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The Tucson Chapter
American Needlepoint Guild



October 2004

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CONGRATULATIONS TO BARBARA RICHARDSON AND MARGARET VON KUEGELGEN FOR THE RIBBONS THEY WON AT THE NATIONAL ANG SEMINAR IN RENO. Barbara got a Third Place in Professional Class Project for "Jodi's Christmas House" and Margaret got an Honorable Mention in Non-professional Original for "At 30 Feet Under Everything is Blue." **KEEP UP THE GOOD WORK!**

Calendar

October

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
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3	4	5	6	7	8	9
10	11	12	13 6:30 pm Board Meeting	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
24	25	26	27 6pm Night Meeting	28 10:30am-3pm Day Meeting	29	30
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November

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
	1	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10 6:30 pm Board Meeting	11	12	13 9:30am-3pm Meeting and potluck
14	15	16	17	18	19	20 10am-5pm Stitch-In
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
28	29	30				

December

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
			1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8 6:30 pm Board Meeting	9	10	11
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Night Meeting: Streams in the Desert Lutheran Church, 5360 E Pima (1/2 block w. of Craycroft)

Day Meetings: Pima County Medical Society Building (5199 E Farness Dr)

Board Meeting: Bookman's community classroom at 6230 E. Speedway (southwest corner of Wilmot and Speedway), second Wednesday of the month at 6:30pm

Stitch-Ins: The West Classroom (River & Craycroft Roads), 10am– 5pm

Hospitality for October: Dee Bregantini and Ursula Newman – day meeting

Margaret von Kuegelgen – night meeting

Opportunity Gift for September: won by Margaret von Kuegelgen at day meeting

won by Deane Pape at night meeting

President's Letter

Margaret von Kuegelgen

Dear Fellow Stitchers:

Good news from the Reno seminar. . .the Board selected a wonderful logo for our seminar in 2006! Barbara Richardson will be at the meetings to explain more of what happened. And keep in mind the meeting on Saturday, January 8, at Barbara Richardson's house for a brain storming session for everything else we need to get for seminar. Everyone is invited. Please call Barbara to tell her you are coming.

Many, many thanks to Barbara Richardson and her helpers, Earla Swope and Dale Miller, for their work at Seminar at our table. Many of the items we made were sold and we now have a nice balance for further Seminar 2006 obligations.

Don't forget our Membership Recruitment project at the two Arts and Crafts Fairs on October 31 and November 21. Sign-up sheets will be at the October meetings. Please volunteer to sit and stitch and chat with the public about what we do for two hours. East side people on October 31 and west side people on November 21.

We have a wonderful opportunity for doing something for the Auction at the Nashville Semiar. We have a TS Bunny Rabbit to stitch. Only 9 pieces to it and the back and the bottom of the paws are already spoken for! I will bring to the October meeting with the stitch chart and threads. Please consider stitching on this project, either completing one piece on stitching on part of a piece.

Final Hi Ho Stitch-Away payment of \$50.00 is due to me as soon as possible. Please make check payable to the Tucson Chapter ANG.

See you at the October meetings on the 27th and 28th. . . I will be wearing my Hallowe'en T-shirts! BOO!

Keep on stitching,

Margaret

PROGRAMS 2004-2005

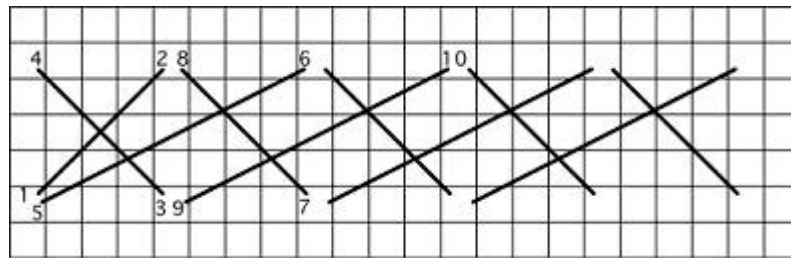
Charleane Boyles (nights)
Barbara Lewis (days)

Connie Lagergren will give the program at the October meetings. Her topic "**Book Tidbits**". Connie has been a book buyer at The West for over 14 years and a book collector for many, many years. She has a large personal stitch library and we can learn a lot from her.

November 13 Program will be a talk by Sharon Crescent and Deane Williams on how they started up their own businesses.

Stitch of the Month – Long Arm Cross to be led by Pat Britton (night) and Honey Montrose (day).

This stitch is also known as the Long-legged Cross, Portuguese and Plaited Slav. This stitch can be worked vertically, horizontally, or as a border. The thread choice determines the effect created by this stitch.



Publicity

Myldred Richardson

Items needed for the January display are stitched pictures, children's toys, wearing apparel, standing figures, small items, unfinished painted designs, unfinished project from chart and beginner projects. Please call Myldred for more information.

Seminar 2006 Update

Barbara Richardson

Thanks to all that worked on making the items to sell at the EXPO at the Reno Seminar. We had a great turnout and the gross profits for our chapter was \$1609.00. Once everyone has turned in receipts for materials used, we will publish the net profits. This will give us the seed monies needed for purchasing materials/items during this next year. A special thank you to Earla Swope and Dale Miller for helping to setup and work the table at EXPO. Others had volunteered to help at the table, but we got into the sales and the time went by quickly, but thank you for asking if we needed a break.

We also received a monetary donation from Barbara Mayo Grass, to use for materials and finishing for items for the seminar, thank you so much for your gift.

The National Board of Directors met at the Seminar and has conditionally approved a logo/picture for "A Desert Tapestry", our Tucson Seminar 2006. So once we get the changes they suggested, I will send them the new sketch and will bring a copy to the meeting for all to see 'Our 2006 LOGO'. It will be a very exciting and busy two years to get all things ready for Tucson Seminar.

There will be an organizational meeting for our Seminar Committee after the first of the year. I had several meetings with the Director of Seminars plus past and present local coordinators during the Reno Seminar. Several of our members have given me suggestions for numerous things from items to sell in Nashville and Tucson such as nametags, tours, centerpieces, favors, etc. I will be making lists of necessary "things" and the timetable needed to submit to National ANG.

The remainder of the items from Reno EXPO will be kept for the Nashville EXPO and we will add to the stock over the next year.

As always in stitches and friendship,
Barbara A. Richardson
Local Coordinator Seminar 2006

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Seminar 2006 - Important Planning/Workshop

Date: Saturday January 8, 2005

Time: 10- ???

Place: Barbara Richardson's

Directions will be in the November/December Newsletter

Lunch will be provided

Topics to be discussed:

1. Needed ideas for Speakers for the Life Patron Luncheon and the Mryl Good lecture (these need to be needlepoint related)
2. Lists of places to see and do in Tucson
3. Ideas for nametags
4. Things to sell at Nashville and Tucson Seminars
5. Stitching the Life Patron Gift (kits to be handed out)
6. Look over and decide on gifts for closing banquet in Nashville, opening/closing banquets here in Tucson, frame weight, shirts, etc,
7. Work on schedule for events
8. Committee people needed for all areas stitchers; working on exhibit, hospitality

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