

### ALL practice materials for ALL classes are included

Great Ideas for a Handmade Holiday













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# Class Schedule Fall/Winter 2014

September

**October** 

**November** 

**December** 

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### **Class Policies:**

Full payment is due upon registration. You can register and pay by phone using a credit card. Refunds will be issued only with 48 hour cancellation notice.

- Tools & practice materials are provided for all of our classes!
- Early Registration is encouraged as classes have both minimum and maximum registration requirements.
- Unless otherwise specified, classes are limited to 8 students.
- Classes will take a break for shopping, stretching and snacking.
- Feel free to bring lunch or snacks.
- Samples for each class can be found in the cases in the store.

### Receive a 10% discount on all purchases the day of the class!

If you would like to receive the class schedule via email, please make sure we have your current email address. Send your email address to info@beadworldnw.com or sign up in person.

### **Stringing**

#### **BASIC BEAD STRINGING - \$25**

Instructor: Mariella Level: Beginner Prerequisite: None
Learn how to design and assemble basic necklaces and bracelets. We will
cover various stringing materials, findings and tools required to complete a quality piece of professional jewelry. No experience needed, just a desire to have some
beaded fun with awesome people!

Satuday, September 20th 10:30-1:30pm Friday, October 10th 6-9pm Sunday, November 16th 10:30-1:30pm Tuesday, December 2nd 6-9pm

#### **BEAD KNOTTING - \$25**

Instructor: Nicky Level: Motivated Beginner Prerequisite: None
Knotting is a surprisingly simple and straight-forward skill. You'll learn traditional knotting between beads as well as spaced knotting for the floating bead effect. You can bring beads and a clasp or choose beads during the break. Either way, we'll help you select the right size stringing material.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS) Sunday, September 28th 10:30-1:30pm Saturday, October 11th 10:30-1:30pm Friday, November 21st 6-9pm

### **Epoxy Resin & Clay**



#### **RESIN I: RESIN PICTURE PENDANTS - \$45**

Instructor: Kristin Level: Any Prerequisite: None

You will learn the basics of using epoxy resin to create custom picture pendants. We will cover techniques for filling bezels and doming tiles using photographs, decorative paper, printed images and other 2D objects. The pieces made in class will need to cure for 72 hours and can be picked up at the store as soon as 3 days after the class. Please do not wear loose clothing to class. Bringing additional printed materials or photographs you would like to practice with is optional. There will be an optional, free second session to learn professional finishing techniques. Wear play clothes.

Saturday, December 6th 4-7pm (optional finishing class: Saturday, December 13th 4-5pm)

### **Chainmaille**

#### **CHAINMAILLE CUFF - \$40**

Instructor: Erin Level: Beginner Prerequisite: None
This class will walk you through tools, materials, and techniques needed to transform a package of jump rings and a strand of firepolish beads into a chic chainmaille cuff.

Saturday, October 18th 10:30-1:30pm



### **Bead & Cord**



#### "ORIGINAL" LOOMED WRAP BRACELET - \$30

Instructor: Nicky/Mariella Level: Beginner Prerequisite: None
The "original" loomed wrap bracelet, seen in upscale boutiques and catalogs. We'll show you how the pros do it. With the jig, the bracelets are made in half the time and with none of the hassles of the clipboard method. Class price includes the leather, practice beads and a button. If you choose you may bring your own beads (6mm).

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Saturday, September 20th 10:30-1:30pm
Sunday, October 19th 10:30-1:30pm
Saturday, November 15th 6-9pm
Wednesday, December 3rd 6-9pm

#### **FASHION MACRAME- \$35**

Instructor: Nicky Level: Any Prerequisite: None
Learn basic macramé to make these great fashionable bracelets.
You've seen these in the small boutiques and fashion catalogs. We will finish a bracelet in class, so you'll learn to add the findings for a professional look. The macramé adjustable slide you learn in this class is everywhere

and customers continuously ask us how it's done.



# **Beadweaving**

#### **BOHEMIAN LOOMED BRACELET - \$25**

Instructor: Kristin Level: Any Prerequisite: None

This is a great class for anyone ages 8 and up. Learn how to set up a loom and make these simple bohemian loomed bracelets. You will also learn to finish them off with macrame and a clasp. These are quick, fun, versatile and oh so fashionable.

