

Learn Something New!



Spotlight Pendant



October 2016 thru December 2016
Class Catalog

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CLASS INFORMATION

- You may register in person or by phone (262)781-7670. If calling by phone, please have your credit card handy. Please note: We cannot redeem gift certificates over the phone.
- Payment in full is required to reserve your space. We accept cash, personal checks, VISA, MASTERCARD & DISCOVER.
- Samples of completed class projects are on display at the store and can be viewed online at **midwestbeads.com**. Sorry, no web registrations or e-mail registrations at this time.
- Class sizes are limited and filled on a first come, first serve basis. Please ask to be put on a waiting list if your class choice is filled.
- Classes are intended for adults. We ask that you be at least 14 years or older to attend.
- Supply lists will be available when you register. Please make sure to have all necessary materials **PRIOR** to the start of your class.
- Tools, if needed, will be provided at no additional charge. Tools are the property of Midwest Beads and stay in the classroom.
- All classes start promptly at times stated. Please be courteous to fellow class members by being on time and turning off cell phones.

CANCELLATION POLICY

Please Read BEFORE Signing Up For Your Classes!

- Choose your classes wisely, as all class sales are final. No refunds, transfers or store credits will be made if you cannot attend. However, if you call the store in advance, we can hold a set of instructions for you OR you may send an adult friend in your place.
- If we need to cancel a class due to weather or low attendance, you will be notified and you will have a choice of attending a rescheduled class, a transfer, a full refund or store credit.



**Hurry!
Call To Sign up Now!
Classes Fill Quickly!**

See A Class, But Can't Make the Date?

Call Us & We Will See If We Can Create A Special Time For Just For You. (262-781-7670)

Note: May not apply to all offerings.

Class Schedule

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ALL DAY “FREE” STITCHING EVENTS

**MARK YOUR CALENDARS FOR THE FOLLOWING
THURSDAYS:**

**October 13
October 27
November 17
December 1
December 15
December 29**

**We supply the project pattern, tables, chairs & talented
“Beadologists” to assist you every step of the way as we
work on a simple stitching project.**

Projects To Be Announced!

Watch your e-mails for details!



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Learn A New Traditional Stitch Every Week!

Join us for our **FREE** Traditional Stitching Workshops every **Tuesday from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon.**

We will supply the materials & instruction so you can master a new basic stitch every week!

You may attend as many workshops as you like, but you **MUST PRE-REGISTER** for each. These are expected to be popular, so sign-up early.

Choose from the following:

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| Peyote | October 11 |
| Right Angle Weave | October 18 |
| Spiral Rope | October 25 |
| Brick Stitch | November 1 |
| Square Stitch | November 8 |
| Netting | November 15 |
| Herringbone (aka: Ndebele) | November 22 |
| Triangle Weave | November 29 |

Learn A New “Non-Traditional” Stitch Every Week!

Join us for our **FREE** Non-Traditional Stitching Workshops every **Friday from 11:00 a.m.-12:00 Noon.**

We will supply the materials & instruction so you can master a new exceptional stitch every week!

You may attend as many workshops as you like, but you **MUST PRE-REGISTER** for each. These are expected to be popular, so sign-up early.

Choose from the following:

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| 2-Drop Peyote | October 14 |
| Diagonal Peyote | October 21 |
| Triangular Peyote | October 28 |
| Odd Count Peyote | November 4 |
| Russian Spiral | November 11 |
| Chenille | November 18 |
| St. Petersburg | December 2 |



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and *include materials*.

How To String A Bracelet & Matching Earrings

Wednesday, October 12,
11:00-12:30



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A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and *include materials*.

How To Make a Netted Bead

Tuesday, October 18,
1:30-2:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make Wire Wrapped Loops

Wednesday, October 19,
11:00-1:00



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A Stretchy Bracelet

Friday, October 21, 1:30-2:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make Wire Wrapped Rings

Tuesday, October 25,
1:30-3:00



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make a 5-Bead Bangle

Wednesday, November 2,
11:00-12:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A Peyote Stitched Bail

Thursday, November 3,
2:00-3:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make a 3-Stranded Tigertail Necklace

Tuesday, November 8,
2:00-3:00 p.m.



