

# THE NEEDLE DANCER

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



**June 2008**

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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. <http://www.needlepoint.org>

## **Calendar 2008**

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

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

# Calendar 2008

## June

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12 Board Meeting Woods library at 6:00 PM	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21 STITCH-IN 10AM – 5 PM
22	23	24	25 Night Meeting 6:00 PM	26 Day Meeting 10:30 AM-3:00 PM	27	28
29	30					

## July

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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### President's Letter

Hello all stitchers!

Well, here we go again!

We had our first Board meeting last night and other than the fact that I completely goofed up the normal procedure of a meeting, it was productive. If you are a member of the Board, either elected or appointed, please plan to attend the meetings. They are held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at the Woods Library at 6:00pm. If for some reason you are not able to attend, please let me know.

Our program this month, "Workshops Revisited," should be fun. I'm looking forward to sorting through that pile in the corner of my studio...oops. I mean, that organized stack of projects...and finding the workshops I knew I could finish...someday...so let's start getting it done in June! As a parallel to that, Dale Miller and Earla Swope are hosting a stitch-in/out at Earla's house in Green Valley to revisit Caela Conn Tyler's Monet

piece. Check out the newsletter for more details.

And speaking of workshops...what's up with our sign up for Carol Lake in September?? Barbara Lewis reports very few people have sent in their money. Are you thinking, as I did, that September is far, far away? We do have some pre-stitching on this fascinating piece so the deadline for payment is now. Check out the newsletter for the note from Barbara Lewis. We thought that this was a popular workshop so if you are not planning on taking it, please tell Barb why so we can tailor future workshops to the needs, desires and likes of the chapter. Thanks.

And speaking of payment...Martha Hirsch says there is some confusion about how much dues are due. She has made a comprehensive list for this newsletter. Have patience. The confusion will be over this June as we make the transition to a chapter-wide annual dues payment date. Any questions? Give Martha a call and thank you to her for taking over membership since Sue Thompson and family are moving. We certainly will miss Susan and our youngest stitcher, Fionna.

That's all for now, come to the meetings and the stitch-ins and let's have fun.

Regards, Margaret

## Hospitality

### NIGHT MEETING:

June – Barbara Lewis

July – Carol Karrle

August – Margaret von Kuegelgen

### DAY MEETING:

June – Nancy Eide

## Programs

**June** - Have you participated in a workshop this past year (2007 or 2008) and enjoyed learning new techniques, color theory and meeting wonderful national teachers? But have you finished your project? Don't despair, come to the June meeting and bring your projects to stitch on and get help from other members. We can share our experience in working the projects and have fun seeing each other's work in all the various colorways that were offered for many of these courses. If you have finished a project please bring that too to share and inspire us!

**July** - Our version of Christmas in July is to stitch a Christmas tree ornament! This lovely ornament is a wonderful exploration of glitzy threads and works up quickly. The original supply list shows the thread in aqua, but feel free to select the color of your choice for this monochromatic project. Just be sure to use the same thread type.

- **18" count canvas – 7" square**  
**White canvas is fine as the stitch c overage is dense**
- **Stretcher bars – 7"X7"**
- **DMC 6 strand floss Colors #959 (turquoise) and #964 (light turquoise)**
- **Kreinik Metallic Braid size 8 - #684 (aqua)**
- **Tiara – Color #T113 (aqua)**

- **Ribbon Floss Shimmer Braid – Color #148F (aqua opal)**
- **Fyre Werks – Color #F37 (dark aqua)( if you can find it, it has been discontinued) or FT19 (aqua)**
- **Splendor – Color S880 (dark aqua)**
- **Accentuate – Color #66 (dark aqua)**
- **#22 and #20 tapestry needles**
- **Laying Tool**

Since some of these threads fray, I would recommend Fray Check to make working with them easier!

If you have an idea for a program you would like to see in the coming year please let the Vice Presidents know. We love to hear from you.

## Workshops & Future Workshops Barb Lewis

### Carole Lake



AAAAAAWWWwkkkkk!!

Ladie, We have Carole Lake coming September 27 and 28. It is the a rectangular piece.

Because someone from our group asked for a blue background, she named several other colors you could use also. So far, whomever asked about the blue hasn't signed up! The deadline is August 1 as she has pre-stitching to send us! Please get your checks

to me ..half at a time is fine...that is \$35 ...fill in the form in the newsletter and get it to me ASAP!

Barb Lewis

### **LOST AND FOUND**

Martha Hirsch left a slotted stainless spoon at the May combined meeting. It didn't go home with either of the hospitality persons. It was not found at the Pima County Medical Society. If anyone found an extra serving spoon among their dishes when they returned home, Martha would be delighted if you found the spoon she lost.