Sunday, December 7th 4-7pm

#### **BEGINNING PEYOTE STITCH - \$25**

Instructor: Nicky Level: Any Prerequisite: None

This is a great class for the aspiring seed bead artist. Familiarize yourself with the different beading threads, needles and a variety of seed beads. You will make a peyote bracelet in both the even-count and odd-count method. We'll teach you to do the modern, much easier odd-count method and how to follow a pattern. Optional tubular peyote beads are also covered. This class is both easy and inspiring.



(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Sunday, October 26th 11:30-2:30pm

### Metalsmithing

# INTRODUCTION TO THE BUTANE TORCH - \$25 BALLED END HEADPINS

Instructor: Christina Level: Any Prerequisite: None

If you make jewelry with wire, it's likely you use plenty of headpins. This class is designed for those who want to reduce their costs on findings and add another personal element to their work. The torch used in class is unintimidating and easy to work with. Students will learn the most basic metalsmithing technique for creating balled headpins with fine silver, sterling silver and copper. This class covers safe usage of a butane torch, basic equipment and the least toxic chemicals needed (some are simple household products) along with pertinent chemical safety considerations. Please do not wear very loose clothing or open toed shoes to class.



#### **STAMPED PENDANTS & CHARMS - \$45**

Instructor: Mariella Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Wire II or equivalent

Nothing is more amazing than creating personalized, stamped jewelry. Create dimples in metal blanks allowing you to set flat-back rhinestones giving your piece a splash of sparkle. We will also cover basic riveting, textures and patinas.



(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Sunday, November 23rd 10:30-4:30pm



### EMBOSSED EARRINGS - \$35

Instructor: Christina Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Intro to the Butane Torch
Using pre-cut metal blanks, students will learn how to create dramatic textures on metal with a super easy and fun embossing technique. The textured pieces will be pierced for ear wires and colored with basic metal patinas. In this faced paced class you will make as many earrings as time allows. So, so perfect for holiday gift giving!





## **Metalsmithing**

#### **RIVETING I - \$35**

#### STACKED AND RIVETED EARRINGS

Instructor: Christina Level: Beginner Prerequisite: Wire I or Equivalent

Riveting is a great option for attaching metals without solder or glue.

In this class you'll learn how to layer, dap and rivet pre-cut metal shapes with a standard TACK rivet of any size. You will also learn how to create a versatile connecter finding with heavy gauge wire and techniques and tools for cutting and piercing repurposed tin. You will complete a quick and easy pair of earrings in class.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Sunday, October 12th 10:30-3:30pm

#### **MIXED METALS RIVETED PENDANTS - \$40**

Instructor: Christina Level: Intermediate
Prerequisite: Riveting I

This cold connection is the perfect alternative to attaching metals without solder or glue. In this class you will learn several different techniques for riveting metal, using wire, tacks, and tubing and why you might use one method over another. You can choose from a wide variety of metal components in class (or bring anything from home you'd like to work with) to create a small sculptural work of wearable art. This is also versatile metal smithing skill to add to your repertoire

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Saturday, November 1st 10:30-3:30pm



Instructor: Christina Level:Any

Prerequisite: Prior work with metals helpful, but not mandatory

In this metals class, students will learn to transfer hand drawn and rubber stamp images onto the surface of copper or brass. A low-tech solution will be used to etch the design onto the surface of the metal to create a three-dimensional image. Incorporate the pieces you create in class into pendants and earrings. This process is very simple and easy to replicate at home. Feel free to bring rubber stamps you'd like to work with. Wear play clothes.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS) Sunday, October 5th 10:30-4:30pm Saturday, November 22nd 10:30-4:30pm



#### **DOUBLE SIDED ETCHING**

Instructor: Christina Level: Intermediate
Prerequisite: Easy Metal Etching or prior etching experience

This is another great holiday project!!! Create your own fashion ID necklace and bracelet in this intermediate level etching class. Students will learn to transfer a drawing or stamped letter image onto a copper blank and create an etched surface on both sides. You will create 3 pieces in this class. This is a very simple and easy process to replicate at home. Feel free to bring rubber stamps.

