

# Needle Arts Guild of Toledo

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## From the President's Stitching Chair: Sue Wiemer

June 14th

- ◆ Meeting at the Epilepsy Center
- ◆ 6:30pm

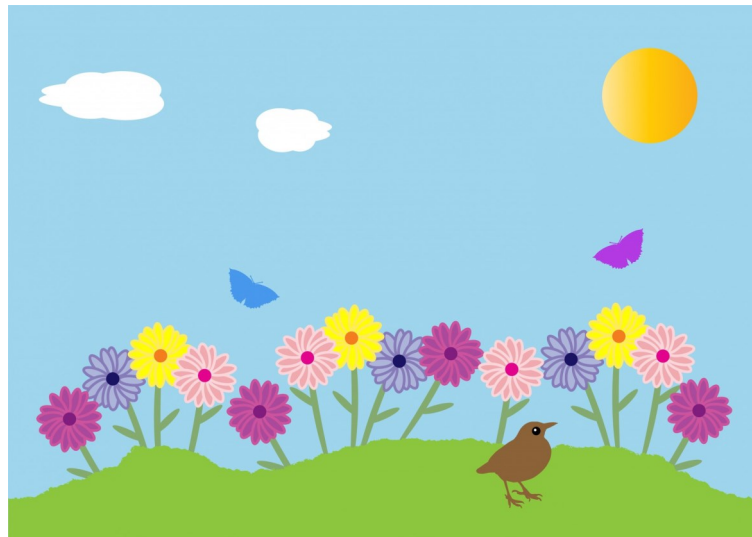
July 12th

- ◆ Meeting at the Epilepsy Center
- ◆ 6:30pm

I hope you all had a wonderful Memorial Day weekend. It's good to remember those who have served our country so that we have our freedom.

Looking forward to the June meeting with the potluck and Get it Finished. Don't forget to bring your plate and silverware, and of course your food to share. I always enjoy tasting different foods.

I hope you all got a lot of stitching done in the cold weather. Now that we can be outside more, I don't stitch as much. I'm grateful for our Thursday and Last Saturday stitching.



## Get It Finished: Mary Lee Foley

Remember to bring Get It Finished items to the June meeting. You will get a ticket for each item entered into a drawing for a prize in December. Remember, the items don't have to be FFO's (fully finished objects). We're eager to see your stitched finishes!

## Quilts and Needle Arts Festival : Diane Myers

NAGT will be partnering with the Black Swamp Quilters Guild for the second Quilts and Needle Arts Festival. The location is once again on the Wood County Fairgrounds in Bowling Green, Ohio. We were scheduled to be in the Jr. Fair Building, but someone double booked the building so we have been moved to the Pratt Pavilion. It's very nice and very large! The entry drop-off day is September 20 from 10 – 2. I will be picking up entries at the September 13 meeting also if you want to save a trip to BG. Let me know if these dates don't fit your schedule and we can make arrangements. The Festival will be open Thursday – Saturday, September 21- 23. All entries must be picked up at the close of the show on Saturday. If you can't be there for pick-up, make arrangements for another guild member to get your pieces.

I will have entry forms at the June, July, and August meetings. I can also email the form to you for download. I would like to have entry forms by September 1. Do not enter anything that has previously been shown in the Quilts and Needle Arts Festival. We welcome antique needlework with a story.

As always, we will need your help in demonstrating needlework techniques, talking with visitors, and circulating through our display on all three days. I will have a sign up sheet at the July and August meetings. I can't wait to see all of your entries!

Questions? Email me at [jrmyers@roadrunner.com](mailto:jrmyers@roadrunner.com) or call 419-705-8156.

## Thursday Stitch-In : Diane Myers

Here's the stitch-in locations for June. It's open to everyone. It's a great time to ask questions and get suggestions.

June 1 – Timeless Stitches in Tecumseh. We are meeting for lunch at the British Tea Pantry at 11:20.

June 8 – King Road Library in the Conference Room from 12:30 – 4.

June 15 – Diane Myers', 22045 W. River Rd. Grand Rapids OH. Lunch provided.

June 22 – Way Public Library in Perrysburg 12:30 – 4 in Conference Room 2

June 29 – Maumee Library at the big table near the children's section.



## Treasurer's Report: Carol Ann Woidke

Beginning Balance.	\$3,792.52
<u>Receipts</u>	
Annual Member Dues.	234.00
<u>Disbursements</u>	
EGA Dues Payment.	(819.00)
GLR Due Payment.	(75.00)
Postage Stamps for Treasurer.	(12.60)
Balance.	\$3119.92

## Membership: Marianne Mussett

Thank you all for making my job and Carol Ann's job a little easier. You have probably received your notice from EGA that your dues has been received. Our goal is to always make sure we send in the dues to EGA and to GLR earlier than the EGA May 31 deadline. It helps make their work a little easier.

If for some reason you did not send in your dues check by our guild deadline of May 15th, please send it to me now and I will get the paperwork done for GLR and EGA.

A new Roster will be put out in late June.

## Zoom: Marianne Mussett

I made an executive decision at our last meeting. My sanity needs a break from including Zoom in our meetings. We will not be having hybrid meetings this summer. The plan is to restart our Zoom feature in October when the nights are getting shorter and people prefer or cannot not drive to our meeting. Thank you for understanding that I need a little time to just relax.

## Last Saturday Stitch In : Marianne Mussett

The Last Saturday Stitch In group would love to have those who cannot make the Thursday Stitch In join us to stitch, chat, and relax with friends. Bring a friend of yours too. We do not require that you be a member of NAGT to have fun with us. We meet at The Epilepsy Center at 1:00 pm, and usually end our stitching fun at 3:30 or 4:00 pm.

# Meeting Minutes: Irene Leonard

Needle Arts Guild of Toledo  
May 10, 2023

Presiding: President Sue Wiemer Called the meeting to order at 6:30 pm.  
Members in attendance 13, zoom was not available due to technical problems.

Topic	Discussion	Action
Minutes of the last meeting & Treasurer's Report	Minutes and Treasurer's Report of the April meeting were sent in the newsletter.	Treasurer's Report and Secretary's report accepted.
Membership	Marianne reported that due by the end of May	Dues are \$52.00 annually. Marianne needs your check ASAP
Show	Diane will provide entry forms and additional information at the June meeting	
Outreach	Sue reported that she still needs a volunteer to stitch 1 Habitate Sampler.	1 Volunteer needed. Please see Sue Wiemer if you are interested
New Business	Marianne reported that meetings on Zoom will not be available during the summer months.  Marianne reported that the group has received an invitation to have a Stitch-In or a program for the residents of Oakleaf.	Please attend the meetings in person.  Marianne asked the membership to think about this. Discussion to follow at future meetings.
Adjournment	Having no additional reports, the meeting was adjourned at 6:45	Refreshments and Program to follow

Respectfully Submitted, Irene N. Leonard, Secretary

## Hospitality

June: Pot Luck

August: Ann R. & Susan Kidd

October: Ann R. & Susan Kidd

December: Cookie Exchange

July: Maria

September: Janet M.

November: \*\*\*NEED A VOLUNTEER

## Happy June Birthday!

. No guild members born in June.



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- **Foster high standards of design, color, and workmanship in embroidery;**
- **Teach the embroidery arts; and**
- **Preserve our national needle arts heritage.**

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