

THE NEEDLE DANCER

The Tucson Chapter
American Needlepoint Guild



February 2007

Tucson Chapter ANG Board 2006 – 2007

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ANG Mission Statement

The object of this Guild is for educational and cultural development through participation in and encouragement of interest in the art of needlepoint.

Calendar 2007

February

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8 Board Meeting 6:00	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17 STITCH-IN 10am-5pm
18	19	20	21	22 Day Meeting 10:30 – 3:00	23	24
25	26	27	28 Night Meeting 6:00 pm			

March

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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4	5	6	7	8 Board Meeting 6:15	9	10
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25	26	27	28 Night Meeting 6:00 pm	29	30	31

April

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5		7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14 Caela Conn Tyler Workshop
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29	30					

Day Meeting: Pima County Medical Society Building, 5199 E Farness Dr

Night Meeting: Streams in the Desert Lutheran Church, 5360 E Pima (1/2 block w. of Craycroft)

Board Meeting: March meeting at the 6th Precinct Building 6:15 p.m.

Stitch-In: 3rd Saturday of the month. The West classroom (River/Craycroft Roads)

President's Letter

What a winter! From the coldest temperatures I have felt in almost ten years in Arizona, to basking in 80+ degrees this week, the extremes keep life interesting. With the warmth come thoughts of spring and starting a new project!

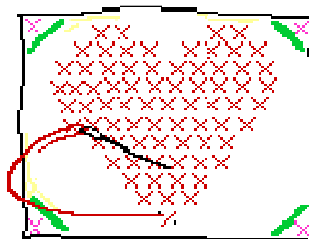
Barbara Lewis will present a "Friendship Sampler," take sign ups, and form us into groups with instructions on how to get started for our February programs on February 22nd, Thursday day, and February 28th, Wednesday night. (Remember this month and next – same dates – are the rare days when the 4th Wednesday and Thursday occur almost a week apart.) If you have a friendship sampler from an earlier experience, please bring it to show those of us who have never done one, what are some of the possibilities.

Work finishing a couple of projects to put in the Threaded Treasures Show, February 23rd and 24th is occupying my night hours and sore fingers. The non-juried show is put on by Cactus Wren, ANG's Green Valley chapter, at the IM Bank, next door to the Chamber of Commerce on the north side of Continental Rd, (exit 65 west), in Green Valley. Don't miss it!

At the board meeting talk of a community project was tabled. That is o.k. for now. We are still in recovery-mode from seminar. But I would like us to be thinking about what we can do for our city. I would love to hear ideas from any of you for future projects.

Keep working on those angels. The March program will feature Sue Thompson discussing how to do our own finishing. At the April meeting the finished angels will be displayed and one will win a surprise bonus from designer, Joan Thomasson!

Judy Burgess



Thank you to Donna Lawrence & Judy Burgess for leading the January meeting with the angel.

Please bring your completed friendship samplers to the February meeting to show everyone. Barbara Lewis will explain how it works and lead us with starting our Friendship samplers.

Please start thinking about serving on the ANG Board, known open positions is for the Day & Night Vice Presidents. We need a night meeting member to join the nominating committee. Thanks Dee Lanier (Mom) for being on the nominating committee with me.

FEBRUARY 2007

Thursday—22nd Friendship Sampler—Leader: Barbara Lewis
Bring completed Friendship Samplers

Wednesday—28th

MARCH 2007

Thursday—22nd Finishing angel—Leader: Sue Thompson

Wednesday—28th

APRIL 2007

Wednesday—25th Caela Conn Tyler—Saturday 4/14-Sunday 4/15
History of Embroidery—video
Bonus-Prize drawing for members with finished angels.

Thursday—26th

MAY 2007

Thursday—24th Combined meeting/potluck
6-9pm location TBA
New officers installed

UPCOMING EVENTS

Hospitality

Day Meeting

Feb 2 Angela Yardy and I are bringing "goodies".
March 22 Barbara Lewis and Donna Lawrence.
April 26 Kay Kopp and we need one more volunteer

Thanks,
Nancy Eide

Nite Meeting

Feb. 28 Judy Burgess
Mar. 28 Myldred Richards
Apr. 25 Barbara Lewis
May 23 Mary Gamache
June 27 Linda Harris

Thanks,
Shelly Pope

Items of Interest

The American Sewing Guild is having a Swap Meet where members of their guild and some others who have reserved tables will be selling needlework related items. Vendors were recruited under the slogan of "turn your stash to cash." There may be books, fabric, notions, equipment, and furniture. or who knows what might show up.

Details: Sewing Swap Meet
sponsored by the American Sewing Guild
Saturday, 17 February
10 am to 3 pm
22nd Street Baptist Church
6620 E. 22nd Street
(halfway between Kolb and Wilmot)

(If you would like to be a vendor and sell some of your stash, contact ASG President Debbie Janson at phone # 298-7165 or dajanson@aol.com for details and to determine if any tables are still available. The cost for a table is \$10 payable to the American Sewing Guild, and you keep all your profits.)

We now have 103 members!

We have one new member! Please welcome Karen Swanson! Karen's address is 5788 North via Amable, Tucson, AZ 85750-1202; telephone is 520/529-2268 and email is kbs578@earthlink.net

The following members need to pay their local chapter dues (\$12) by April 1:
Victoria Aigner, Lynn Allen, Maryann Bowers, Charleane Boyles, Colette Briody, Susan Cavander, Catherine Cosentino, Barbara Elmore, Sylvia Gergen, Mary Hamilton, Linda Harris, Carol Karrle, Kathleen Kendler, Charlotte Komar, Connie Lagergren, Dee Lanier, Joyce Larsen, Barbara Lewis, Joyce Mahoney, Marjorie Martin, Margaret McNeely, Jean McNeill, Honey Montrose, Deane Pape, Miriam Parsons, Pat Phillips, Carolyn Reynolds, Barbara Richardson, Phyllis Richardson, Jayne Siegel, Sharon Skoczek, Catherine Stanislow, Georgia Thomas, Margaret von Kuelgen, Ruth Wallace, Mary Williams, Janet Wood and Angela Yardey.

Liz Rosenthal has resigned to return to Connecticut.

The following members should renew their local dues as soon as possible: Arlene Bathgate, Pearl Dee, Barbara Dever, Mary Gamache, Elizabeth Hess, Becky Holcomb, Jill Jordan-Spitz, JoAnn Patterson and Janet Watson, if you receive your Needle Dancer via Snail Mail, this will be your last issue!

Tucson Chapter ANG Renewal Form/Address or E-mail Change

Name _____ Phone _____

Street
Address _____

City and State _____ ZIP+4 _____

E-mail _____ FAX _____

ANG Number _____

Tucson Chapter Member \$12.00 (P) Plural Member \$12.00

IF YOU DO NOT PLAN ON RENEWING – PLEASE ADVISE.

Please make checks payable to: **TUCSON CHAPTER ANG**

Send Payment to:
Donna Lawrence
2800 Glengarry Way
Sierra Vista, AZ 85650-5744

the West ^{INC}

NEEDLEWORK
Gifts & Jewelry
Paper Products
Cards & Cookbooks
Toys & Infant Items

Needlework Show March 19th-24th
Bring entries 1 week prior to show
Customers will vote and prizes will be awarded!
Children's category also- Call shop for details
Over \$1,800,000 in grants to local charities since 1981!

Proceeds Benefit Women's and Children's Charities Open Monday—Saturday 10-5 5615 E. River Rd., Tucson 299-1044

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