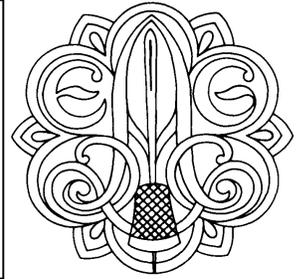




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Program Schedule

Here is a tentative schedule for the exciting new programs that will be featured this year. **Meetings will start at 6:30 p.m. at the Maumee Senior Center.** A map is located at the back of the newsletter. Please look for a sign up list for the refreshments and opportunity drawing baskets.

Date	Program	Refreshments	Opportunity
Sep. 10	Irene Leonard will have the latest information on our show and will also discuss some of the finer details of needlepainting. Bring in your works in progress for everyone to see; <i>Get It Finished</i> entries	Kathy Falgout	Christine Hampshire
Oct. 8	Gretchen Schultz will bring in some of her antique quilts and will also discuss dating fabric. Bring in your vintage quilts to share with the group.	Julia Stange	Maria Nowicki
Nov. 12	Irene Leonard will present <i>Deerfield Embroidery</i> , which is sometimes called <i>American Crewel</i> .	Sue Weimer	To Be Determined
Dec. 10	Annual Ornament and Cookie Exchange; <i>Get It Finished</i> entries; Officer Installation; Mitten Wreath drawing.	Cookie Exchange	To Be Determined

From The President's Desk

First, I would like to thank Marianne Mussett for agreeing to be the chapter Vice President. And thanks also to Anna Kerlin for taking on the task to find our new Vice President.

As August winds down, we are fast approaching our annual show in September. Here's one more reminder to get your submission paperwork in. As Su has shared in the past, it's better for her to get the information early rather than last minute. Let's make her administrative tasks as easy as possible and get those entry forms in.

On a personal note, I shared in July that we had a water leak in our house which has been a major inconvenience. At the August meeting, I was optimistic that everything would be put back within 2 more weeks. As of today, the kitchen flooring has gone AWOL. So it looks like I might be "camping out" in my family room for 2 or 3 more weeks. I do appreciate all of the kind words from everyone at the meetings on my situation. Hopefully by the September meeting all will be back in place.

I hope everyone has a great end of summer and I'll see you at the September meeting.

Kathy Falgout

Get It Finished!

Don't forget to bring in your projects to the September meeting!

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 (www.egausa.org) or GLR (www.ega-glr.org)

Dates	Event Information
09/20/14	GLR Fall Meeting - The meeting will be held at the Indianapolis Marriot East, 7202 E. 21st St,
10/18/14 — 10/24/14	EGA Seminar - "Dreams and Legends" Hosted by the Pacific Southwest Region. Location: Phoenix, AZ. Visit the EGA website for more information.
11/01/14	Indiana State Day - Hosted by Elkhart Chapter EGA . "Stitching Hands Make Happy Hearts" designed by Charlene Eslinger. Location: Faith (formerly Trinity) Lutheran Church 202 Greene Rd., Goshen, IN, 46526. Registration deadline: 09/15/14. See the GLR website for more info and pictures.
11/01/14 — 11/02/14	International Traveling Teacher - Hosted by NAGT . "Rambling Clematis" by Alison Cole. Location: Farnsworth Metropark, Roche de Bout shelter house, Waterville, OH. See details in the article at right.

View details of the projects and events in the Calendar at www.ega-glr.org or www.egausa.org
Follow links on these pages as needed to locate registration forms and visit chapter websites to view color photos.

Announcements and Snippets

Program and Education Notes

September: Needlepainting Revisited. We are continuing the Needlepainting project that we started earlier this year. Hopefully, you have selected a design and transferred it on your fabric. As far as fibers, floss works great and I am sure everyone has an abundance of floss in your stash. After a brief review, we will be stitching. I still have fabric and handouts available for this program. *Submitted by Irene Leonard.*

Annual Needlework Show

The 39th Annual Needlework Show will be held at the Toledo-Lucas County Public Library, Sanger Branch September 19th and 20th. You may drop off your entries Wednesday September 17th 2:30-6:30 pm. Judging and hanging the show will be Thursday September 18th 9:00-5:00. Friday September 19th the show is open to the public from 9:00 to 5:30. Saturday September 20th the show is public from 9:00 to 4:00. At 4:00 you may pick up your pieces and we start cleaning up the room. Remember that we are a volunteer based organization and we need volunteers to help with the show. A sign up sheet will be available at stitch-ins and at the meeting to help with the show. Also, please submit your entries on-line or by mail NOW! Please don't wait. It is easier for Su Pellitieri to delete a piece that wasn't finished rather than rushing at the end to get your pieces entered properly in the registration system. *Submitted by Irene Leonard.*

Registrar's Note: As of this writing, I only have 6 people with a total of 26 entries registered online and have received no entries in the mail. I have about 6 - 7 pieces myself (working on framing this weekend). This is the fewest number at this time that I can remember in recent years. We typically have 100-150 items. Let's work to make this as great a show as in years past. *Submitted by Su Pellitieri.*

International Traveling Teacher

We will be hosting Alison Cole teaching *Rambling Clematis* (left) on Saturday & Sunday, November 1-2, 2014. The class will run from 9:30 to 4:30 with a one hour break for lunch.

