

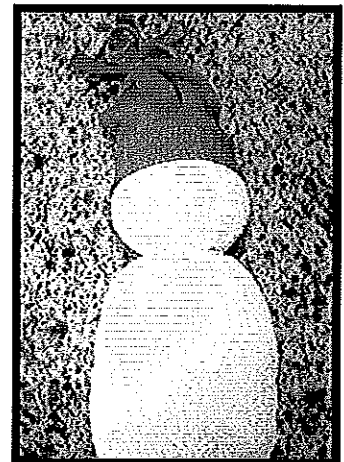
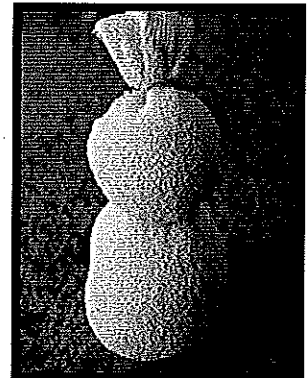
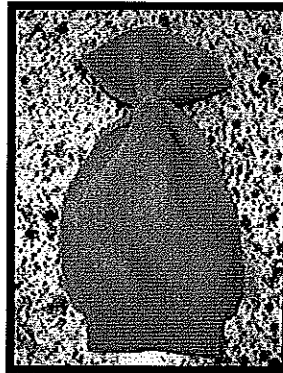
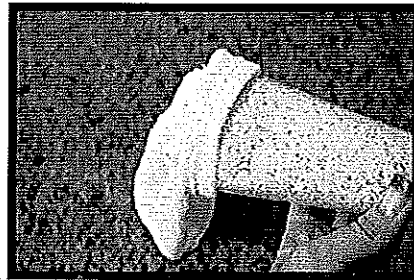


Silly Sock Snowmen

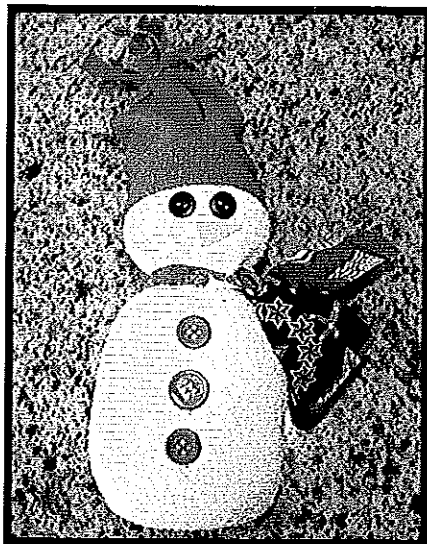
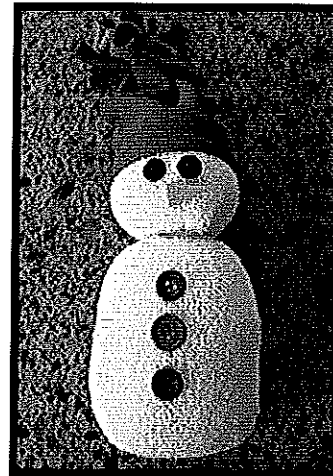
MATERIALS NEEDED: *scissors *rice, beans or plastic pellets
*all white ankle sock *rubber bands *Poly-fill (fiberfill) *clear elastic bands *small black buttons *toddler sock—(we used baby legwarmers, cut in 1/2. These were found on ebay and 1 pair makes 4 snowman hats!) *orange pom-pom or fun foam *assorted buttons *2" wide strip fabric (about 14" long) *OMK dog tag with chain, cut to length

Instructions:

1. Turn the white sock inside out. Pour 1 cup of rice, beans or plastic pellets into the toe of the sock for the snowman base.
2. Use polyester fiberfill to stuff the rest of the sock up to the heel for the snowman's body. Close by wrapping a rubber band several times around the sock at the top of the fiberfill.
3. Wrap a second rubber band around the sock about 1/3 down from the top of the sock for the neck. Now you have the snowman body & head.
4. For the hat, use 1 clear elastic band and wrap around the hat about 1 - 1 1/2 down from the cut edge. Use scissors to make small cuts down to the elastic band to form the 'puff' on the top of the hat.
5. Pull the cuff end of the hat over the top of the snowman's head to cover the rubber band. Use a couple of drop of glue to hold the hat in place if you would like.



6. For the nose, cut a triangle shape out of the orange fun foam or use an orange pom-pom. Use a small drop of glue to place on the snowman's face. Glue two of the black buttons for the eyes. Glue two of the black buttons for the eyes. Glue three buttons down the center front of the body, and tie the fabric 'scarf' around the neck. Thread OMK dog tag onto chain and attach around the snowman's neck.



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