

# THE NEEDLE DANCER

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



July 2013

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2014 20 <sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY	
Luncheon	Linda Kanora
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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 2013

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

**Night Meeting:** Linda Kanora's House 6pm

**Board Meeting:** River Road Library Second Saturday 9am

**Stitch-In:** 2nd Saturday of the month. The West classroom (River/Craycroft Rds)

## July 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	11	12	13 <b>BOARD MEETING 9AM</b>  Stitch In @ The West 10-4
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 Night Meeting	25 Day Meeting: Pima Medical 10:30-3:00	26	27
28	29	30	31			

## August 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
				1	2	3
4	5	6	7	8	9	10 <b>Board Meeting 9am</b>  Stitch In @ The West 10-4
11	12	13	14	15	16	17
18	19	20	21	22 Day Meeting Pima Medical 10:30a-3:00p	23	24
25	26	27	28 Night Meeting	29	30	31

## **President's Letter**

Good morning Tucson Stitchers,

The heat is here and maybe some rain. What better reason to find a comfortable chair and a new or continuing stitch project.

The board and committees are working hard and have a lot of exciting project coming to us. We still have openings for the November workshop so please consider the Golden Ginkgo Kimono to be taught by Toni Gerdes.

Charlene will be emailing the program pattern for July and Laura will lead the project.

A VERY SMALL and quick frost design. This is an "instant gratification" quick, easy and fast to finish project. See you at the meeting July 25<sup>th</sup>.

Happy stitching. Our thoughts and prayers to those in our stitch family who have lost family this summer.

Jean

### **Kissing Pillow Project Linda Kanora**

Kits for the Kissing Pillows are available at each meeting and take just a few hours to stitch.

**DIRECTOR AT LARGE**  
**Charleane Boyles**  
**Mary Christoph**

### **WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE**

Thanks to all who have been contributing for the Opportunity Baskets. We also have the chapter Needledancer pins and they are \$6.00 each; there are a few packets of note cards available for \$2.00.

A gentle reminder about wearing your nametags- we have new and

returning members at all the meetings and they would love to know who you are!! There is a 50 cent fee for no nametag and we have been enforcing it! So please remember to wear your beautifully stitched nametag.

Bring your unwanted stash items to the day meetings. Your loved but now unwanted stitching items will find new homes and help our Guild with the proceeds they bring in at our combined meetings in May and November. So when you get the urge to clean out, you know where to bring your stitching items. Thanks to all of you.

## **PROGRAMS**

**Laura Cotter**

**July Program:** Vacation Storm/ Vacation Sunrise

Instructions have been emailed to you. Please print and bring to the meeting.

## **Chapter Dates to Remember For 2013**

**July:** M. Frost Mini Project

**August:** Stitching Your Own Project

**September:** Round Robin Set-up

**October:** Heirloom Stitching (Judy Nelson)

**November:** It's Stitched; Now What ? (Judy Nelson)

**December:** No Meeting

## **Save the Date – March 20, 2014!**

Our 2014 Spring Stitchers' Luncheon will be at the Omni National Resort. Our speaker will be Joan Thomasson and the topic will be 'Working in the Needlework Industry'. We will have lots of fun with Opportunity Baskets, if anyone would like to put together a themed basket we would love to have it, please let me know so we will have adequate space available.

**WORKSHOPS**  
**Barbara Lewis**

WORKSHOPS:

Ladies, the Ginkgo Kimono by Toni Gerdes is coming up fast...the first weekend in November. Please MAIL me a check for \$95 as I won't be at the next two meetings. Right now we have only 7 signed up. We have had Toni as a teacher before and are aware of what a good teacher she is. Don't let this opportunity pass you by.

Barb

On November 1 and 2<sup>nd</sup> The Toni Gerdes workshop

**Golden Ginkgo Kimono** is a beautiful kimono which shows the seasonal changes of a Ginkgo tree expressed with silk, metals, and an interesting "Hot Gold Foil Pen" technique on ecru congress cloth. In this 12-hour intermediate- advanced level class, you will personalize your kimono by choosing your own Ginkgo leaf shapes and their placement. You will learn several stitches, including a wonderful blackwork lantern pattern, along with, a new over-shading technique. To finish your kimono, you will design your own signature seal, sometimes called a "chop".

Our workshop will be November 1 and 2, 2013. I am taking checks now. Cost is \$95.00

See Photo Below

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**HI HO STITCH AWAY  
OCTOBER 18, 29, 30, 2013**

HI HO Registration is CLOSED. We have filled all the spots in the Main House and the Hacienda. I will be making room assignments closer to the day. Everyone who is participating will receive a Hi Ho notice in September.

## **HOSPITALITY**

**Lisa Sternberg**

No Information Provided

## **MEMBERSHIP**

**Peggy Lawton**

We are still missing some member's renewal forms and checks. Please check the list and mail or bring to this month's meeting and give to Linda Kanora since I will be on vacation.

Vicki Aigner	Linda Kalamas
Angela Bertolino	Lois Lober
Paula Burchenal	Carolyn McKeeman
Patty Godfrey	Carolyn Rick
Dorothy Green	Jayne Siegel
Deborah Hendrix	Linda Taufen

**Please give a warm welcome to our newest member:**

Shirley Livingston

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Tucson, AZ 85718

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Local ANG dues are due by June 1<sup>st</sup> and will be delinquent as of July 1<sup>st</sup>. A prerequisite of paying local dues is that National dues must be paid up before your local dues can be accepted. When paying local dues, please submit the membership application blank form furnished in the newsletter along with your check. This way I will be able to double check all information with our roster for accuracy. We plan to add a column in the membership roster for a cell phone number, so if you want to have your cell phone number, please add it to the information on the membership application form.

Thank you,  
Peggy Lawton  
Membership Chairperson  
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**Please fill out the coupon below for all submissions**

**Tucson Chapter ANG Renewal and Address or E-mail Change Form**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City and State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP+4 \_\_\_\_\_  
E-mail \_\_\_\_\_ FAX \_\_\_\_\_  
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: Peggy Lawton  
5880 N Via Amable.  
Tucson, AZ 85750-1203

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

The annual Just Cross Stitch Halloween ornament issue arrives in July

Now in the store: The Prairie Schooler 2013 Santa cross stitch chart

New batik bags from Yellow Dog Quilts in many colors and sizes

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## Tucson Chapter ANG Budget 2013/2014

	Budgeted Income 2012-13	Actual Income 2012-13	Budgeted Expense 2012-13	Actual Expense 2012-13	Budgeted Income 2013-14	Budgeted Expense 2013-14
General Office				162.68		
Gifts			150.00	89.50		100.00
Hospitality			75.00	49.11		75.00
Membership	1,350.00	1,260.00	25.00	9.00	1,350.00	25.00
Newsletter Ads	110.00				220.00	
Newsletter Printing & Postage			250.00	96.62		100.00
Program Projects			50.00	18.13		50.00
Insurance			265.00	276.00		276.00
Rent – Day Group			780.00	990.00		810.00
Interest From CD's – Gen. Fund						
Publicity			40.00	196.72		40.00
Ways & Means	650.00	339.50			497.00	
Web Site			475.00	359.00		591.00
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,110.00</b>	<b>1,599.50</b>	<b>2,110.00</b>	<b>2,246.76</b>	<b>2,067.00</b>	<b>2,067.00</b>