

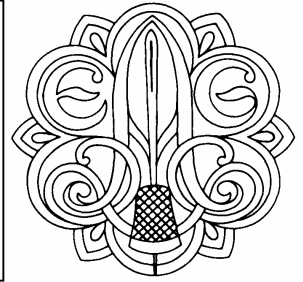


Needle Arts Guild of Toledo

Newsletter

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Program Schedule

Here is a tentative schedule for the exciting new programs that will be featured this year. **Meetings will start at 6:30 p.m. with the program, the business portion of the meeting will follow the program.** We were very happy with the Maumee Senior Center and have voted to hold all of our meetings (with the exception of August) there from now on. Map located at the back of the newsletter.

Date	Program	Location	Refreshments	Opportunity Drawing
July 14	"Christmas in July" - Paper Maché Christmas Tree Band Sampler, "Finishing Party" - finish the scissor fob project - Karlyn Thompson	Maumee Senior Center	Caren Scarbrough, Cassie Jamet	Maria Nowicki
Aug. 11	"Art Cards" - Jenny Morlock; "It's All About You, Cupcake" Party - Contest: bring your finished cupcake	Bowling Green, OH	Karlyn Thompson, Sue Hojnacki	Sue Hojnacki
Sept. 8	<i>Get It Finished</i> entries, "Punchneedle" - Nikki Beltz	Maumee Senior Center	Cathy Studer, Kelly Jackson	Carol Mullen
Oct. 13	"Finishing Party" - finish Christmas Tree Band Sampler and Bargello egg projects- Karlyn Thompson	Maumee Senior Center	Marianne Mussett, Donna Cairns	Donna Cairns
Nov. 10	"Victorian Perforated Paper" - Kim Carles-Hammer	Maumee Senior Center	Peverley Hormann, Helen Zeller	To Be Determined
Dec. 8	"And a Christmas Tree Forest Grew" - share finished paper-maché Christmas trees; Annual Christmas Party with ornament and cookie exchange; Wreath drawing; <i>Get It Finished</i> entries and winner; share contract projects; 2011 Officer Installation	Maumee Senior Center	Cookie Exchange	Nikki Beltz

Annual Needlework Show

The show will be at the Sanger Branch of the Toledo-Lucas County Public Library on Friday, September 17 and Saturday, September 18, 2010. Item drop off will be Wednesday, Sept. 15 and judging will take place on Thursday, Sept. 16. The online entry form is now available at www.needle-arts-toledo.org/showinfo.htm. Members are encouraged to take paper copies of the entry form and flyers to distribute.

It was proposed that we do a small class at the show on Saturday morning. Caren Scarbrough has received permission to teach Marilyn Owen's Ort Box and we are looking into having the class at the National Exchange Club building next to the library (thanks, Peverley). We will need to decide by the end of July if we are doing this to confirm arrangements, so look for more information at the July meeting and in the next newsletter.

Calendar of Events

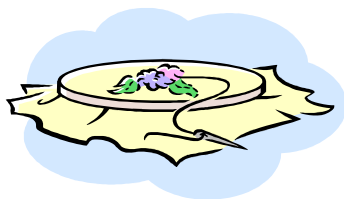
Here is a list of events besides our monthly meetings that you may find interesting. Further info may be obtained from the EGA or GLR websites or in later issues of this newsletter as it becomes available.

Dates Event Information

- 08/14/10 *Michigan State Day* - "A Michigan Picnic." Sponsored by the White Pine Chapter and will be held at the Bavarian Inn Lodge, Frankenmuth, MI. Contact Marie Lubbers at luberz@wildblue.net
- 09/05/10 – *EGA National Seminar* "Stitching on the Barbary Coast" – San Francisco, CA. Hosted by the Greater Pacific Region. Contact Mike Swan sem2010@egausa.org 510-653-6789 ext. 123
- 09/17/10 – *NAGT 35th Annual Needlework Show* at the Sanger Branch Library. Judge: Karen Wojahn.
- 10/01/10– *EGA Mill Race Chapter* "Toy Chest." Instructor: Betsy Morgan. Michigan location TBD.
- 10/02/10
- 10/03/10 *EGA Mill Race Chapter* "All Year Square Cube." Instructor: Betsy Morgan. Michigan location TBD.
- 10/01/10 – *ANG National Seminar* "Midwest Mosaics" Columbus, OH. Further info is available at the American Needlepoint Guild website www.needlepoint.org
- 10/08/10
- 04/03/11 – *GLR Seminar* in Akron OH hosted by Town & Country Chapter
- 04/07/11

