

IN THE BEGINNING (Adults Only) (Repeat)**INSTRUCTOR: DORIS GOULET**

The Beginner's Class is like no other beginner's class known. Each student will be introduced to the art of card making including an introduction to the techniques of masking and embossing. Students will come away from this beginner's class awed and amazed at the creativity that lies within them.

(WS) Thu, 16 Jul 2009
(ISS) Mon, 17 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:30 PM
6:00 PM To 8:30 PM

\$15.00
\$15.00

"FRIDAY CONNECTION"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

The Friday Connection classes are back with a new time and lots of creative ideas. You do not need to be a member of the Paper Connection to enjoy these classes. All supplies are provided. The projects in these classes will be created from the papers and supplies featured in that month's "Connection". We will make cards, small projects, and whatever else that month's selection moves me to create. As for samples before the class, there will not be any. Think of it like a happy hour with lots of possibilities. Please note that the first session of the Friday Connection classes will be held on a Thursday evening due the 4th of July holiday. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Thu, 2 Jul 2009
(WS) Fri, 7 Aug 2009

5:00 PM To 6:30 PM
5:00 PM To 6:30 PM

\$20.00
\$20.00

"FLOWER POWER"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

In this class, you will create a flower shaped chipboard book as well as several flower themed cards. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED**

(WS) Mon, 6 Jul 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

ENCAUSTICS (WAX PAINTING)**INSTRUCTOR: DON ZIMMER**

Create beautiful abstract art and fantasy landscapes suitable for framing, greeting cards or ATC's. Don will teach the techniques, you provide the inspiration. Bring your lunch and we'll make a day of it. Don calls this an adult version of finger painting!

(ISS) Sat, 11 Jul 2009
(WS) Sat, 8 Aug 2009

11:00 AM To 4:00 PM
11:00 AM To 4:00 PM

\$50.00
\$50.00

STAMPSCAPES WORKSHOP**INSTRUCTOR: MARIA LOOMIS**

In this class, you will learn Maria's technique for creating gorgeous works of art with Stampscapes rubber art stamps. You will be guided through each step as she shows you how to apply brayering and coloring techniques and special effects to produce vibrant landscape scenes that will take your breath away! To view a sample of Maria's beginning video tutorials, visit www.stampscapes.com. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(ISS) Sun, 12 Jul 2009
(ISS) Sat, 15 Aug 2009

1:00 PM To 4:30 PM
1:00 PM To 4:30 PM

\$55.00
\$55.00

CHRISTMAS IN JULY**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

What better time to start those holiday cards than right now. Let's get into some of the new papers just out for the holidays and create some beautiful cards that you can duplicate if you wish. Or make a gift of cards for a friend! Be sure to check the store for samples.

(WS) Mon, 13 Jul 2009
(ISS) Thu, 30 Jul 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM
2:00 PM To 4:00 PM

\$22.00
\$22.00

"BLACK AND WHITE"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Make a variety of all occasion cards using black and white papers and inks, with maybe a pinch of color. These cards are clean and simple and may be a bit elegant.

(WS) Tue, 14 Jul 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

TRANSFORMED PLAYING CARDS**INSTRUCTOR: ELAINE WOODHOUSE**

Elaine Woodhouse is a nationally recognized Pacific Northwest metal artist, instructor, author and has made several television appearances. In 2008, she developed a new art form she entitled "Transformed Playing Cards". It is a technique easy to learn, involving cutting the designs on the BACK of playing cards, rearranging and layering them to create 3-D geometric images. If you enjoy paper crafts that incorporate pattern making, symmetry and layering, this new paper crafting technique is for you!! Over 80 different card designs and 800 plus cards will be available to you during the class. Completed designs can be used in card making and a host of other crafting projects. **SIGN UP FOR THE CLASS EVERYONE IS TALKING ABOUT.**

(WS) Wed, 15 Jul 2009
(ISS) Sat, 8 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM
10:30 AM To 12:30 PM

\$25.00
\$25.00

COMMUNIQUE**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Let's use some of the Graphic45 Papers to build this art album. Students will use policy envelopes as the base of the project. We will distress using multiple colors of ink for a well aged look to go with the papers. This project includes some detail cutting and a great deal of layering to achieve the end result. Each book will have its own look since you will have so much material to work with in class. The book is finished using the Bind-It-All wire and tool. Every student will have loads of left over material that they can use to make cards and other crafty items. Check the sample in the store!

