

Dear Chapter Members,

Have you been to the Fair yet? *And* to the Home & Hobby building where so many wonderfully stitched items are displayed? I am so pleased with the selections from the SDANG judges. They took their assignment very seriously. A most hearty congratulations to Nancy Horne for Best Use of Decorative Stitches and Michelle Crownhart for Best in Needlepoint. Both stitchers are accomplished artists and are committed to supporting ANG and EGA. I am proud to call them friends! And of course many other chapter members received recognition for their outstanding stitching, including Judy Boland, Shirley Chin, Sandy Higgins (and Herb Higgins, not a member per se, but he earns recognition just the same!), and Rose Morinaga-to name just a few! Look for Margi's report on the latest with the Fair in the newsletter.

Nancy and Lisa have started the *Under the Sea* program and of course they are doing a fantastic job! Lisa is really stretching the design and making it a holiday design by completely changing the color scheme. If you are interested in participating, be sure to pull out your July 2014 *Needlepointers* magazine for the supply list and stitch guide.

Well, we had a wonderful day with Cassie and Nandra! **All That Shimmers** was actually designed by Nandra and it is a winner. I learned so much about beading on canvas and using the bewitching stitchy ribbon to make flowers. This project is so bright and cheerful, it's guaranteed to make you smile while working on it! We also had a great turnout for attendees and ghosts.

I wish I had news about Margaret's design, **Winter**, but I think we need to let her relax and allow her creative juices to flow. Hopefully we will stay on schedule with the late August dates. I will keep everyone posted. I will be working on the flyer for Sue Reed's brand new design, **Independence**, very soon and I will email a flyer to everyone before the ink is dry! Toni Gerdes will be teaching **the Wright Kimono** in February 2016 and we have the DOUBLE FEATURE of **Carrots AND Radishes** by Jennifer Reifenberg for April 2016!

Be sure to check out the Point 2 Point fundraising workshop flyer in the newsletter. It really looks like a winner. I am not sure if you feel the same, but I love projects that can also be used for stitching, so the **Stitcher's Parking Lot** is perfect for me!

On a personal note, I am really excited to share with you that I am now working at Needle Nook 2 days a week, on Wednesdays and Saturdays. I find it so fulfilling to help customers find the perfect thread for their canvases. I also stock threads, and well, any other duties as assigned! My biggest fear is the cash register, but Helga has taken me under her wing and is proving that you can teach an old dog new tricks. I love walking in to the shop and seeing the beautifully painted canvases on the wall. And the Thread Gallery is truly magical too! (safe to call it the happiest place on earth in my humble opinion) I think of it as the perfect stitching sanctuary for stitchers. I am hoping that I will learn all about the retail side of Needlepoint so that I can offer our chapter more exciting stitching opportunities. I will keep you posted with my new adventure!

I think that is the news as I know it!

Keep that needle threaded,
Nancy

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CALENDAR

**Meeting Time & Place: 2nd Tuesday of each month at 7:00pm
Clairemont Community Center, 4421 Bannock Ave, San Diego**

July 14: Chapter Meeting

August 11: Chapter Meeting

July 18: Open Stitching

Sept 8: Chapter Meeting

PROGRAMS

The July program continues with the "Sea Urchin" adornment. Hope everyone that is participating has some work on their canvas. We are anxious to see your color choices. We know we have a very creative guild and the members always surprise us with their choices.

We will be concentrating on the Triangular Jessica's this month. If you have the July 2014 issue of Needlepointers magazine please join us in doing a sample of the Jessica's on pages 19 & 20. No need to bring anything, we will provide the supplies. You bring your magazine.

If Twin Crescents was a challenge for you then let's go over the diagrams together. Please ask us if you need help understanding the diagrams.

We will also go over the border, the beading, and attaching the Sea Urchin button or button of your choice. Then you have a few months to work on your project before we begin the finishing.

You will need Tiara, Perle #5, beads, & Sparkle Rays for this month's work.