We will meet at the Farnsworth Metropark, Roche de Bout shelter house. The address is 8505 S. River Rd., Waterville, Ohio 43566 for your GPS. I put it into Google Maps and those directions were good. The shelter has recently been redecorated and does have a kitchen we can use. There are plenty of windows, but since we will be there in November, there are outlets for your light. Once you are on River Rd. from Toledo and get through Waterville, the shelter is on the left. Look for the Roche de Bout sign and turn in that driveway. The shelter is at the end of that parking lot. It is very to easy to see from the road, but if you pass it coming from Toledo, you missed the drive. Turn around and try again.

Lunch will be catered both days from Chowders N Moor in Waterville. There will be a selection of sandwiches and a green salad. Bring your own drink. We will have table service. I will be sending the class supply list to the people who have signed up. See the EGA website for more info on this project. *Submitted by Caren Scarbrough.*



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Future Projects

The latest Designers Across America project is a woolen Buttercup pin cushion designed by Deborah Tirico. Maria Nowicki took a class in this technique and has agreed to teach us the pin cushion project next year. Maria will also kit this out for us, so we need to know how many kits we will need. Please sign the list at the September meeting. If you can't make the meeting, please call or e-mail Maria to get on the list.

Many of us signed up for the automatic delivery of four Designers Across America projects per year. If so, you should already have received your directions. If you are not part of the regular mailings and would like to do this project, you must order the pattern directly from EGA. Ordering information is on page 11 of the current (September 2014) *Needlearts* magazine. The deadline for ordering is November 30, so don't delay!

Featured in Needlearts

The September 2014 issue of *Needlearts* includes a lovely Iris design by Marnie Ritter. If you haven't already chosen a design for our needlepainting project, this one would be ideal. Marnie uses silk, but you could also use cotton floss. Irises can be just about any color, so you can match your décor or use floss from your stash. If you decide to change colors, be sure to read Marnie's notes about the subtlety of the color changes and choose accordingly. *Submitted by Caren Scarbrough.*

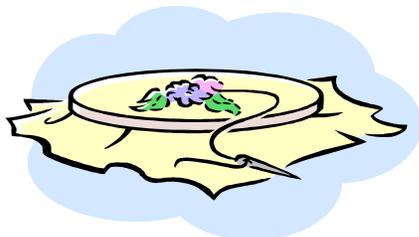
Around the Area

There are two quilt shows in our area that you may want to see. A Weekend of Quilts at Toledo Mennonite Church, 5501 Nebraska Avenue, Friday, September 26th and Saturday, September 27th. The show opens at 10:00 a.m. each day. There will be over 50 handmade quilts on display and one quilt will be raffled at the end of the show Saturday 5:00 p.m. (need not be present to win). Admission, lunch, bake sale and raffle proceeds are a fundraiser to benefit the After School Tutoring Program at Toledo Mennonite Church. Please call the church office at 419-536-1251 or Karen Rupp, chairwoman, 419-382-6144 for more information.

Also, save the date for the Annual Quilt Show at All Saints Lutheran Church, 5445 Heatherdowns (near Southwyck Bowling Lanes), Friday and Saturday, November 7th & 8th.

Congratulations to Great Stitchers

Congratulations go to Karlyn Thompson and Jenny Kronberg. Karlyn won many blue ribbons and Best In Show at the Wood County Fair. Jenny won ribbons at the Lucas County Fair. *Submitted by Diane Myers.*



Hungarian Embroidery

Recently I attended a program on Hungarian embroidery at Birmingham Library in the ethnic neighborhood in East Toledo. There were many women in attendance from the embroidery group which meets weekly. Anyone interested in learning Hungarian embroidery is invited to Calvin United Church of Christ at 1946 Bakewell Street. Classes will start up again after the summer break on Monday, September 8 and every Monday thereafter. There is an afternoon group from 2 – 4 and an evening group from 6 – 8. When I attended this group several years ago, printed fabric and perle cotton was available for purchase. Guidance was given as to color choices for traditional motifs. Photos are included below of some of the gorgeous work. *Submitted by Diane Myers*



This is Hungarian embroidery from the South Plains in southern Hungary. The colors are not bright as we are used to seeing. *All photos by D. Myers.*