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A Love Knot Bracelet

Wednesday, November 9,
11:00-12:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make Simple Drop Earrings

Tuesday, November 22,
2:00-4:00 p.m.



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and *include materials*.

How To Wire Wrap A Tumbled Stone & Piece Of Sea Glass

Wednesday, November 23,
11:00-12:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and *include materials*.

-How To Make A Leather Wrap

Wednesday, November 30,
2:00-3:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Stitch A Sparkling Christmas Tree

Friday, December 2,
2:00-4:00



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A Netted Luna Soft Pendant

Tuesday, December 6,
11:00-12:30



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A Crystal Nugget Necklace

Wednesday, December 7,
11:00-1:00 p.m.



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A 2-Stranded Knotted Necklace

Friday, December 9,
11:00-1:00



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make A Memory Wire Bracelet

Tuesday, December 13,
11:00-1:00



DAYTIME MINI CLASSES

A series of 1-2 hour classes focusing on basic techniques & projects. Beginner friendly.

All classes are \$15 and include materials.

How To Make Diagonal Peyote Tube Earrings

Wednesday, December 14,
11:00-1:00

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Romulus Star -NEW!

**Thursday, October 20,
6:00-8:30 p.m.**

Delicate & Flirty. Learn how to combine the popular Diamond Duos & Crystals to create a star shaped bracelet that will make the solar system light up with excitement.

Skill Level: Some stitching experience suggested.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

Class Schedule

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Hammered –back by popular demand!

**Wednesday, October 26,
6:00-8:30 p.m.**

Make a sophisticated necklace center- piece showcasing semi-precious gems, crystals, pearls & chain. Learn how to hammer & harden gauge wire using a ball pein hammer & anvil. A great class for those wanting to begin or sharpen their wire wrapping skills.

Skill Level: Beginner.
Class Fee: \$22, Materials Not Included

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Ruffled Silkies - NEW!

**Thursday, November 3,
6:00-8:30 p.m.**

Learn how to work with the popular 2-hole Silky beads & Super Duos as you weave together a stunning band that has a little hint of sparkle along the edges.

Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, materials not included.

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Calypso Bracelet –back by popular demand!

**Thursday, November 10,
5:30-8:30 p.m.**

Learn how to sprinkle tons of little “O” beads over a quick-stitched base of seed beads. A bracelet that will bring smiles wherever you go!

Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.
Class Fee: \$22, Materials Not Included.

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Origami -NEW!

**Wednesday, November 16,
5:30-8:30**

Do you remember how to make a chatterbox or paper fortune teller game from your childhood? This bracelet design is very reminiscent of that era. Petite triangles give texture & dimension to this design without adding bulk.

Skill Level: Some stitching experience is suggested.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
Only \$10, Materials Not Included.

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Cobblestone Bracelet -NEW!

**Wednesday, November 30,
5:30-8:30**

In this class you will learn how to combine the stitches of herringbone & peyote to create a wide, modern bracelet design.

Skill Level: Intermediate/Stitching.

**Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Regal Rings -NEW!

**Tuesday, October, 11,
1:30-3:30 p.m.**

If you love rings, then this class is for you! Learn how to weave crystals & seed beads together to make a low profile ring with a wide band so it won't spin around your finger or easily slip off.

Level: Motivated Beginner/Stitching.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.



Lush -NEW!

**Thursday, October 20,
1:00-4:00 p.m.**

Immerse yourself in crystals! Learn how to make a double tiered, right angle weave bracelet with 2 colors of decadent crystals embellishing the top.

Skill Level: Some stitching experience suggested.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Brick Stitch Lariat -NEW!

**Wednesday, October 26,
1:00-4:00**

Learn how to work brick stitch around a metal ring & a round pearl to make this fun lariat style necklace.

Level: Beginner.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Diamond Duo Classic Necklace

**Thursday, November 10,
1:00-4:00 p.m.**

In this class learn how to ladder stitch a base row & embellish with seed beads & DiamonDuos to create a necklace that lies elegantly & gracefully around your neck.

**Skill Level: Beginner/Stitching.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Crystal Lattice Bracelet –back by popular demand!

**Wednesday, November 16,
1:00-4:00 p.m.**

A class for beaders who love BLING! Learn how to make two rows of right angle weave & connect them with a lattice work of seed beads.

Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Casual Chic Pearl Bracelet

**Saturday, October 15,
10:30-1:30 p.m.**

Stylish & Sophisticated. A stunning display of Swarovski pearls & seed beads. In this class you will learn some right angle weave & embellishing techniques that are essential for every beader to know.

Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.

**Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**



Spotlight Pendant -NEW

**Saturday, October 15.
2:30-4:00 p.m.**

This pendant may be small but will get rave reviews as you give it center stage!
Learn how to stitch a bezel around a Swarovski rivoli using circular peyote stitch.

**Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Pin It! -NEW!

**Sunday, October 16,
12:30-3:30**

Let's bring back pretty pins to hold our scarves in place this fall or add a bit of flair to any outfit with these fun bits of color. Learn how to incorporate filigree and pin findings to fabricate a base & then embellish with all sorts of sparkle. A wide variety of bead/findings kits will be available in class for \$10. Students need to bring 6-8lb fireline & #12 needles to class.

Instructor: Anna Draeger,
Class Fee \$35,
Kits \$10 can be purchased on day of class.

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Curved Chain Link Bracelet NEW!

**Saturday, October 22,
10:30-1:00 p.m.**

A beautiful easy-to-master, cross-woven bracelet using chain links, crystals & flexible beading wire.

Skill Level: Any.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,

\$25 (Includes chain & wire; Other Materials Not Included.)

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House of Mirrors

**Saturday, October 22,
2:00-5:00 p.m.**

In this class learn how to make a quick-moving glitzy & glamorous bracelet adding crystals between rows of peyote stitch. Don't miss this opportunity to learn a very popular stitch.

Skill Level: Beginner/Stitching.

**Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Double Vertebrae Bracelet -NEW!

**Sunday, October 23,
12:30-3:30 p.m.**

This wide, glamorous design has a double central core of crystals & smaller crystals decorating each side. Learn an easy stitch & how to attractively attach a 2-strand tube clasp.

Add this stunning bracelet to your jewelry wardrobe this fall.

Skill Level: Beginner/Stitching.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
Only \$10, Materials Not Included.

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Brick Stitch Baby -NEW!

**Saturday, October 29,
10:30-1:30**

Stack layers of 2-hole beads & seed beads using a modified brick-stitch technique to create a bracelet or bangle of tantalizing texture. Almost any 2-hole bead can be included in this design, so once you learn the basic technique, the variety (and the width of your bracelet) will have endless possibilities.

Skill Level: Some stitching experience suggested.

Instructor: Anna Draeger,

Class Fee: \$35.

May purchase your own materials OR "Bead Only" Kits can be purchased on day of class, \$15-20 depending on bracelet width.

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Charming Fall Foliage -NEW!

**Saturday, October 29,
2:00-5:00**

In this class students will learn how to manipulate a heavy gauge wire to create a base for a fun, floral charm bracelet.

The making of basic, wrapped & decorative loops will be taught. This stash-busting bracelet is perfect for using up those odds & ends. Instructor will have a variety of bead packs for sale to supplement your own bead selection if needed.

Skill Level: Any.
Instructor: Anna Draeger,
Class Fee: \$35, Materials Not Included.

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Viking Knit Workshop

**Sunday, October 30,
12:30-3:30 p.m.**

Learn an ancient style of wire knitting to create this handsome woven bracelet or necklace component. After the knit is complete we will be pulling it thru a drawplate to achieve a consistent netted look. Finish with cones, a clasp & a few wire wraps for your choice of a bracelet or necklace.

Skill Level: Any,
Instructor: Alice Lauber
Class Fee: \$40

(Includes Viking Knit Wire Weaving Tool, a \$24.95 value); Other Materials Not Included.



Traditional Wire Wrapped Stone Setting

**Sunday, November 6,
12:30-3:00 p.m.**

Master wire wrapping basics & develop your own unique style. Learn how to take 3 wires & frame your stone with a wrapped foundation at the bottom & infinite design opportunities at the top!

Pre-Requisite: None.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Hubble Stitch Workshop -back by popular demand!