Lisa and I are working hard to give you some incentive. See you July 14.



P.S. We will continue our Sea theme year of stitching with our August program.

It is "Sun & Sea" by Toni Gerdes. It is featured in the Needlepointers magazine for January 2014. If you don't have the magazine we can provide a black and white copy that Toni has allowed us to use, and a color copy of my piece.

The magazine does have a little more detail with color diagrams that are helpful.

The supplies are as follows:

- 1 piece white #18 count Mono canvas 10" by 10".
- 2 sets 10" stretcher bars, minis if you have them
- Splendor #S865 Dark Aqua and #S835 Jade
- Sparkle Rays #SR35 Aqua
- Fyre Werks #FT83 Mint Pearl
- DMC Floss #745 Yellow
- Bijoux # 465 Dark Aqua
- Mill Hill Small Bugle Beads #72001 Yellow
- Delica Seed Beads #DB-232 Yellow or any Yellow Seed Bead.

I was able to find all materials locally. Please feel free to change colors or threads. I will have my materials with me at the meeting.

Who said life was boring? Not at my house and not in our guild - right?

Lisa and Nancy

SAVE THE DATE

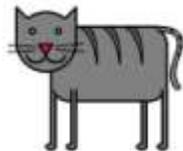
Save the Date for Open Stitching on July 18th at Cassie Prescott's clubhouse. Hours from 10 am to 4 pm.

SDANG CHAPTER MEETING REFRESHMENTS

July 14 th	Sandra Helt
August 11 th	Sandy Higgins
September 8 th	Joanne Einhorn
October 13 th	Nancy Molka
November 10 th	Michelle Crownhart

UPCOMING WORKSHOP

Independence
by Sue Reed
November 8, 2015



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July Birthdays

Melissa	Gray	7-1
Jan	Deitcher	7-1
Janet	Leary	7-2
Janis	Forsen	7-4
Melissa	MacLeod	7-5
Geri	Williams	7-6
Nancy	Hill	7-7
Janeann	Sleeman	7-7
Margi	Thornburgh	7-7
Heather	Campbell	7-8
Lisa	Lechner	7-9
Lois	Hausman	7-10
Judy	Rager	7-10
Merle	Seigel	7-12
Lenora	Goodlife	7-13
Connie	Cool	7-18
Susie	Lupton	7-18
Ronnie	Oliver	7-21
Shawn	Brady	7-23
Nancy	Molka	7-24
Lynn	McCarthy London	7-27
Michelle	Price	7-28
Helene	Jaillet	7-30
Jill	Entinger	7-31
Kristen	Yates	7-31

Point to Point Chapter, ANG

presents

Fall Into Stitching Fundraiser



Color Choice Grand Canyon - \$70

Color Choice Sea Foam - \$70

OR

Canvas and chart only, you bring
the threads - \$50

Saturday, October 24, 2015

9:30 am to 3:00 pm

Rancho Del Rey Mobile Home Park Clubhouse in Huntington Beach

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Color Choice: \$70 Grand Canyon \$70 Sea Foam \$50, I'll bring my own

Send to: Point to Point Fundraiser c/o Jacke Prideaux, 1142 Englander St., San Pedro 90731

E-mail for questions: onebabenurse@aol.com (Jacke) or ncucci@verizon.net (Nancy Cucci)

