



# SAGUARO STITCHERS

## American Needlepoint Guild

### June 2021 Newsletter



#### MEETING LOCATION

Faith Lutheran Church  
Fellowship Hall  
801 E. Camelback Rd.  
Phoenix, AZ  
10:00 a.m. – 1:00 p.m.

#### OFFICERS

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#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE:



Sunny days are here again,  
We need the rain, but don't know when.



Lend a hand and learn with stitchin' friends,  
Attend our fun-and happy- summer stitch-ins!

I hope that all of you who were able to attend, enjoyed, and learn from our Zoom meeting with David McCaskill. He certainly can work those threads.

Yes, we are now experiencing our summer dry heat...but we can look forward to fall and the ongoing project that Jan has planned for us to stitch. Alice has been working with Kathy Rees on Bermuda Reef which will be held in late March.

In the meantime, we will be having our summer stitch-ins at the Church on the third Thursday of the month (the same as our regular meetings). We have the room from 10:00 – 2:00. Plan on stitching, chatting, and sharing with each other. The room will be cool!

For those of you who are traveling, please be safe. Looking forward to seeing you Thursday, June 17 at our first Summer Stitch-In.

La Verne

## **BEADED BERMUDA REEF CLASS with KATHY REESE**

To be held March 25 and 26, 2022 at the Lutheran Church. Information about the class is listed below. As agreed upon previously the teaching fee will be paid by the chapter. The prices shown are for 14 and 20 students and are subject to change depending on the number of students who sign up. The kit fee is \$99.

The estimate cost for 14 students is \$185 which includes the kit fee. The estimate cost for 20 students is \$165 which includes the kit fee. Non-Saguaro Stitchers will be considered after all Saguaro Stitches have signed up. There will be an additional fee of \$20 plus shipping for these students. This class is not open to ghosts.

Please email Alice Hall at [ha4ali@aol.com](mailto:ha4ali@aol.com) to be on the interest sheet before June 15<sup>th</sup> as we need to give Kathy a count for her to obtain supplies.

You may view this piece on Kathy's web site –Needle Delights Originals

Please sign-up with Alice Hall as soon as possible.



### **PROGRAMS – Jan Prestin**

We don't have business meetings during the summer months, so grab a project you're working on, a cold drink, and come stitch and chat with us. Having trouble with a stitch or would like suggestions for a canvas? This is a great time to get some ideas and opinion, and don't forget to bring in those "Show and Tell" items-we love to see them!

Hope to see you on the 17<sup>th</sup>.

Jan Prestin

### **NEED A RIDE TO MEETINGS**

Problems crop up and it is always on meeting day, right? If you need a ride, whether it is occasionally or to all our meetings, call any of your Board members. We will do our best to find you a ride. You need to give us as much notice as possible for the best result.

### **SAGUARO STITCHERS WEBSITE:**

Don't forget that we have our very own website, [www.saguarostitchers.org](http://www.saguarostitchers.org). Karen Willett has done a wonderful job organizing and maintaining the website. It contains workshops, projects, newsletters, membership information, as well as links to local needlework shops, and other valuable information. Bookmark the site and check it often.

### **SUNSHINE COMMITTEE:**

Ann Grootgedoed is our Sunshine Committee contact. If any of you know of someone in our chapter who recently lost a loved one or has developed a serious illness and could use a "Thinking of You" card, please contact Ann with name and address information so she can send them a card. Thank you, Ann.

### **EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES AT OUR LOCAL SHOPS!**

When you want to see what classes the local shops offer, all you do is go to <http://www.saguarostitchers.org> and click on "LINKS". By clicking on each shop's link, you will be able to see a current list of all classes offered. We are so fortunate to have these great shops. Call the shops directly or check their websites.

**Attic Needlework 480-898-1838**

**BeStitched Needlepoint 480-991-0706**

**Family Arts Needlework Shop 602-277-0694**

**Old Town Needlework 480-990-2270**

**Quail Run Needlework 480-551-1423**

### **MEMBERSHIP:**

**All members have paid, and a new roster will be sent out next week.**

## MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION FORM

PLEASE PRINT

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Birthday: Month/Day: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell or Work phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Check one: New Member ( ) Renewal ( ) Plural ( )

Membership Number: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Chapter (Plural): \_\_\_\_\_

DUES: Annual Membership \$20.00 \_\_\_\_\_

Please make checks payable to:

Saguaro Stitchers

Please mail to:

Kate Morgan  
601 E. Paradise Lane  
Phoenix, AZ 85022-2524

For additional membership questions, contact Kate Morgan at 408-828-2942.

Our meetings are held at the Faith Lutheran Church, Fellowship Hall, 801 Camelback Rd., Phoenix, AZ from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. The business meeting begins at 10:30 a.m.