ANG National Seminar

I will be attending the American Needlepoint Guild's seminar in Columbus in October. I am familiar with some of the restaurants around the convention center. If you will also be attending and would like to join me for dinner Friday and Saturday, or are you looking for advice, please contact me. *Submitted by Su Pellitieri*



Announcements and Snippets

Stitch-In

Stitch-In meetings are held every Thursday from 11am–5pm. The third Thursday of the month we are at Something Extra. The fourth Thursday will be at Swan Pointe Care Center or at a member's home. Saturday Stitch-In will be on the last Saturday of the month at the Way Public Library in Perrysburg. Come as early as 9 a.m. and stay until closing, 5 p.m. Call Katherine Thompson at 419-385-0081 or e-mail Diane Myers at jrmyers@roadrunner.com for the next meeting place. Locations change weekly.

If You Need A Ride

If there are any members needing transportation to a meeting please let us know. We have members attending from all over the area. Don't stay home just because you can't drive!

Refreshments

Thanks to all members who graciously volunteered to bring refreshments to our meetings. I'm sure I'm not alone in saying they were delicious and greatly appreciated. Thank you again. *Submitted by Donna Cairns.*

A Beautiful Day

Saturday, June 19 was the Guild Garage Sale. It was a beautiful day in the country. The sun was shining, the birds were singing, and not a drop of rain was in the sky. We did some shopping, shared good food and good stories, and even did some stitching.

Thank you to everyone who contributed items to our sale and purchased items that we couldn't live without in our stashes.

I would like to extend a special thank you to Kim Hammer and Jennifer Miller for arriving early to help sort and price items as they came in the door. Thank you also for acting as cashiers as items were purchased. I couldn't have done it without your support.

We will be adding \$75.00 to our Guild bank accounts. Thank you to all the people that supported this Guild outing. *Submitted by Karlyn Thompson.*

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For the Newsletter, visit <http://www.needle-arts-toledo.org/private/news.htm>

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Contacting the Newsletter Editor

In the future, please send all articles for the newsletter to NeedleArtsToledo@aol.com instead of to my personal email. Currently, some of the messages are getting lost in the numerous unread messages on my home account. If you need to notify me at the last minute concerning cancelled meetings or other important time-sensitive messages, please send the message to my work address, spellitieri@namsa.com. I have included all of these addresses on the officers page. Thank you.
Submitted by Su Pellitieri.

Ornaments for the Troops

A group of stitchers are stitching Christmas ornaments for troops & their family. The goal for each stitcher is to stitch at least one pair of ornaments...one goes to the military person and the other to his/her family. This is the 2nd year for this program. Here are a few of the ornaments done last year: <http://picasaweb.google.com/audbxxx/StitchingForSoldiers09>

Additional stitchers are always welcome so they can expand the number of families that receive ornaments. If interested, please send an email to Tina Davis at tinadavis2000@yahoo.com (reference Stitching Corps & let her know that you heard about this through Pev Hormann). Thanks! *Submitted by Peverley Hormann.*

Secret Stitcher (2009-2010)

Hope everyone had fun getting gifts from their secret stitchers. Here is the list of who was the secret pal for whom for the past year.

<u>Name:</u>	<u>Secret Stitcher For:</u>
Donna Cairns	Sue Hojnacki
Sue Hojnacki	Helen Zeller
Helen Zeller	Deb Williams
Deb Williams	Jennie Kronberg
Jennie Kronberg	Chris Christiansen
Chris Christiansen	Annette Keller
Annette Keller	Diane Myers
Diane Myers	Anna Kerlin
Anna Kerlin	Sue Wiemer
Sue Wiemer	Su Pellitieri
Su Pellitieri	Donna Cairns
Nancy Wright	Peverley Hormann
Peverley Hormann	Nancy Wright

Upcoming Projects

Our July project will be "Christmas in July". Some people signed the sheet that was passed around at the last meeting. You were to sign-up if you wanted to do the Paper Maché Tree Box and if you wanted green paint or you were bringing your own paint. If you didn't make it to the last meeting, don't worry, you can still do the project. I have plenty of boxes and green paint. If you want a color that is not the green that I am bringing, please bring your own paint with you. You may want to wear clothes that you don't care if you get paint splattered - this paint is not guaranteed to come out in the wash. At this program I will provide the boxes, paint, brushes, and we will go over the directions to stitch the band sampler. I used 32-count lambs-wool linen to stitch the tree. You will need an 8" x 8" square piece of fabric. I will give you a list of the overdyed threads that I used and the DMC conversion of those threads. I am expecting this project to cost \$4-\$5.

