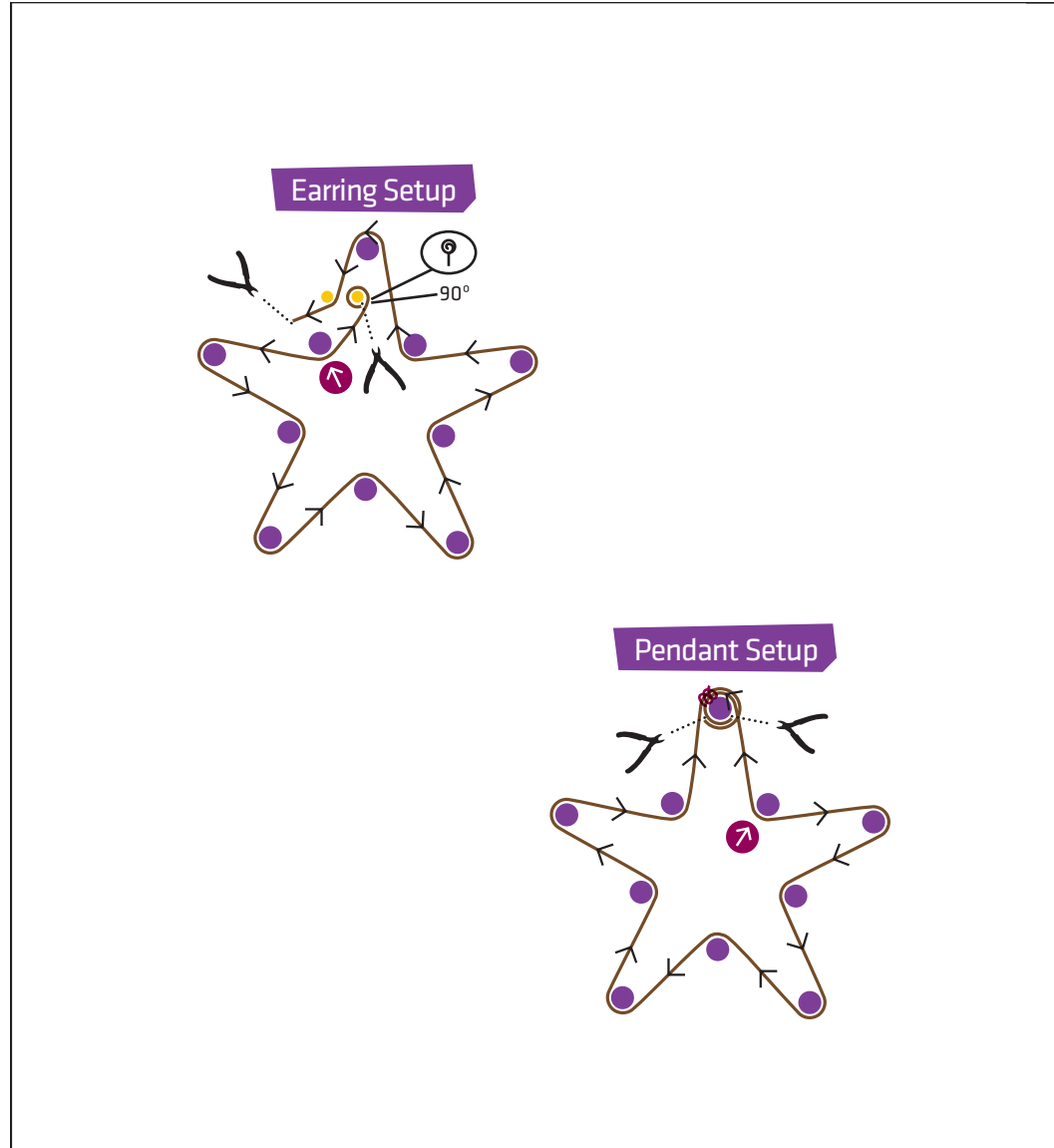
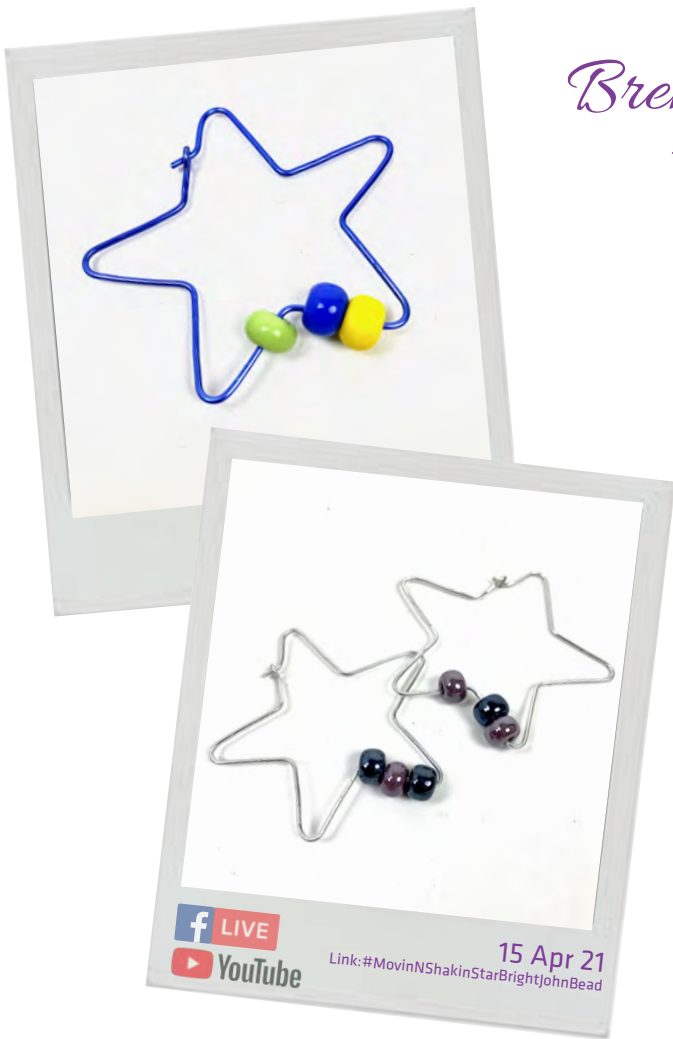
1. Cut two 10" lengths of 18-gauge aluminum wire with a cutter.
2. Referencing the StarBright earring pattern, form the star element with a round nose pliers to match the setup. [Note: Load-on the beads at the desired point of the design—for this star, add them to the bottom points.]
3. Form a tiny loop with a round nose pliers; and jaunty angle for the earring lead following the pattern as well.
4. Trim the loop where the wire begins to overlap, the lead at the cut-mark; and deburr the end with a wire rounder or needle file.
5. Bend a LollipopOnTop angle to the loop.
6. Lightly hammer to flatten and harden the element with a nylon hammer and bench-block [moving the beads to flatten where they are not]. [Secret Sauce: Hammer the whole of the earring with the loop placed well inside of the top point of the star. This creates the memory in the wire and builds-in the tension the earring needs to stay shut while wearing.]
7. Bend the loop perpendicular to itself to accept the lead end.
8. Repeat to form the second hoop earring.

