

# FLOWER ARRANGING PARTY CHECKLIST



## WHAT YOU NEED:

Invitations - send them about 4 weeks in advance (try Paperlesspost.com)

\*Ask each guest to bring a grocery store bouquet of flowers

Vases - one per guest; you can get Mason jars from Amazon or inexpensive vases from Dollar Tree

Several large buckets for the flowers (if you need to buy some, check Home Depot)

Assorted ribbon - to tie around the vases

Floral Shears/Scissors

Food - keep it simple with a dessert bar, like "make-your-own strawberry shortcake"

Drinks - plenty of wine, of course, and an assortment of non-alcoholic drinks

Plates/napkins/forks/cups



## WHAT TO DO:

Plan to host your party outside since all the stems and leaves can get messy!

Before the party, setup a flower arranging station on a big table.

Pre-fill the vases and large buckets with water.

Put your shears around the table and put the ribbons at the end of the table.

Have a trash can or two near by for all the floral scraps and cuttings.

As guests arrive, have them unwrap their flowers and add them to the buckets.

Guests can choose from all the flowers that were brought to create their own arrangement to take home.

Don't forget to tie a ribbon around the vase.

Voila! It's that simple! Enjoy beautiful flowers, catching up with friends and a yummy dessert!



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