

Midwest Beads – October-December 2016
Call (262)781-7670 To Register For Classes

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 some beads, needle, thread & 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:

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 some beads, needle, thread & instruction so can master a new exceptional stitch every week!

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Choose from the following:

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

-How To Make a Netted Bead
Tuesday, October 18, 1:30-2:30

-How To Make Wire Wrapped Loops
Wednesday, October 19, 11:00-1:00

-How To Make A Stretchy Bracelet
Friday, October 21, 1:30-2:30

-How To Make Wire Wrapped Rings
Tuesday, October 25, 1:30-3:00

-How To Make a 5-Bead Bangle
Wednesday, November 2, 11:00-12:30

-How To Make A Peyote Stitched Bail
Thursday, November 3, 2:00-3:30

-How To Make a 3-Stranded Tigertail Necklace
Tuesday, November 8, 2:00-3:00 p.m.

-How To Make A Love Knot Bracelet
Wednesday, November 9, 11:00-12:30

-How To Make Simple Drop Earrings
Tuesday, November 22, 2:00-4:00 p.m.

**-How To Wire Wrap A Tumbled Stone & Piece
Of Sea Glass**
Wednesday, November 23, 11:00-12:30

-How To Make A Leather Wrap
Wednesday, November 30, 2:00-3:30

-How To Stitch A Sparkling Christmas Tree
Friday, December 2, 2:00-4:00

-How To Make A Netted Luna Soft Pendant
Tuesday, December 6, 11:00-12:30

-How To Make A Crystal Nugget Necklace
Wednesday, December 7, 11:00-1:00 p.m.

-How To Make A 2-Stranded Knotted Necklace
Friday, December 9, 11:00-1:00

-How To Make A Memory Wire Bracelet
Tuesday, December 13, 11:00-1:00

-How To Make Diagonal Peyote Tube Earrings

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

EVENING CLASSES

Per popular demand, we have added lots of night time classes for our customers to choose from

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.

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

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.

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.

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.

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.

DAYTIME CLASSES

If you are available during the day, we have a bunch of fabulous classes to keep you busy

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.

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.

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.

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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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.

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Projects To Be Announced!
Watch your e-mails for details!

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

WEEKEND CLASSES

We offer classes on both Saturdays & Sundays.
We are the place TO BEAD on weekends!

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.

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.*

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.)

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.

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.

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.

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.

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.

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!

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

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this everyday lariat that never gets boring.
Instructor: Alice Lauber, \$22, Materials Not Included.

WEEKEND CLASSES CONTINUED...

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.

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.

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.

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

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.

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.

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.

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.

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

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.

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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.