### Create the StarBright Pendant

1. Cut a 10" length of 18- OR 12-gauge aluminum wire with a cutter.
2. Referencing the StarBright pendant pattern, form the star element with a round nose pliers to match the setup. [Note: Add-in the beads at the desired point of the design—for this star, add them on the bottom points.]
3. Form two loops with a round nose pliers following the pattern as well.
4. Trim the loops where the wire begins to overlap and deburr the ends with a wire rounder or needle file. [Note: Open the loops to accomplish this.]
5. Lightly hammer to flatten and harden the element with a nylon hammer and bench-block [moving the beads to flatten where they are not].
6. Cut a 6" length of 18-gauge wire.
7. Overlap and bind the loop ends.
8. Trim and burnish the wire ends.

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Measurement Legend

●	1/32"
●	1/16"
●	1/8"
●	3/8"
●	5/8"
●	7/8"
●	3/16"
●	1/4"
●	1/2"
●	3/4"
●	1"

- Start Here
- Wrap/Bind
- Mirror Image
- LollipopOnTop
- Lead Length / Direction
- End / Cut Here
- BuildOut / BuildIn

- Earring Setup**  
 FocalWire  
 (10") length, 1" ▶  
 20g steel  
 18g other
- Pendant Setup**  
 FocalWire  
 (10") length, 2" ◀  
 14-20g steel  
 12-18g other  
 BindingWire  
 (6") length,  
 28g steel  
 18g other



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