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(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS) Sunday, November 9th 10:30-4:30pm

### **Metalsmithing**



#### **CUT AWAY METAL CUFF - \$40**



Instructor: Christina Level: Advanced
Prerequisite: Intro to the Butane Torch or equivalent
(must be comfortable using a butane torch)

Forge a heavy metal cuff bracelet with unique "cut out" design elements. In this advanced metals class students will learn to draw, cut, file, texture and form a cuff bracelet from sheet metal. A variety of methods for creating the "cut out" design will be applied and finished with basic metal patinas. This modern/tribal piece lends itself well to many variations.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Sunday, November 23rd 10:30-3:30pm

## **Wire Working**

#### WIRE I - BEGINNING WIRE WORKING - \$25 THE BASIC LOOP

Instructor: Mariella Level: Beginner Prerequisite: None

Perfect for beginners interested in learning the fundamentals of working with wire, findings and tools. You will learn how to create your own eyepins as well as the basic loop. With this technique, you will be able to create earrings, bracelets, necklaces and pendants.

Be prepared for tons of wired fun!

Friday, September 19th 6-9pm Saturday, October 4th 10:30-1:30pm Sunday, November 9th 10:30-1:30pm



#### WIRE II - WIRE WRAPPING - \$25 WRAPPING STANDARD AND TOP DRILLED BEADS

Instructor: Christina Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Wire I or equivalent
Using the fundamentals of Beginning Wire Working, you'll advance to wire wrapped loops.
This class covers wiring teardrop and briolette shapes, and making a bail for a larger stone or pendant.

Friday, September 26th 6-9pm Saturday, October 18th 10:30-1:30pm Wednesday, November 19th 6-9pm

#### WIRE III - ADVANCED WIRE WORKING - \$45 6 NEW SKILLS

Instructor: Christina Level: Advanced Prerequisite: Wire II or equivalent In this class you will utilize all of your wire skills and build new ones, including: forming, bending, braiding, twisting and coiling. We will cover working with heavier gauges of wire, texturing techniques, hammers, jigs, files, mandrels and other wire working tools. You'll begin work on an advanced project of your choice utilizing your new skills. Feel free to bring any unfinished wire projects that have you stumped or wire design problems you need help with. Bring any stones, wire, or beads you'd like to incorporate into a project, and your imagination.



### **Wire Working**



### CUSTOM WIRE COMPONENTS - \$35 EASY EARWIRES & CLASPS

Instructor: Christina Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Wire I or Equivalent
Ear wires and clasps are essential findings for all jewelry and so simple to make yourself. You'll be amazed at how easy and inexpensive it is to create a variety of ear wires
and clasps in a short period of time. In class, students will learn to use hammers, mandrels, bench blocks and files with heavier gauges of wire to create as many ear wires
and clasps as time allows. All supplies provided. Tools provided for use in class.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS) Friday, October 17th 6-9pm

#### WIRE WRAPPED RINGS - \$40

Instructor: Mariella Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Wire II or equivalent
Learn how to create fun and fashionable wire wrapped rings, perfect for summer!
You will learn how to work with heavier gauge wire, rings mandrels, files and other tools needed to create a quality piece of jewelry.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS) Friday, October 24th 6-9pm



#### **LULU LOOP - \$30**

Instructor: Mariella Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Wire II or equivalent

You will create handmade forms to assemble two different versions of a modern yet organic hoop. The first version will have eye-catching embellishments with detailed coils. The second version will be a sweet yet elegant design.

(LIMIT: 6 STUDENTS)
Tuesday, November 18th 6-9pm



#### **CHAIN TASSELS - \$30**

Instructor: Nicky Level: Intermediate Prerequisite: Wire II or equivalent
Designers are showing many chic & fun tassels in today's jewelry. The traditional method makes wimpy, flat fringe. We like our tassels full and lavish, so we have developed our own super simple method to make plump ones. You will make 2 tassels, one with a bead cap and one without.

