

Off the Beading Path Jan-March 2012 Class Schedule

Classes are single session. Class fees do not include supplies unless stated. A \$10 deposit is required to register for a class. Call or come in to register. More information is available on the website. If our schedule isn't convenient, we can arrange private classes for a minimum of three students. We also do parties. Just inquire!

Trunk Shows, Events, and Special Hours

New Years Eve: Open 11-4pm. Free Make and Take Bling Earrings (with purchase of supplies.)

New Years Day: Open 12-4pm.

Inventory: Closed Jan. 10-11.

Winter Hours: Beginning Jan. 17 we will be closed Mondays and Tuesdays. We will be open on Holiday Mondays from 12-5pm.

Delaney's Birthday: Our first grandbaby is due in late January; we will be closed when she arrives. Check the website, the store newsletter or call ahead. We will send a newsletter out to those on the email list.

Make and Take Opportunities

The beading table is available for when classes are not in session. We can assist between customers, time permitting, but one-on-one instruction is not available.

Store-Taught Classes

Basic Beading: Learn about beads, stringing materials, findings, and design. Make a simple necklace (or bracelet) and earrings. Fee \$15. Jan. 28, 11-2pm; Feb. 18, 2-5pm; March 4, 1-4pm.

Wire Basics: Get comfortable with wire. Make a wrapped loop bracelet with clasp, briolette earrings, pendant bail and chain. Fee \$15. Jan. 29, 1-4pm; Feb. 12, 1-4pm; March 10, 11-2pm.

Earring Blast: Make at least 3 pairs of earrings each more complex than the last. Fee \$10. Jan. 21, 11-1pm; Feb. 11, 11-1pm.

Wrapped Leather Bracelet: One of today's hot fashion trends. Fee \$20. Feb. 11, 2-4pm.

Let's Twist: Get bead strands to *stay* twisted! Homework listed on the website. Fee \$20. Jan. 14, 2-4pm; March 10, 3-5pm.

Knight's Cuff: Statement bracelet with chain and leather. Fee \$20. Jan. 28, 3-5pm; March 3, 2-4pm.

Guest Instructor Classes

Most classes \$25 plus supplies

ChainWorks (Cindy): Embellish chain for a variety of looks. Jan. 14, 11-1pm; March 3. 11-1pm.

Cha-Cha Bracelet (Cindy): Make a bracelet with great motion! Learn to wrap like a pro! Jan. 22, 12-2pm; March 11, 12-2pm.

FreeStyle Knotting (Cindy): Great use for "orphan" beads, this look is seen in many fashion magazines. Feb. 18, 11-1pm.

Seeded Lace Necklace (Cindy): Embellish a delicate seed bead necklace using right angle weave. Feb. 4, 11-1pm.

Brick Stitch Snowman (Valerie): Using brick stitch make these cute guys for earrings, cards, or ornaments. Jan. 8, 12-2pm.

Spiral Rope (Valerie): Great technique to use alone or accent pendants. Feb. 19, 12-2pm.

Double Twisted Chain Necklace (Valerie): Try needle weaving while making this delicate chain. March 18, 12-2pm.

Rosary or Y-Necklace (Rene') Learn techniques for rosary or y-necklaces. Fee: \$30. Thursday Jan. 12, Feb. 9, or March 8, all 4-7pm.

Polymer Clay Classes (Linda): Classes include materials. Bring a container to transport your finished project.

- Snowflake Cane: Jan. 7, 1-2:30pm. Fee \$30
- Bright Bold Beads: Jan. 21, 2-4pm. Fee \$40
- Mix-in Heart: Feb. 4, 1:30-2:30pm. Fee \$25.
- Heart Pendant: Feb. 4, 3-4:30pm. Fee \$30

Sea Ice Pendant (Kelly): Wrap real or faux sea glass for a wintry pendant. Jan. 15, 3:45-5pm.

Wrapped Wire Rings (Kelly): Fun and quick, make one for every finger! March 25, 3:30-5pm.

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