COURSES BEING OFFERED, INSTRUCTORS & FEES

Please note all instruction fees and material fees will be paid directly to the instructors by the participants. Do not send your fees with your registration. Please bring exact change to the retreat to pay your fees.

Learn To Make Stitch Markers.....Vicki Boynton

Learn to make beautiful stitch markers to use with all your fiber arts. We will use wire wrapped crystals, beads and rings. If you have small needle nose or round nose pliers (for jewelry making and beading), please bring them.

No Instruction Fee

Materials Fee: \$5.00, makes two stitch markers. You can make as many as you like.

Salt Technique Dyed Bandanas w/Wheat Paste Resist & Overdyed w/ Designs....Sarah Bradburn

Learn to do resists, overdying, and design work for embellishing your fiber art creations. This is an all day workshop and you will leave with finished products. If you have a hair dryer you can bring, it would be greatly appreciated. This would speed up the drying process. This is a wet class.

Instruction Fee: \$30

Materials Fee: Included with the instruction fee.

Toothbrush Rug Chair Cushion.....Sarah Bradburn

Learn a new technique that can be applied to larger rugs by making a sample chair cushion. Students should bring 2" wide strips of cotton material (old pillow cases are best for beginners). Sheets may be used as well, but are not as good for beginners as pillow cases. Bring many, many strips.

Instructor Fee: \$15

Materials Fee: Included with the instruction fee, except where noted in the course

description.

Learn To Needle Felt....Cindy Butler

This course will show the basic method of needle felting. The class will create a snowman ornament which may be hung on a tree or standup. This is a dry class.

Instructor Fee: \$25

Materials Fee: Included with the instruction fee.

Woven Tote Bag.....Betty Davis & Jean Lavell

Using a four harness table loom and weaving with rags students will create a woven tote bag or woven cell phone bag. Warp will be sent to students ahead of the retreat so you can warp your looms before you come. It is highly recommended that two people go together on one loom and share the warping. Both will create their own bag on the loom. If you are interested in this class, but do not have a table loom, please contact the registrar. There may be extra open looms for beginners to weave on.

No Instructor Fee Materials Fee: \$10

Multi-Media Weed Basket Using Sari Silk......Pam Metcalf

Learn to make a hanging basket with sari silk, embellished with beads, wire, stones, etc. This is a wet class.

Instructor Fee: \$30

Materials Fee: Included with the instruction fee.

10" Egg Basket.....Pam Metcalf

Learn to construct a 10" egg basket with a God's Eye. This is a wet class.

Instructor Fee: \$35

Materials Fee: Included with the instruction fee.

3-D Felting with Extensions......Tricia Rasku

Learn to wet felt a 3-D piece with various extensions such as dread locks, pleats, etc. Technique can be used to embellish other fiber art projects. This is a wet class. Students will need to bring: Merino or a reliable felting wool in various colors, ice cream or similar buckets, bubble wrap, placemat size bamboo mat, 2 to 3 old bath-size towels, 4" X 4" sponge or larger. If you have a salad spinner you can bring that would be very helpful.

No Instruction Fee Materials Fee: \$10

Art Batts.....Tricia Rasku

Create colorful art batts to spin by mixing odds and ends into the batt makeup during the carding process. This is a dry class. If you have a drum carder you can bring, it would be greatly appreciated. Hand carders and/or flickers are also welcome. Students will need to bring wools, silk, exotics, small pieces of fabric; and other bits and pieces left over from other spinning projects. These will be mixed to produce a new and

exciting color/texture combination. Those wishing to spin up their new batts should bring their wheels.

No Instruction Fee Materials Fee: \$10

Huckabet: Weaving Words in Huck Lace......Jen Stuber

Students will learn how to design lettering with Huck Lace using weaving software or graph paper. Designs assume a minimum of 8 shafts. Previous knowledge of Huck Lace not necessary. This is a lecture format with some hands-on work on a loom.

Instructor Fee: \$5

Materials Fee: \$15 (includes handouts and weaving)