Also at this meeting, Jennifer Miller will be giving instructions on how to finish the blackwork scissor fob that was the January project. The items that you will need to bring for completing this project are: matching thread for cording, scissors for cutting paper and scissors for cutting fabric, iron-on Pellon interfacing, Warm and Natural or felt for the interior padding, cardboard for the interior of the scissor fob, tacky glue or glue sticks, ruler, and sewing thread to match your fabric. Also, if you have an iron and portable ironing board and a tool to make cording, please bring them.

Our August meeting will be in Bowling Green at the Ohio State University Extension Wood County Office, 639 South Dunbridge Road, Suite 1, Bowling Green Ohio, 43402. We will be meeting in the basement of this building. They do have an elevator. We will begin the evening at 6:30 p.m. with Jenny Morlock presenting "Art Cards". We will have our regular meeting, followed by refreshments and the "All About You, Cupcake" contest. Please remember to bring your homework - your finished "cupcake(s)".

Nikki Beltz will be providing the September program on "punchneedle". During our October program, we will be finishing our Bargello Eggs and the Paper Maché Christmas Tree projects..

Guild Wreath Ornaments

Are you working on Nativity ornaments for this year's wreath? Don't forget that the ornaments should be finished and ready to hand in at the November meeting.

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Maps and Directions for the August Meeting

Our meeting on August 11, 2010 will be held at the Ohio State University Extension - Wood County Office, located at 639 South Dunbridge Road, Suite 1, in Bowling Green, OH 43402. The road is also known as Township Highway 92. It is located east of I-75, and the site is about half a mile south of East Wooster Street (I-75 Exit 181) and about a mile north of US 6 (I-75 Exit 179).