(WS) Sat, 18 Jul 2009	2:30 PM To 5:00 PM	\$35.00
(ISS) Fri, 7 Aug 2009	6:00 PM To 8:30 PM	\$35.00

"MAGIC IN THE GARDEN"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Love the feeling that overcomes you when you enter a summer garden, the peace and relaxation that you instantly feel? Hopefully you will have that tranquil feeling as you create these cards. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED**

(WS) Mon, 20 Jul 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$20.00
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AN EMERGENCE OF COLOR**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Using glossy paper, versamark, a brayer and a heat gun and some brilliant ink colors from Momento, students will create some spectacular cards with this technique! This technique is easy and fun, but plan on it being just a little bit messy! Hey it's the process that makes it all fun.

(WS) Wed, 22 Jul 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$22.00
(ISS) Thu, 13 Aug 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$22.00

ALL OCCASION CARDS**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

We never know when a card will be needed just for that special moment or event. Let's create a few more and have them on hand so we are not caught without that great little 'personal' touch. Five cards will be made in this class to help build your 'box' of cards on hand. Pretty paper, ribbons and fibers, buttons and charms may be some of the ways we will embellish your cards.

(ISS) Thu, 23 Jul 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$26.00
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VIVA FRIDA!**INSTRUCTOR: SARAH BRIGHTON**

Frida Kahlo was and remains today an inspiration for many artists and crafters. In this class, we shall create greetings with lots of vibrant color and beauty – just the way Frida would have loved! Bring your favorite pair of scissors. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED**

(ISS) Sat, 25 Jul 2009	2:00 PM To 4:00 PM	\$30.00
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CARD FRENZY**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Students will have enough time in this class to complete at least 10 cards, each of them very quickly. You will go from station to station and complete the 'card kit' for each of them. All materials will be at each station. Let's get those card stashes rebuilt in this fun and fast paced class. Cards may differ in color and paper from the samples, but there will be no disappointment!

(WS) Mon, 27 Jul 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$30.00
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"INCHIE" DESIGNS FOR TRADING AND CARD MAKING**INSTRUCTOR: ELAINE WOODHOUSE**

Whether you are a collector of "Inchies", a designer of cards, or a creator of jewelry, this class is for you!! As the name suggests, "Inchies" measure 1-inch x 1-inch, less than half the size of their larger family member, the Artist Trading Card. In this class, you will challenge the boundaries of these small, unique rubber art stamp images. Students will have the opportunity to work with many of my "Inchie" stamp line known as "Leonardo Da Inchies"!!! Using beautiful hand decorated papers, you will stamp, cut and layer creating wonderful dimensional designs.

(WS) Tue, 28 Jul 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$30.00
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"PAPER TRAIL"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Making wonderfully quick and easy cards is a breeze when you pick great papers. There are so many to choose from. Learn some great ideas where the cards are all about the papers. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Wed, 29 Jul 2009	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$20.00
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MORE FUN WITH PHOTO CARDS**INSTRUCTOR: KATHY FOX**

Join us for an evening of fun making creative cards using photographs. We'll make some summer and fall themed cards using pretty photo images taken by our very own Kathy Fox! These cards are great for all occasions and work well for both women or men – young or old! Please bring either a pair of scissors, x-acto knife or personal trimmer and your favorite ruler.

(ISS) Wed, 29 Jul 2009	5:00 PM To 7:00 PM	\$20.00
(ISS) Wed, 19 Aug 2009	5:00 PM To 7:00 PM	\$20.00

BACK TO BASICS.... METAL EMBOSSING 101**INSTRUCTOR: ELAINE WOODHOUSE**

Ten years ago, Elaine Woodhouse began experimenting with metal embossing in the paper craft industry. Since then, she has developed "crafty friendly" techniques that have made it easy for even the beginner to create impressive embossed images in Copper, Brass and Aluminum foils. Elaine has taught classes nationally, authored a "How To" book, and has made several television appearances. This class is in response to crafters who have been asking for a comprehensive introduction to this ancient art form, also known as Repoussage.

In this class, you will find out what tools and materials work best, how to transfer images onto metals, and how to add texture and color. Students will create a mini journal decorated in metal for note taking and to store sample pieces.

This is an opportunity to explore an unfamiliar medium and experience the satisfaction of accomplishing a new skill. For those of you who already have some knowledge of metal embossing, sign-up for the class and refresh your memory!! You will leave the class with all the information and confidence you need to create your own metal projects at home.