**Saturday, November 12,
10:30-1:00 p.m.**

Come & spend a couple hours with us & learn a brand new stitch that will both delight & challenge beadworkers. There is an element of both herringbone & ladder stitch to this new weave that produces beautiful, lacy beadwork.

Skill Level: Any.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$20, All Materials Included!

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Twisted Lariat -NEW!

**Saturday, November 12,
2:00-5:00 p.m.**

Simple elegance. Learn how to make a delicate, crystal spiral drop that cascades thru a circular peyote stitched ring. Make this everyday lariat that never gets boring.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Holiday Snowflake Ornament

**Sunday, November 13,
12:30-3:30**

This intricate-looking ornament is deceptively “do-able”. Clear cut instructions will guide you thru the hand-crafted holiday project that anyone on your gift list would appreciate.

Skill Level: Some stitching experience suggested.

Instructor: Anna Draeger,
\$35, Materials Not Included.



Kaleidoscope Pendant

**Saturday, November 19,
10:30-1:00**

Learn a little right angle weave as you make an ultra blingy pendant that will turn heads! You will also learn how to stitch a peyote bail that will hold the test of time.

**Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Flaming Jewels

**Saturday, November 19,
2:00-5:00 p.m.**

Trying to figure out how these criss-crossing crystals weave together looks like a real mind-bender...but easy when you know the tricks. No beading needle required! Come & learn the secret so that you can use it over & over again to make glamorous bracelets in every color of the rainbow!

Level: Beginner Friendly.
Instructor: Alice Lauber, \$22,
Materials Not Included

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Jewel Loom Bracelet

**Sunday, November 20,
12:30-3:30**

The Jewel Loom is an innovative, portable, lightweight and easy to use loom. In this class learn how to set up a loom, attach the warp threads, string the beads & finish the ends. The perfect class for the beader who wants to learn how to use a bead loom.

Class Fee: \$35 (*Includes Jewel Loom*)

Other Materials Not Included.

Skill Level: Any.

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Confetti Chain

**Sunday, November 27,
12:30-3:30 p.m.**

Beware: Making jump ring jewelry can be addicting!
Chain Maille is the ancient art of properly connecting jump rings to form strong secure links creating beautiful patterns. In this class, learn to create the complex-looking, but easy-to-master Byzantine chain with colorful jumpring mixes.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$30, ALL MATERIALS INCLUDED.

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Regal Rings -NEW!

**Sunday, December 4,
12:30-2:30**

If you love rings, then this class is for you! Learn how to weave crystals & seed beads together to make a low profile ring with a wide band so it won't spin around your finger or easily slip off.

Level: Motivated Beginner/Stitching.

Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Tilicious Netted Necklace -NEW!

**Saturday, December 10,
10:30-1pm**

Delicious Tila beads are the main ingredient in this simple, lightweight netted necklace. Lays comfortably around the neck. You can custom make it for any neckline by adding or subtracting the amount of chain you use.

Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.

**Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Athena Leather Wrap

**Saturday, December 10,
2:00-5:00 p.m.**

Learn a technique that will add a little pizzazz to your basic leather wrap bracelet. The earthiness of leather cord with the elegance of pearls surrounded is simply stunning. A decorative metal button puts the finishing touches on this enchanting bracelet.

Skill Level: Any.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.

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Sassafras Bracelet

**Sunday, December 11,
12:30-3:30**

Put a little sass & spice into your stitching! Join us for a quick, 2-drop peyote stitch bracelet with crystal cubes & seed beads. I always get rave reviews when I wear mine!

**Skill Level: Beginner.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**

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Long Swirly Gig Necklace NEW!

**Saturday, December 17,
11:00-1:00 p.m.**

In this fun & informative class you will learn to work with gauge wire & chain. Become a master at making wire spirals! A whimsical & lightweight necklace that you can throw on with any outfit.

Skill Level: Any.
Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$25, All Materials Included

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Spirographic Necklace

**Saturday, December 17,
2:00-4:30 p.m.**

Remember the Spirograph toy that used wheels & rings and made wonderful swirling designs develop right before our eyes? In this class learn how to use Super Duos to create the same fun spiraling swirls & curves that you remember so well.

Skill Level: Motivated Beginner.

**Instructor: Alice Lauber,
\$22, Materials Not Included.**