Asian longhorned beetle mask

For best results:
Print mask only on cardstock or other thick paper. Apply a thin coat of white school glue or gluestick. Sprinkle all parts liberally with silver and blue glitter. Let dry. Attach twisted white and black (or pale blue and black) pipe cleaners to emerge from top as shown. Cut out eye and string holes. Add string and wear proudly!

Easiest method:
Print mask and antenna page on cardstock or other thick paper. Cut out eye and string holes. Staple on antennae, printed from page 2. Add string and wear proudly!

The Asian longhorned beetle is a non-native invasive tree killing pest that infests and kills maple, birch, and other deciduous trees. You can prevent the spread of this pest by buying local firewood, or certified heat-treated firewood before you go.

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Antenna page: Print out this page if you do not have pipe cleaners available.

Instructions:

Cut out each antenna, giving the edge of the antenna about a ½” of space away from the drawing to provide the paper with more strength. Glue popsicle sticks to the back if available, to prevent flopping over. Staple antennae onto mask as shown, placing the antenna’s black rectangle behind the mask before stapling.

The Asian longhorned beetle is ¾” to 1 ½ ” long with antennae longer than their body. They are very shiny and often have a powder blue color on their feet.

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