### **STITCH OUT ON AUGUST 9<sup>TH</sup>**

There is going to be a Stitch Out on August 9<sup>th</sup> from 9:30 until 3:00 at the home of Earla Swope, 600 Paseo del Curso, Green Valley, AZ to revisit the Caela Conn Tyler "Monet" piece. Lunch, desert and drinks will be provided! Just bring your stitching and appetite! Barbara Richardson will have a short break from her busy schedule and is going to join us. If you are stuck on an area, she will be the perfect person to help! I am sure that she will have plenty of information on the upcoming Seminar to Indian Wells to share with us. Please let Dale Miller know if you will be able to attend. Phone Number 207-2423 or email [miller85614@msn.com](mailto:miller85614@msn.com).

<b>Membership</b>	<b>Martha Hirsch</b>
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### **All members need to pay chapter dues through May 31, 2009!**

Annual dues are \$18.00 equates to \$1.50 per month. Your dues have been prorated for this fiscal year based upon what has been your annual renewal date. Almost every single one of us need to pay dues for part of our fiscal year of June 1, 2008 through May 31, 2009.

Please review the list below and expect to find your name! Almost every single chapter member's name is on this list and owes something! The dollar amount you owe is listed beside your name.

With the entire chapter having dues due at one time, your humble membership  
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chairman will be most appreciative if you will be prompt in mailing me your dues payment. If for any reason you do not intend to renew your membership, please let me know.

As I write this, I am still trying to contact two members who have sent membership checks for \$18.00, the annual amount but who owe a prorated amount that is much less. If you are one of those who have mailed membership an \$18.00 check and you still see your name listed below, it is possible that I am holding your check and am trying to contact you! Please feel free to contact me!

Please complete the membership renewal form that appears in this newsletter and send it to me along with your check made payable to Tucson Chapter ANG. You may reach me at 529-6064 or [usnavret2@msn.com](mailto:usnavret2@msn.com).

Aigner \$3	McNealy \$3
Anthoney \$12	McNeil \$18
Ausman \$18	McSpadden \$6
Bensch \$8	J. Middlestead \$18
Bertolino \$6	N. Middlestead \$18
Boren \$9	Mueller \$15
Braverman \$12	O'Malley \$12
Bregantini \$6	O'Meara \$18
Briody \$6	Patterson \$6
Cosentino \$6	Payne \$15
Davis \$15	Pfeifer \$15
Dee \$6	Phillips \$3
Doehler \$3	Postlewaite \$12
Findlay \$7.50	Reynolds \$3
Fortunato \$4.50	M. Richardson \$15
Galdi \$6	P. Richardson \$3
Godrey \$9	Rick \$18
Grass \$6	Rosen \$18
M. Hamilton \$3	Schultz \$12
Hitchens \$7.50	Seese \$9
James \$24	Shirey \$18
Jeffery \$15	Siegel \$3
Johnson \$18	Shivey \$18
Jorden \$9	Stevenson \$7.50
Jorden-Spitz \$7.50	Strause \$12
Kammerzell \$12	Swan \$9
Kopp \$12	Swanson \$6
Laagergren \$3	Tewksbury \$7.50
Lanieer \$3	Thompson \$12
Larsen \$3	Trueba \$18
Lawton \$9	Valencia \$18
Lovat \$7.50	Wallace \$3
Margolis \$6	Wood \$9
Mansfield \$18	Yardy \$3
Martin \$3	

**NEW MEMBER**

Nancy Gearhard

Sandra Murray

**ROSTER CHANGE**

Andrea O'Meara

Tami Schultz

**DROPPED MEMBER**

Elizabeth Hess

**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:  
Martha Hirsch  
5007 N. Circula Bujia  
Tucson, AZ 885718-6173

**ANASAZI DREAM Sept. 27-28, 2008**

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Kit fee \$70

Color choice:

Sage green (original) \_\_\_\_\_

French Blue \_\_\_\_\_

Eggshell \_\_\_\_\_

Sandstone \_\_\_\_\_

Tudor Rose \_\_\_\_\_

Remember, if you choose a canvas color other than sage, you will have to purchase some different threads at your own expense.

Check made out to Tucson Chapter ANG, to Barbara Lewis, 8041 E. Presidio Rd., Tucson, AZ 85750

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**July 7 - 10 ~~ Customer Appreciation Sale!**

**25% off all regularly priced, in stock merchandise!!**

Shop at The West! Proceeds benefit women's & children's charities in Tucson!  
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**During the summer months, The West will close at 5 on Wednesday nights**  
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### **First Class**

#### **Do not delay**

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