

**National Teacher; Sue Spargo**

**June 4-8, 2018**

Each class fee will include expert instruction, a trunk show, class kit, lunch and snacks. Doors open at 8:30am and class starts promptly at 9:00am. Supply lists are on the website. Classes Chick Play and Flower Vase require homework. Kits will be available no later than 2 months prior to class dates for homework completion.

**1. Circle Play Needle Case~All Skill Levels**

**Monday, June 4 9-4pm \$175**

This class is aimed as an introduction to working with wool and basic embroidery stitches. It focuses on Sue's techniques for wool appliqué using Ellana wool thread and an introduction to creative embroidery stitches using Eleganza Pearl Cotton. On the back cover of the needle case, students will learn 8-10 of the basic stitches. Sue then encourages the students to be creative and play by combining stitches to decorate a textural front cover.



**2. Chick Play Wall Hanging (approximately 12.5" x 16")~All Skill Levels are welcome, but a knowledge of stitches in Sue's Creative Stitch book is highly recommended.**

**Tuesday, June 5 and Wednesday, June 6 9-4pm \$375 (2 days)**

Students in this class will be creating a small layered repetitive study using wools from Sue's "60 color to dye for" line. Sue will teach the students how to make their birds come alive by focusing on different stitch formations to get a visual effect for feathers, beaks, legs and headaddresses. Each bird will be unique and develop their own personality. Students will also learn to emboss and needle turn velvet wings.

Students will be required to come to class with a base layer of all (16) chicks sewn down. Note; Sample picture contains more chicks than actual project.



**3. Flower Vase Wall Hanging**~All Skill Levels are welcome, but a knowledge of stitches in Sue's Creative Stitch book is highly recommended.

**Thursday, June 7 and Friday, June 8 9-4pm 2 days \$375 (2 days)**

The focal point of this class is to create a unique flower vase. Students will spend class exploring different techniques to embellish their flower vase with stems, dimensional flowers and leaves. Techniques that will be taught are fussy cutting, ruching, hexagons, embossing etc. Sue will discuss how to create a unique border at the end of class.

Students will be required to come to class with the base of the block already appliquéd in place.



National Teacher Workshops are non-refundable. If you are unable to attend a class, a full refund will only be given if there is a student to fill the spot. We will keep a waitlist of students interested in each class and try our best to fill the spot.