I will not be able to attend, please use my lunch cost for mailing

I need directions to the clubhouse *Deadline for ordering is September 30th*

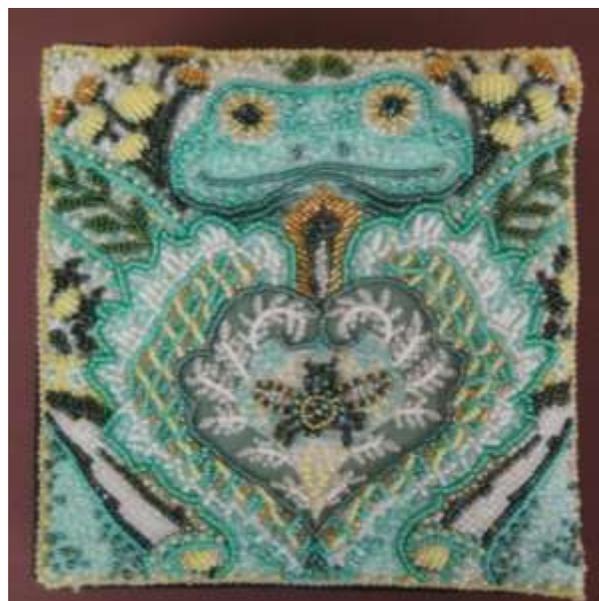
SHOW AND TELL



Shirley Chin needlepoint picture of daughter Audrey and beaded triangle box



Lenora Goodlife
Janet Zigler Casey Designs
Finished by Sandy Higgins



Nancy Holub
Prince Charming
SDANG workshop
by Mary Alice Stinton

SAN DIEGO FAIR



SDANG Best Needlepoint
Michelle Crownhart
Needlepoint Band Sampler



SDANG award for Best Use
of Decorative Stitches
Nancy Horne
Glitzy Accessories

First Place
Sandy Higgins
Silver and Pearls ornament
Sandy Authurs design



Best of Division
Rose Morinaga
Galaxy designed by Kathy Rees

First Place
Anne Gray
Stitch



MEMBERSHIP

The San Diego Chapter membership year is from January 1st through December 31st. The chapter starts collecting dues for the next year every November. Dues payment can be completed on the chapter website sdang.org via Pay Pal or by mailing a check to the membership chair Margi Thornburgh.

Renewing chapter member dues is \$21.00 per year with a 2 year payment option of \$42.00. New chapter members must belong to ANG national before joining SDANG. To join the American Needlepoint Guild phone the Rees Group at 608-443-2476 X144 and speak with Mary. ANG National dues are \$45.00 annually and include the bi-monthly Needlepointers magazine along with many stitching opportunities. New chapter members' dues are pro-rated consult the membership form or the Pay Pal dues button on the chapter website. Submission of the SDANG Membership form is required with all new member payments and can be submitted electronically from the website or printed and mailed to Margi Thornburgh. Please email Margi Thornburgh at membership@sdang.org with any questions.

SAN DIEGO CHAPTER ANG Membership Form

Please complete this form and mail to:

SDANG Membership 4141 Amoroso St. San Diego, CA 92111-3401

Our chapter dues are \$21 per year and our membership year runs from January 1st to December 31st.

Dues are prorated for NEW MEMBERS ONLY according to the following schedule:

•Jan 1 – Mar: \$21 • April - June: \$16 • July - September: \$11 • October - November: \$5

•December will be included with next year's dues • 2 year option: \$42

First Name: _____

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Birth Month and Day: _____

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Street Address – line 2 _____

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Please indicate membership type: New Member (see prorated schedule above)

Renewing Member (\$21) Plural Member (\$21)

ANG membership number _____ (enter "pending" if just joining)

May we list your name and email in the Membership Roster? Yes No

Would you like to switch your Primary Chapter to SDANG? Yes No

Paying for SDANG dues via PayPal Mailing a check or money order

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Signature: _____ Date: _____

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NEEDLENOOK NEWS

Happy 4th of July to all...Summer is here!...and so is the Painted Pony Trunk Show. These are the happiest of designs-just waiting for you to stitch! Jo Ippolitto Christensen's newest book is here, on our shelves, just waiting for you. We also have a new supply of Magnets-a stitcher can never have enough!!

We Welcome Vicky DeAngelis back as our manager, as you all know she is wonderful and helpful....

Summer hours are 10:00a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Internet whenever...but we would like to see your smiling faces!

Happy stitching!!

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