**DIY Bird Feeders (allergy warning)**

***Peanut Butter Feeder***

**Materials**

* Bird seed
* Peanut butter
* Pinecone OR toilet paper roll OR large stick
* String

**Steps**

1. Cover the pinecone/toilet paper roll/large stick with lots of peanut butter.
2. Cover the peanut-buttered pinecone with bird seeds.  Make sure to pack it in.
3. Tie a piece of string to the pinecone/toilet paper roll/large stick.  Make sure to think about how the bird will sit on it once you hang it up.  You may require multiple pieces of string.
4. Hang the bird feeder from a tree or a post & watch the birds enjoy the food!

***Cookie Cutter Feeder***

**Materials**

* Corn syrup
* Bird seed
* Pen
* Cookie Cutter
* String

**Steps**

1. Slowly mix the corn syrup and the bird seed together.  The mixture should be just sticky enough to stick together, but not runny with syrup.
2. Place the bird seed mixture into the cookie cutter.  Pack it tightly.
3. Place a pen through the tightly packed mixture to make a hole for a string to go through.  Allow it to dry for a few days.
4. Carefully remove the bird feed from the cookie cutter.
5. Draw a piece of string through the hole created by the pen.
6. Hang the bird feeder from a tree or a post & watch the birds enjoy the food!