

THE NEEDLE DANCER

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



MAY 2013

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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)

May 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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5	6	7	8	9	10	11 BOARD MEETING 9AM Stitch In @ The West 10-4
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23 Combined POTLUCK meeting 5pm Pima Medical	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

June 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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23	24	25	26 Night Meeting 6pm	27 Day Meeting 10-3	28	29
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President's Letter

Hello Tucson ANG Stitchers,

The warm weather has arrived so inside or under shade outside for lots of fun stitching !!!!

I thank you for letting me serve as your president this last year. Also my thanks for all the help and support from my board. We accomplished a lot and now have many new and exciting projects for the coming months which we can accomplish only with your help so be ready when we call and please say yes we need everyone no matter how much or little time you can donate.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the potluck/joint meeting on the 23rd at 5pm. Becky and Nancy have great baskets. Judith Nelson will present a short program, announcing of winners of most stitched projects and as always lots of food. If anyone needs a ride please contact me and we can set up a carpool.

Happy stitching, 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

Nancy Eide

Becky Lynn

WAYS AND MEANS COMMITTEE

Thanks to all who have been contributing for the Opportunity Baskets. Nancy and Becky will have some nice surprises for you in May!! 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. Becky has these at all meetings .

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 Nancy at 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

Janice Morgan

May 23, 2013: Annual Meeting

This is our annual meeting with potluck dinner, elections, opportunity baskets, and awards for completed projects. Judith Nelson will talk about Heirloom Stitching and show us samples of her work. Pima County Medical Center doors open at 5:00. Bring a potluck dish to share with 6-8 people.

WORKSHOPS

Barbara Lewis

On November 1 and 2nd we will have a Toni Gerdes workshop.

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**HI HO STITCH AWAY
REGISTRATION OPEN NOW
OCTOBER 18, 29, 30, 2013
AMADO TERRITORY INN, AMADO, ARIZONA**

Hi Ho Stitchaway is our annual stitching retreat in Amado, Arizona (south of Green Valley on I 19). The Amado Territory Inn is a lovely place with a large room with windows on three sides for stitching and charming guest rooms.

Two people share a room and there are nine rooms in the main house. Some rooms are on the second floor so if you have trouble climbing stairs, please let me know so I can give you a room on the first floor!

It's a wonderful weekend of stitching, laughing, eating, stitching, eating etc! We usually have a masseuse on Saturday and sometimes some games! Otherwise there are no planned activities!

We all bring snacks and have found that sufficient for some for all meals. If, however, you would like more formal meals, there is a restaurant next door, a restaurant across the Interstate, or you could drive down to Tubac which is 15 minutes away!

The price (\$110) includes breakfast on Saturday and Sunday and two night's accommodation.

When you send in your reservation, please list your roommate on your check or make a notation that you wish a roommate!

Come join us it is oodles of fun and frivolity!

Send checks to Margaret von Kuegelgen, 158 La Flecha, Green Valley, AZ 85614

DEADLINE IS JULY 1ST! TOTAL COST: \$110.00 per person

HOSPITALITY
Lisa Sternberg

May: Potluck

Chapter Dates to Remember For 2013

May 23: Potluck, Election & Lecture on Heirloom Stitching by Judith Nelson

June 27: Stitching by Committee

MEMBERSHIP

Judith Nelson

Local ANG dues will be coming due shortly. They are due by June 1st and will be delinquent as of July 1st. 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 newsletters along with your check. Then 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,
Judith Nelson

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