

THE NEEDLE DANCER

The Tucson Chapter
American Needlepoint Guild
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June 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: River Road Library 6:00pm-8:00pm (NE Corner of River and Craycroft)

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

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

June 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10 Board Meeting Karen Swanson's House	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19 Stitch In at The West 10am – 3pm
20	21	22	23 Night Meeting 6pm	24 Day Meeting 10:30 - 3:00	25	26
27	28	29	30			

July 2010

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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4	5	6	7	8 Board Meeting	9	10
11	12	13	14	15	16	17 Stitch-in at The West 10-3
18	19	20	21	22 Day Meeting 10:30 – 3:00	23	24
25	26	27	28 Night Meeting 6pm	28	30	31

President's Letter

The Annual Meeting – Potluck dinner was a huge success. Maryann Bowers, Hospitality and her committee laid a lovely buffet table for our “self-catered” buffet anchored by a 16th birthday cake!

Mary Christoph moderated the Show and Share event, awarding gift certificates to Marge Martin and Mary Williams for the most projects finished and the drawing for completing an ANG piece.

Linda Kanora and Charleane Boyles, Ways and Means, put together 24 “basket” for opportunity tickets and several items for a silent auction netting \$455 for Chapter operation funds.

Thanks to all for a great evening! The meeting concluded with the election of officers for the coming year.

Happy Stitching,
Honey Montrose

FROM THE DIRECTOR AT LARGE MARY CHRISTOPH

Ways and Means: We all enjoyed the many opportunity baskets at the May combined meeting. Many thanks to Linda Kanora and Charleane Boyles for all their hard work.

But we realize that if you won a basket you might not find everything in it to be just your cup of tea. So bring those items to the June meeting and give others an opportunity to give them a home. We will put the items together on a table and members can select what they would like and contribute money into a jar/basket for that purpose. You can contribute an amount that you feel is fair. The money raised in this way will go to our general operating fund. Any items left over will be donated at Miracle Square who has appreciated our donations in the past.

PROGRAMS LAURA COTTER

Monthly Programs Summer 2010

Do you have one or two unfinished projects? Really? Well, bring them to our June “Catch up and fall back in love with your old

“project” day. All finished with everything? Now’s your chance to stitch a bookmark or kissing pillow!

Our program for July will be small group studies of some painted canvases. Each group will brainstorm focal points, possible stitches, thread options, and embellishment ideas for their canvas and then present it to the group as a whole. This is a repeat of a very popular program from a few years ago.

Barbara Lewis will be guiding us in a blackwork project from the ANG book in August and September. The supply list is below. This is a small sampler piece to introduce a variety of classic blackwork designs.

Materials List for Aug/Sept

7” x 7” 25 ct. White Lugana even weave fabric (design is 2 ¾” x 2 ¾”)
zigzag or tape edges and attach to frame if desired
Black #8 perle cotton
Black cotton floss
#26 tapestry needle
Line drawing - This will be provided at the Aug. meeting.

WORKSHOPS

Barbara Lewis

We are very lucky.....Betty Chen Louis doesn’t travel anymore, however, since she “likes us”, and is coming for a two-day workshop March 19 and 20, 2011. Mark those days on your calendar. The piece she will be teaching is called **Cyclamens**. It has an oriental feel. Betty has one concern. This piece is done on Congress cloth and we will be doing soft shading. She wants everyone to know that we will be treating the congress cloth as fabric, meaning that we will be piercing the threads. I will have a photo for you in the next newsletter.

HOSPITALITY

Jeanie Demers

Maryanne Bowers and Jeanie Demers will provide refreshments for the June meeting.

MEMBERSHIP

Carolyn McSpadden

A big thank you to everyone who has paid her local ANG dues for 2011. All chapter members' local dues were due by June 1, 2010. We are now in a grace period until July 1, 2010. If dues are not paid by then, the unpaid member will be dropped from the membership of the guild. The list below is of those who have not paid as of June 11, 2010. Please send dues to Carolyn McSpadden. If you do not plan to renew your membership, we would appreciate a call, or email, letting us know that. Thank you for your attention to this.

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Dee, Pearl
Elmore, Barbara
Forshey, Carol

Galdi, Nancy
Hitchens, Susan
Holbrook, Lois
Jeffery, Sandy
Lagergren, Connie
Lober, Lois
McNealy, Margaret
Ohman, Dorothy

Ramsey, Barbara
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