

# THE NEEDLE DANCER



The Tucson Chapter  
American Needlepoint Guild  
<http://www.tucsonang.org>

January 2010

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### MISSION STATEMENT

The objective of this Guild is to promote the educational and the cultural development of needlepoint through the participation in and the encouragement of the interest in the art of needlepoint. <http://www.needlepoint.org>

# Calendar 2010

**Day Meeting:** Pima County Medical Society Building, 5199 E Farness Dr, 10:30-3pm

**Night Meeting:** Temporarily Suspended

**Board Meeting:** Woods Library 6:00p.m.

**Stitch-In:** 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month. The West classroom (River/Craycroft Rds)

## January 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13	14 Board Meeting Woods Library 6pm	15	16
17	18 Payment Deadline for Bus Trip	19	20	21	22	23 Stitch In at the West 10am- 3pm
24	25	26	27	28 Day Meeting	29	30
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## February 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2 Bus Trip to Phoenix	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11 Board Meeting Woods Library 6pm	12	13
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 Stitch-in at The West 10-3
21	22	23	24	25 Day Meeting	26	27
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### President's Letter

**Margaret von Kuegelgen**

Hello Fellow Stitchers,

And a Happy New Year to you all...and all those wonderful resolutions about cleaning up the stash and weeding out those "I'll never finish that" projects. Remember to give those items to Linda Kanora or Charleane Boyles for our opportunity baskets in May.

The Bus Trip to the 23<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Needlework Show is a go! There are still places on the bus so send your money to Margaret von Kuegelgen as soon as possible to reserve the last few seats. We are going to have a wonderful time with lovely surprises.

Barbara Lewis graciously volunteered to be on the Nominating Committee as Board Representative. I will be asking two of you to volunteer at the January meeting to complete the committee.

I hope to see you all at the meeting.

Regards,  
Margaret

**FROM THE DIRECTORS AT LARGE  
CHARLEANE BOYLES AND LINDA KANORA**

We will continue to collect items and containers because if we do not use them for the next combined meeting, there is always a combined meeting looming in the future.

Remember, when you have cleaned out and have decided what you do not want or need, please give them to either Charleane or Linda.

**PROGRAMS**

**Submitted by Mary Christoph, Barbara Ewbank, Mary Williams.**

**January:** Vicki Aigner will teach her original design of the "I Love New York" name tag. This name tag commemorates 9/11 and the beautiful New York skyline. Here is the list of supplies that will be needed for the name tag: 8" x 8" white congress cloth on stretcher bars - Pre-baste to find center side x side as a **cross**; White floss, Red, Blue and Green floss (for the apple flag). All stitching is done with 1 strand of floss, so not a lot is used. Vicki encourages members to use their "stash" or share floss.

**February:** Jan Sprague will present Four Way Bargello. This is an exciting use of this style and very versatile. Supplies needed:

8"X8" 18ct canvas mounted on stretcher bars.

5 values of your favorite color

1 contrasting color

This will be a small project ( approx 4"x4") so less than a skein of each color is required.

**March:** Barbara Ewbank will give a talk about how needlework is judged. Barbara recently completed her ANG Judging Certification and is eager to share her knowledge and encourage us all to enter our work in competitions.

**WORKSHOPS**  
**Barbara Lewis**

Debbie Forney will be here in early February for the Paisley Purse workshop. We have 19 signed up. Three will be ghosts so that leaves a very manageable 16.

***I need people to sign up for goodies. Please call me to volunteer.*** I will be the class angel and we can order sandwiches from Beyond Bread again.

Other than that, no further business.

**MEMBERSHIP**

**Myldred Richardson**

We are delighted to see that so many of our winter visitor members are back with us. Hope you are enjoying our sunny days.

Please remember to check our new roster to see if there are any changes to be made.

**[Tucson Chapter ANG Renewal and Address or E-mail Change Form](#)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_

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ANG Number \_\_\_\_\_

**Tucson Chapter Member \$18.00**                      **(P) Plural Member \$18.00**

**IF YOU DO NOT PLAN ON RENEWING – PLEASE ADVISE**

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

Send payment to:  
Myldred Richardson  
5719 N. Camino Del Conde  
Tucson, AZ 85718-4307

## **23<sup>rd</sup> BIENNIAL PHOENIX NEEDLEWORK SHOW**

The Tucson ANG Chapter is hosting a bus trip to the 23<sup>rd</sup> Biennial Phoenix Needlework Show.

**Date:** Tuesday, February 2, 2010

**Pickup:** 8:00AM, Green Valley - McDonald's parking lot off Continental  
8:30AM, Tucson – Sam Levit's parking lot (corner of Orange Grove and Thornydale)

**Return:** 5:pm Tucson, 5:30pm Green Valley

**Cost: Bus Trip \$33.00**

**Additional Costs: \$7.50** Arizona Historical Society Admission Fee.

Lunch at Pugzie's

Family Arts Needlework Shop. You are on your own !

**DEADLINE FOR PAYMENT:** January 18, 2010. Make check payable to Tucson Chapter ANG and send to Margaret von Kuegelgen, 158 La Flecha, Green Valley, AZ 85614 (625-4218)

This notice has been given to the Green Valley ANG Chapter and the Tucson Chapter of EGA and we are encouraging everyone to bring guests. If you have more than one guest please contact Margaret. **SO SIGN UP AND DON'T WAIT FOR THE DEADLINE.** Our target number of people is 30 for the price to be \$33.00 per person. The bus holds 55 people. According to the Tucson Chapter Standing Rules, if the activity charge is \$5.00 less than anticipated then refunds would be made. Therefore if we get 40 people everyone would get \$5.00 back. This price includes the tip for the driver.

### **NOTICE:**

We will be suspending the Night Meetings until further notice due to lack of participation. We are hoping that we will be able to reinstate them in the future. Please, if you are talking to people about joining the Chapter, tell them that we will start the Night Meetings again if we have five people interested. Any questions or comments, please call Margaret von Kuegelgen.

## **The WEST ~~ The WEST ~~ The WEST**

**Now through February 28<sup>th</sup> - All pre-cut, packaged fabric labeled NF-BT is 50% off**

**Sunset Maiden workshop taught by Cassie Prescott of Sundance Designs  
Workshop includes canvas, thread, stretcher bars, and instruction for \$150  
Taught Friday, February 26<sup>th</sup> from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm  
Call early to register!**

**February 15 – 27 - Sundance Designs Trunk Show  
25% off all trunk show canvases during the show**

***Shop at The West! Proceeds benefit women's & children's charities in Tucson!***

**Over \$1,900,000 in grants to local charities since 1981**

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**First Class**

**Do not delay**