## How To Make a "Jõulukroon"

Preparation: Cut 12 pieces of straw all to the same length.
1/2 straw - for the bigger diamond
$1 / 4$ straw for the smaller diamonds


Step One: With your needle threaded, string 4 pieces of straw together. Be sure to leave a small length of string on the end.


Step two: Tie the ends together to create a diamond shape with the 4 stringed pieces.


Step four: Pull your needle through the straw of one side so that your thread and needle are in the middle position to start stringing more straw in the centre of your diamond.


Step three: String on 2 more pieces and loop your thread around the corner of your diamond to secure it in place. Then, string on 2 more in the same way and tie a knot at the top.


Step five: String another piece and place it between your two diamond sides so that it holds the shape open. Loop you thread around the next side, pulling tightly and repeat for the following 3 sides.


Step six: To secure your shape, tie a knot where you finish. Repeat the process and tie your shapes together in any configuration you wish to make a full "Jõulukroon!"