Saturday, October 25th 10:30-1:30pm





#### **COILED BANGLE BRACELETS-\$40**



Instructor: Christina Level: Advanced Prerequisite: Wire II or equivalent
Bangles are a very popular and versatile style of bracelet. They can be
worn alone or in multiples and compliment any wardrobe. This class offers some
new challenges for your intermediate wire working skills. In class, students will
form a bangle with heavy gauge wire and learn a variety of hand and machine
coiling techniques for embellishment and finally, create a swan clasp closure.
This project is a great way to showcase a special bead or beads. It can also be
made without beads. Feel free to bring any special beads from home that have
holes large enough to accommodate 16gauge wire

### **BEAD DATE NIGHT**

Come join your fellow crafty friends and bead enthusiast at Beadworld from 6-9pm on the second Thursday of every month to work, talk & play. This is not a class, simply an opportunity to hang out after hours, bring projects from home, show and tell and ask/offer helpful tips and tricks to your peers. This is not a time to bring projects to be repaired or designed by the staff. Feel free to bring snacks.

#### PRIVATE INSTRUCTION

Unable to fit a particular class into your schedule? Don't see the class you're looking for? Prefer to learn in a private setting? Private instruction is now available for those who require more flexibility in scheduling. If you prefer to learn one-on-one, want to focus on a particular skill or technique, or enjoy a special class for just friends/family, Beadworld instructors are happy to schedule private or semi-private classes at your convenience. Classes start at \$45/hour for one to three students. Most classes can be completed in 1-2 hours. For more information and scheduling, please contact: Christina (206) 290-0933.

### **LADIES NIGHT OUT**

Want a night (or day) away from the kids? Could your office team use some off-site bonding? Beadworld has just what you're looking for! Host your next gathering at Beadworld. For \$20 a person (plus cost of beads) you and your group will get 3 hours of fun! Choose what you would like to make and we'll help you with the rest. You will be guided through color choices, design and construction, and finish with a great new piece of jewelry. Although we don't have a suggested "bead budget" for adult gatherings, we recommend you have a "bead budget" per person to keep costs under control. The staff will help everyone stay within the designated budget. Feel free to bring treats and/or drink, but be sure to let the staff know so that party activities can be planned accordingly. There is a limit of 10 people for Ladies Night Out parties.

### **BIRTHDAY PARTIES**

Host your child's birthday party at Beadworld before, during or after official store hours. Party guests will have the full attention of one or two staff members to assist them in creating a necklace for two hours. We recommend setting a per child "bead budget," \$5.00 seems to work well, and staff can help them stay within that limit. Fee is \$15.00 per child plus your "bead budget." Feel free to bring treats, drink and/or gifts to open, but be sure to let the staff know so that party activities can be planned accordingly.

# **SEPTEMBER**

	Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
		Labor Day	2	3	4	5	6
7		8	9	10	Bead Date Night 6-9pm	12	13
14		15	16	17	18	19 Wire I 6-9pm	Basic Bead Stringing
21	Intro to Torch 10:30-1:30pm	22	23	24	25	Wire II 6-9pm	27
28	Knotting 10:30-1:30pm	29	30				

# **OCTOBER**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2	3	Wire I 10:30-1:30pm
Easy Metal Etching 10:30-4:30pm	6	7	8	9 Bead Date Night 6-9pm	Basic Bead Stringing 6-9pm	11 Knotting 10:30-1:30pm
Fashion Macrame	Columbus Day	14	15	16	Custom Wire Components 6-9pm	Wire II 10:30-1:30pm Chainmaille Cuff 10:30-1:30pm
GEMSTONE SALE 10AM-6PM Original Loomed Wrap Bracelet 10:30-1:30pm	20	21	22	23	<b>24</b> Wire Wrapped Rings 6-9pm	Chain Tassels 10:30-1:30pm Coiled Bangle Bracelets 10:30-3:30pm
Beginning Peyote Stitch 11:30-2:30pm Embossed Earrings 10:30-2:30pm	27	28	29	30	31 Halloween	