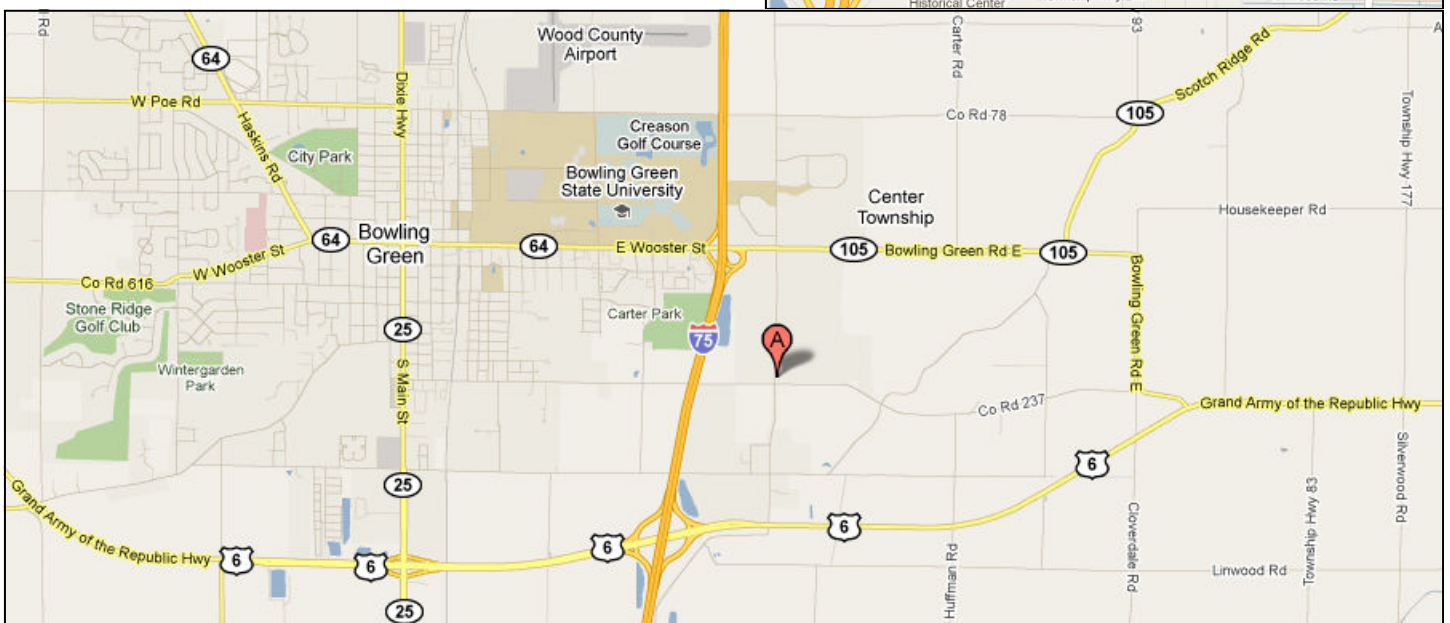
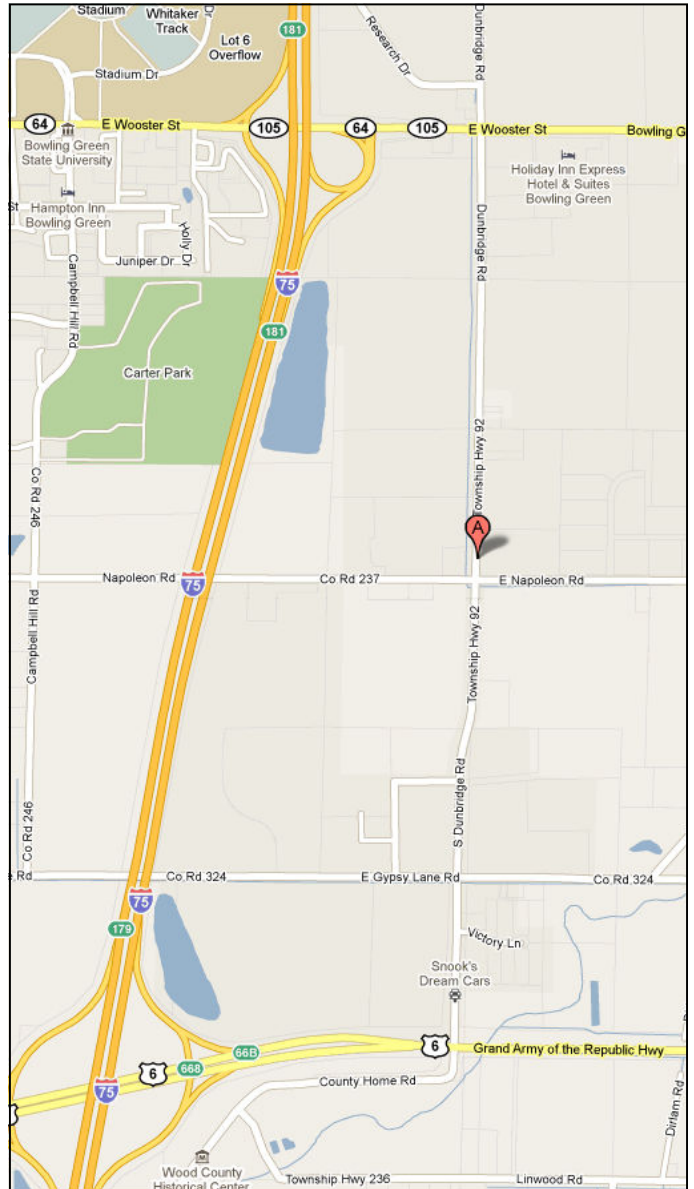
If you are coming from North (e.g., Toledo), take your best route to I-75 south of the city. Exit 181 is at the Bowling Green State University campus. Turn left at the top of the exit ramp, then turn right on S. Dunbridge Rd.

If you are coming from the East or West, you may find it easier to take US 6, which runs between Fremont and Napoleon. You should turn north on Township Highway 92 just east of I-75. This is a left turn if you're coming from the west, or a right turn from the east.

If you are coming from the south, you can take Exit 179 eastbound off I-75 and turn left on Township Highway 92 as well.

A detailed map appears to the right, showing the two exits from I-75. A more general map of the area appears below.

Maps courtesy of Google Maps



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ANNUAL DUES - NAGT annual dues of \$43 includes:

Dues - Local chapter

- Bimonthly NAGT chapter newsletter
- Chapter meetings and programs
- Local chapter lending library
- Group correspondence course (additional fee required)

Dues - Great Lakes Region (GLR)

- GLR seminar (additional fee required)

Dues - The Embroiderers' Guild of America, Inc. (EGA)

- Subscription to quarterly magazine, Needle Arts
- Individual correspondence courses for a fee
- National seminars for a fee

Members can attend optional local Chapter workshops presented by teachers contracted by the Chapter and paid for by workshop participants.

