

# Banner Recipe & Helpful Tips

Candidate Name  
Sponsor Name

**1.5 Yards of Neutral Color Burlap**  
**Banner Should Be 30" X 44"**  
**1.5" X 36" Dowel Rod**

1. Hem edges of burlap by turning back 1" on each side and stitch or glue.
2. Turn down the top of the material 3" to the back side. Stitch the bottom of this folded edge. Stitch another row 1" above and parallel to the previous stitching to make a tunnel for the dowel rod.
3. At the bottom of the banner, stitch another row 3" from the edge as a stop guide for the fringe. Pull threads below this line.

## Helpful Hints

1. Use 3" letters for the name. The can be made from felt, foam or even material that would hold a meaning for the candidate
2. Banner should consist of name and favorite verse and can also include the weekend number or theme.
3. You may also include pictures of family and items that represent special interests or hobbies.
4. Attach a card with the name of your candidate on the outside of the rolled up or folded banner.
5. Remember the banner is an act of love and in the end there is no right or wrong way. Each banner is unique to the sponsor and candidate