# **NOVEMBER**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday		
						Riveting II: Pendants 10:30-3:30pm		
WINTER SALE 10AM-6PM	3	4	5	6	7	8 Wire III 10:30-4:30pm		
Wire I 10:30-1:30pm Etched Initial Necklaces & Bracelets 10:30-4:30pm	10	11 Veteran's Day	12	Bead Date Night 6-9pm	14	15 Original Loomed Wrap Bracelet 6-9pm		
16 Basic Bead Stringing 10:30-1:30pm	17	18 Lulu Loop 6-9pm	19 Wire II 6-9pm	20	<b>21</b> Knotting 6-9pm	Easy Metal Etching 10:30-4:30pm		
Cut Away Metal Cuff 10:30-3:30pm Stamped Pendants & Charms 10:30-4:30pm	24	25	26 CLOSE AT 4PM	27 Thanksgiving CLOSED	28	29		
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# **DECEMBER**

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1	Basic Bead Stringing 6-9pm	Original Loomed Wap Bracelet 6-9pm	4	5	Resin I 4-7pm
7 Bohemian Loomed Bracelet 4-7pm	8	9	10	Bead Date Night 6-9pm	12	Resin I (optional Finishing) 4-5pm
14	15	16 Hanukkah	17	18	19	20
21	22	23	24 CLOSE AT 4PM	25 Christmas CLOSED	26	27
28	29	30	31 New Year's Eve CLOSE AT 4PM		•	

### **BEADWORLD MAKES A DIFFERENCE!**

### WHY MOST OF BEADWORLD'S FINDINGS ARE AMERICAN MADE

In the past, we found that imported plated findings were problematic for several reasons. First, they were NOT nickel-free. There is a lot of questionable, very poor quality metal referred to as "mystery metal." Studies show most people develop an allergy to metals overtime—so it is best not to get exposed in the first place. Second, the plating tends to flake off. Colors are not consistent, particularly if you seek consistency in your hardware (e.g. matching jump rings, clasps, headpins, etc.). Finally, we want to support American manufacturers.

Currently, there are no US distributor with consistent finishes over all the different findings. As a result, we do our own plating. We do this for quality control and to assure competitive prices. Our manufacturers use clean metals to make our findings which we send to our platers. We know our findings are nickel and lead free. Going direct means we can offer a better product at a competitive price. It's a lot more work but so worth it.

#### **BEAD DONATIONS**

Beadworld is involved in several nonprofit programs, local schools, and international communities for educational and fund raising projects. We donate supplies and instruction. We welcome your donations.

If you have beads or supplies you don't want – please consider donating to Beadworld. We accept beads and supplies of all kinds. We keep a separate supply for nonprofits and locals schools to help.

### **CLASSES**

Beadworld classes are designed to educate people about new projects and products. We keep the class prices very reasonable and include the supplies. We know that people like to explore new projects without a full commitment...to see if the work is a good fit for them. Our classes are designed to be small and engaging; including written instructions. On class days, students receive 10% off of anything in the store. Apart from classes, Beadworld offers a "community table" and talented staff to assist customers with their projects.

Beadworld can arrange private classes (examples of private classes have included: riveting, wire wrapping, resin, crochet beading). We also arrange parties of all kinds. Prior parties have included: wedding and bridesmaid gift get togethers, office parties, birthday and Xmas parties, etc.

### WHY WE DON'T HAVE SALES MORE OFTEN

Customers ask us, "Why don't you have 20 or 30% off sales all the time?" Answer: we can't. Our mark-ups are modest so we can have a great price everyday. A couple times a year we want to reward our regular customers for feeding us all year long—so we have a REAL sale. If you are on our Facebook or email list you will be in the loop. We promise NOT to inundate you with emails—we hate that too!

## **HUGE GEMSTONE SALE**



### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 19TH 10AM-6PM**

Nicky will be returning from a buying trip to China with lots of new gemstones! We will be offering them for sale on Sunday, October 19th for discounted prices before we put them out on the sales floor! This is your chance to get first pick of many different varieties of gemstones at below retail prices.

# FREE IN STORE PROJECT HANDOUTS



### **QUICK & EASY HOLIDAY GIFTS**

We now offer many free in store handouts for easy projects. These projects range from bracelets, decorations and more and make wonderful holiday gifts. We also offer a couple of handouts covering basic beading technques and terms.

## **WINTER SALE**

### **SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 2ND 10AM-6PM**

Join us for our second annual winter sale! Up to 75% off select merchandise. This sale is one day only, so don't miss out!