



ThreadLines



SHOW-ME STITCHERS NEWSLETTER -- FEBRUARY 2023

IMPORTANT 2023 SMS DATES:

February 14

Meeting 6:00 pm ; 5:30 pm doors open for social time

MOOSE HAIR AND BEAD EMBROIDERY SLIDE SHOW

Narrated by Fran S.

February 18

Stitch-in with Southern Illinois Stitchers

At Centre for French Colonial Life

Ste. Genevieve 10:00-4:00 \$5.00 fee

March 1

GGC correspondence meeting

Grant Farm library branch 6-8:00 pm

March 11

Mona Bost Bee-utiful workshop

10:30-4:00

Trinity Lutheran Church, Clayton Road

PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Happy New Year Everyone!

We had our first official meeting of the new year this month and as I am writing this it's also Lunar New Year. Happy year of the rabbit! Thank you to Fran for inviting Gary from fliber talk to the meeting. It was really interesting to hear what he had to say. I feel like he gained several new listeners. Also if anyone needs help with using podcast apps let me know and I am happy to help. It was really nice to see everyone's challenge pieces, finished or not. They are all awesome! Congrats to those who finished! And congrats to those who are still enjoying the journey of their projects. It's always fun to pick the next project for everyone to work on. I know my UFO is going to be a challenge but I think it would be really cool to see it done. I think it would be fun to show the lady I got it from in California that it's done.

The GCC class on Jan 18th was a good time. I am feeling a bit of confidence in the possibility of actually getting through this hardanger project. Both Jo and Fran were super helpful explaining things to me. Even though the weather was icky it was a good time. I made sure to tell the library staff how happy the group was that we were allowed to move tables all around. The staff members were so happy when I told them. People are not always kind so when I can share happy things I try to do so. They thought our group looked like a lot of fun too. I let them know they are both welcome to join! I hear there is some icky weather on the way so I hope everyone is safe and warm.

See you at the next meeting!

Susie Vance

GGC HARDANGER CORRESPONDENCE COURSE

Hello everyone,

Our first gathering January 18 allowed us to get started with Lesson One. We discussed the next meeting to be at the Grant Farm Library Branch on March 1 from 6-8 pm.

If anyone is having a challenge, we can hopefully give guidance at our regular meeting in February. We anticipate six months to be able to complete the course. This is a soft completion date.

Happy stitching.

Let me know if any corrections or clarifications are needed.

Thank you,

Jo

STITCH-IN WITH SOUTHERN ILLINOIS STITCHERS

SATURDAY FEBRUARY 18, 2023

CENTRE FOR FRENCH COLONIAL LIFE

198 MARKET STREET, STE. GENEVIEVE, MO

ADMISSION \$5.00

9:30 AM doors open ; 10:00 am TO 4:00 pm

bring lunch or go out for lunch.

CHALLENGE COMPLETE!!!!

Congratulations to: Debbie, Janet, Fran, Susie V., Kathy S., Lisa, Kathy M., Karen, Teresa, Jo, and Sharon. These members completed their 2022-2023 challenge pieces.

NEXT YEAR'S CHALLENGE

This time we are going to bring our pieces to the June meeting to show our progress!

Welcome to our two newest members:

Dee Hansen (birthday 9/21)

511 Meyer Road

Wentzville MO 63385

314.322.4433

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Nancy Sickler (birthday, 7/7)

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314.560.4444

Email: ncsboston@gmail.com

GCC PIN \$15.00

The GCC pins are white and gold and feature EGA's logo and 7 punched holes that can be used to insert the corresponding DMC colored thread for each Group Correspondence Course completed. See the list of thread colors in our [GCC page](#).

Janet Garvin is going to take orders for the above pins at the February meeting. You can pay when you get the pin.



CHECK IT OUT

**LOOKING FOR SOMETHING THAT'S HARD TO FIND?
NEEDLE IN A HAYSTACK**

OTHER INTERESTING PLACES MENTIONED:

[DITTO ON MANCHESTER ROAD](#)

[BUSY BEE CRAFTS](#) for making a chart from a photo

**[FIBER TALK WITH GARY PARR](#)
[PODCASTS AND YOUTUBE VIDEOS](#)**

**[YARNCOM](#)
[12772 OLIVE BLVD.](#)
[ST. LOUIS, MO](#)**

Sharon King has been to this shop and can tell you about it.

"Can Do Attitude"

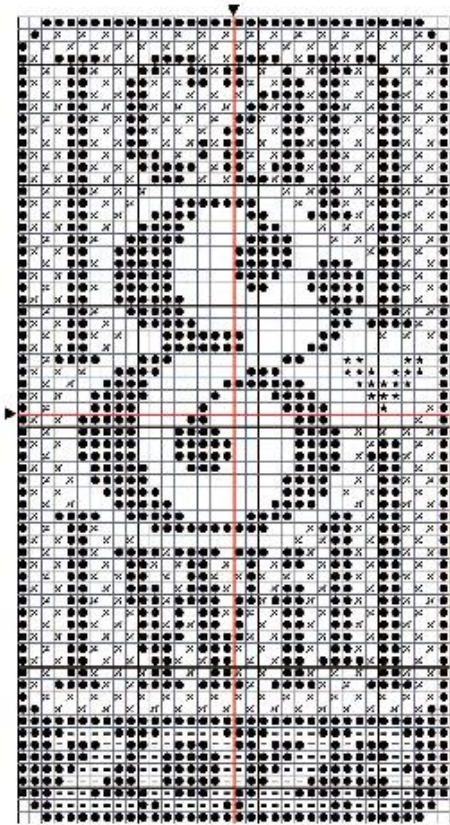


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DESIGN AREA: 36 x 68
 28 CT over 2.....2 1/2" X 4 3/4"
 30 CT over 2.....2 3/8" X 4 1/2"
 32 CT over 2.....2 1/4" X 4 1/4"
 36 CT over 2.....2" X 3 3/4"
 40 CT over 2.....1 3/4" X 3 3/8"

● GA Peacock	DMC 3809
⊗ GA Tropical Ocean	DMC 598
= GA Sea Spray	DMC 747
★ GA Old Red Paint	DMC 3722

GA= Gentle Art
 DMC equivalents are listed in bold



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THANKS, SCOOPS