MEETINGS are on the second Wednesday of the month at 6:30 p.m. in the Maumee Senior Center, 2430 Detroit Ave., Maumee OH 43537. Please note that the Google Map below labels Rte. 25/24 as S. Detroit Ave. south of the Ohio Turnpike, but it really is Anthony Wayne Trail.

GUESTS are welcome at all meetings and may attend two meetings before being asked to join.

NAME TAGS must be worn at all meetings or pay a 25¢ fine. The fines collected go to general funds to help cover expenses.

MEETING CANCELLATION: Monthly meetings are cancelled due to bad weather if the Toledo Public schools are closed. Tune into AM 1 3 7 0

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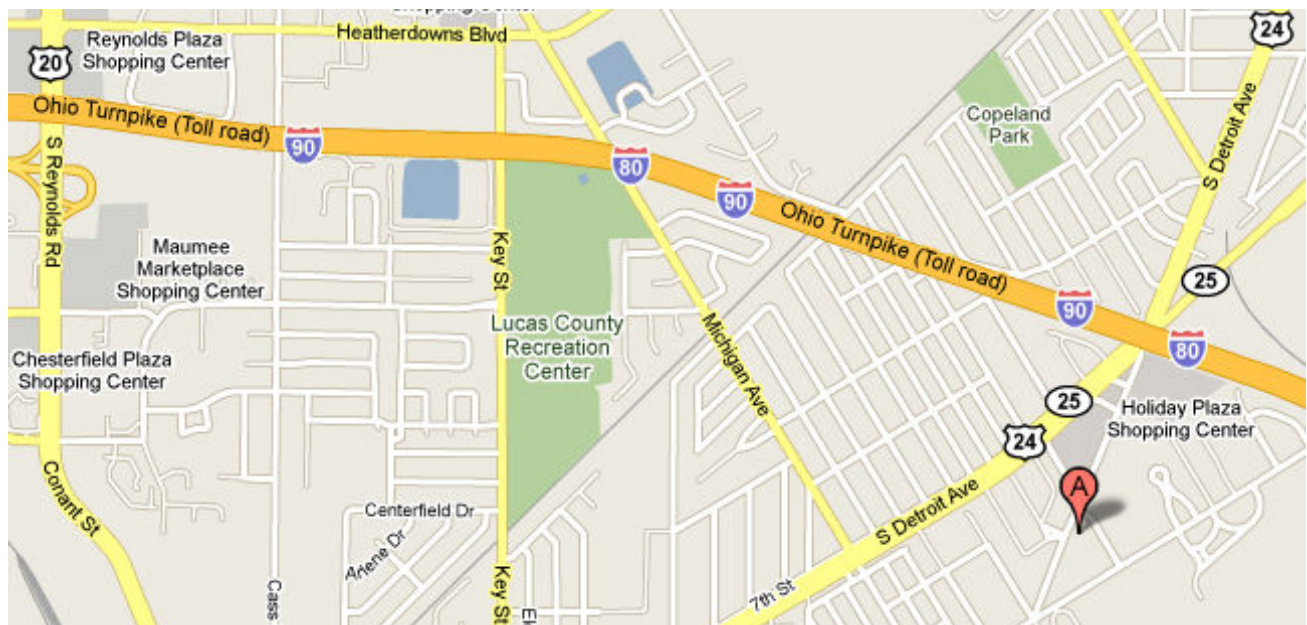
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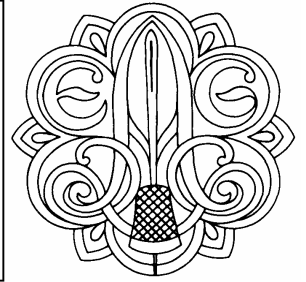
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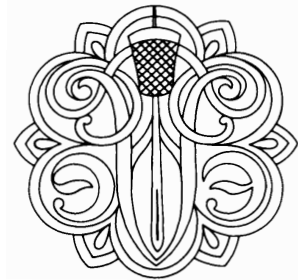


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- Teach the embroidery arts; and
- Preserve our national needle arts heritage.

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