

# THE NEEDLE DANCER

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



October 2013

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2014 20 <sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY	
Luncheon	Linda Kanora
Exhibit/Pins/Project	Margaret Von Kuegelgen

### 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)

## October 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12 <b>NO BOARD MEETING</b>  Stitch In @ The West 10-4
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23 Night Meeting	24 Day Meeting Pima Medical 10:30am-3:00pm	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

## November 2013

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9  Stitch In @ The West 10-4
10	11	12	13	14	15	16 BOARD MEETING 9am @ Pima Medical  Potluck 10- 3pm
17	18	19	20 Bus Trip	21	22	23
24	25	26	27	28	29	30

## **President's Letter**

Hello ANG Stitchers,

Lots going on, so be sure to attend the meetings and check emails frequently.

Thank you for all the neat summer stitching shown at the show and share. Makes one want to go out and purchase those patterns.

Our friendship sampler is underway with Barbara Lewis spear heading.

*Bus Trip details:* November 20th 8am leave Tucson return about 5.30pm. Departure is from the corner Orange Grove and Thorneydale. The shops we will visit are: Family Needlearts, Olde Town in Scottsdale and the new Attic there will also be a lunch stop. Bus cost if we have 28 people is \$35 including tip. There are still have seats available, you will need to confirm by Oct 31st , contact Laura Cotter if you would like to ride. Mark your calendars for November 20th (a good time to Christmas shop)

ANG frame weights from Anaheim Seminar are \$20 I will be in Phoenix and can pick them up and deliver at meeting. If you are interested please call 638-7269

Our 20<sup>th</sup> Anniversary celebrations are moving along. Margaret has committees set up and working, luncheon plans are listed elsewhere in this newsletter.

We have great programs and a workshop before the end of our stitch year but above all we need you the members to make this all work. 2014 will be a busy year

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.

### **Out and About**

Fay's Needle Nook of LaJolla. This is a full service shop on a main street that is separated by another shop. They have tons of canvases in one shop and all of the threads are in the other. David McCaskill manages the shop. They have various 'clubs' going at any one time. They can be seen at The Canvas Studio, 7715 Fay Avenue and the Thread Gallery 7719 Fay Avenue. The email address is [www.needlenook.com](http://www.needlenook.com) and phone is 1-800-685-1711.

Barbara Lewis

### **TUCSON CHAPTER ANNIVERSARY EXHIBITION**

We had a very successful meeting after the last general meeting. Many thanks to all who attended and for all your ideas!

We are compiling our mailing list for invitations/fliers. Please send Group Name, Contact Name, email address or phone number to Martha Hirsch who will be consolidating the information. I know we will get duplicates but if you know of a bead group, knitting group, quilting group etc., please get the information to Martha.

Laura Cotter is refining the design of the flier and we will have it by the November meeting.

Any questions about the Exhibition? Please call or write me (625-4218 [mkvk@cox.net](mailto:mkvk@cox.net))

Thanks  
Margaret von Kuegelgen

## **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**

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

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

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

**December:** No Meeting

# The WEST ~~ The WEST ~~ The WEST

Join us for our Holiday Open House  
Refreshments and Door Prizes  
Sunday, November 3rd  
Noon until 4 PM

Cartonnage classes continue to be popular on the third Friday of the month  
Each month is an exciting new project ~ Class models are displayed at the shop

Beginning Sunday, October 27th, The West will be open from Noon until 4 PM

Many new items in the needlework department ~ Come and see!

Shop at The West! Proceeds benefit women's & children's charities in Tucson!  
Over \$2,000,000 in grants to local charities since 1981

Store Hours: Monday - Saturday 10 - 5  
5615 E. River Rd. (River & Craycroft) ~~ [www.thewestinc.com](http://www.thewestinc.com) ~~ 520-299-1044

## WORKSHOPS

### Barbara Lewis

**Workshop:** We have Tony Gerdes coming the end of the month. We will have 13 in the class and are very excited to stitch her Gingko Kimono. Any questions about it, contact me at 296-8672

**Friendship Sampler:** We have two 'teams' of stitchers raring to go. Several eager beavers have already gotten theirs ready and have passed them around! We won't be opening them until the May meeting.

### **New Workshop:**

I am now taking reservations for the Joan Thomasson workshop entitled Spirit of the Southwest. This is a piece that she has designed for us! Since it has also been selected for a workshop at the Phoenix seminar in 2014 we will be her pilot class and therefore there is no teaching fee!

She will also be teaching in Phoenix right before she comes to us so we will share in her travel expenses.

This is a beautiful two- sided piece that has local flora on the back. I am collecting \$125 per person with the knowledge you will get a refund. This is

a three day workshop being held March 17,18, and 19. 2014.As this is open to both EGA and ANG, please sign up ASAP and reserve your spot. Please make your checks out to Tucson Chapter EGA. Thank you.

(The photos Barbara sent could not be copied. I will try to have a photo next month)

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### **HOSPITALITY**

**Lisa Sternberg**

No Information Provided

### **MEMBERSHIP**

**Peggy Lawton**

No New Information Submitted

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