Photo Gallery



Karlyn Thompson's entry in the Wood County Fair. *Photo by D. Myers.*



Donna Cairns showing her finished piece on Get-It-Finished night in June. *Photo by D. Myers.*



The Sanger Library display case. *Photo by D. Myers.*



◀ Diane Myers helping Sue Weimer with the Herbarium project. ▲ Diane displays her finished piece. *Photos by M. Nowicki.*

Photo Gallery

Cathy Studer leads the Color program during the July meeting. *Photos by M. Nowicki.*



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For the Newsletter, visit
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The show information and entry forms are available on our website. You may also download flyers at our newsletter website location. Please print and distribute these flyers to advertise our show. Encourage as many people as possible to enter and to come see the show.

Photo Gallery

Gretchen Schultz discusses her Antique Needlework Tools for the August meeting program. *Photos by M. Nowicki.*



Stitch-In

The first Thursday of the month we meet at Timeless Stitches in Tecumseh starting around 11:30am, winter weather permitting. The fourth Thursday of the month we meet at Yarn Envy, 4570 Sterns Road. Other weeks, the locations change. Call Katherine Thompson or email Diane Myers for more information.

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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.

MEETING CANCELLATION: Monthly meetings are cancelled due to bad weather if the Toledo Public schools are closed. Tune into AM 1370 News radio in Toledo for school closings.

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.

MEETINGS are on the 2nd Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm in the Maumee Senior Center, 2430 Detroit Ave., Maumee OH 43537. The Google Map below labels Rte. 25/24 as S. Detroit Ave. south of the Ohio Turnpike, but it really is Anthony Wayne Trail.

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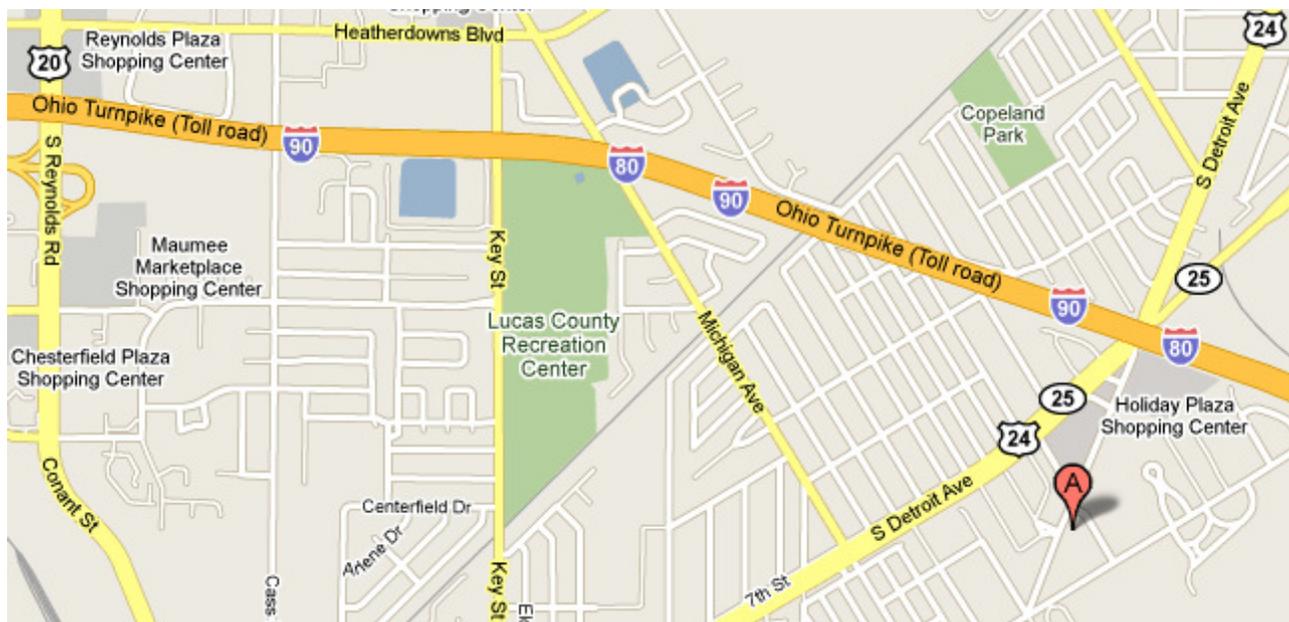
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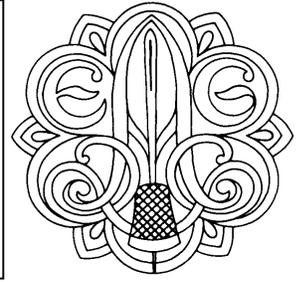
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- Teach the embroidery arts; and
- Preserve our national needle arts heritage.

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