(ISS) Fri, 31 Jul 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$38.00

"JUST A GREAT CARD SET"**INSTRUCTOR SUE CRAMER**

In this class, you will create eight (8) coordinating cards. Each is a little different and good for any occasion complete with a case to put it in. A great gift. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Mon, 3 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00PM

\$22.00

BIRTHDAY WISHES**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Here's wishing you will join in this class and make a few cards for your stash. We can never have too many cards made in advance for that special event. And let's eat cake, what's a birthday without a cake? Come join in a little 'celebration' in this class, have some fun, make some cards, and eat a little cake!

(WS) Tue, 4 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$22.00

"BEST WISHES"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Happy Birthdays, Congratulations, or any occasion that causes you to send your "Best Wishes" are what these cards are all about. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Mon, 10 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

GETTING "JIGGY" WITH YOUR CUTTLEBUG 1**INSTRUCTOR: MICHELLE McCARTHY**

If you missed it, here's your chance to catch up from the ground floor! You've gotten these great Cuttlebug folders but now what! Come learn how to get the most out of your Cuttlebug folders as you explore 5 different techniques to create 5 different cards and take home a technique sheet so you can recreate them all over again! You are welcome to bring your own cuttlebug machine and folders to class. Basic Craft kit required.

(ISS) Fri, 14 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

NOTE PAPER HOLDER**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

It's time to organize our notes. You know, those little cubes of 3x3 papers we have all over the place. Let's make a beautiful holder for them using cardboard, papers, ribbons and stamps and inks. These will make great gifts for the holidays, stocking stuffers or something for a teacher. Students may be able to complete two holders in this class.

(WS) Mon, 17 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$24.00

(ISS) Thu, 27 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$24.00

"CARDS REVISITED"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

These are the leftovers from previous card classes. Many designs and styles to choose from. Working quickly and independently will get you the most from this class. Not for beginners. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Wed, 19 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

ARTFUL TAGS MINI WORKSHOP 2009**INSTRUCTOR: SARAH BRIGHTON**

You will have two (2) fun filled hours to collage, layer and stamp your way to beautiful, decorative tags for all occasions. You will be amazed at what you can create! Bring your favorite pair of scissors. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED**

(ISS) Sat, 22 Aug 2009

10:30 AM To 12:30 PM

\$30.00

"BIG BLOOMS"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Do you just love hydrangeas, dahlias, and all the other big bloom flowers? These card designs will be all about those beautiful flowers that take your breath away. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Tue, 25 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

ONE SHEET WONDER.**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

This is more fun than you knew you could have in just two hours. Students will learn to 'partition' one sheet of patterned paper and from that make ten cards. You won't believe how easy and fun this is going to be. All materials provided and include the template! Paper may vary from sample.

(WS) Wed, 26 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$24.00

"ALL ASIAN"**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Great new card designs where the theme is all Asian. Wonderful stamps and papers make these cards so easy to create but hard to give away. **BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.**

(WS) Mon, 31 Aug 2009

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

BOOKMAKING

GIRLS JUST WANT TO HAVE FUN PURSE BOOK

INSTRUCTOR: SHERRY WILSON

This will be a girlie girl book for those of you who like lots of foof, fun and frolicking with your bestest friends. It will have fun hideaways and pockets filled with images by Suzy Toronto. Funky embellishments, wild fibers and beads galore will adorn your finished book. You might even want to have a night on the town with your new purse. All supplies are included.

(WS) Sat, 25 Jul 2009

10:30 AM To 4:00 PM

\$50.00

LITTLE COPPER BOOK

INSTRUCTOR: SHERRY WILSON

If you have a love of small books, this is the class for you. You will create with fun, fold-out pages that will be filled with colorful backgrounds, filled with wonderful images of antique keys, locks and works of iron. Your cover will be molded copper design, with heavy antique cotton lace to cover the spine. Lots of fun metal embellishments. All supplies are included.

(ISS) Sun, 26 Jul 2009

1:00 PM To 3:30 PM

\$35.00

FLIP-FLOP POWER BOOK

INSTRUCTOR: SHERRY WILSON

Flip Flops have come a long way. We use to wear them and now they've become book covers. Yes, these cute little books will be made using XXS Flip Flops and adorned with beautiful silk and paper flowers and, of course, wonderful ribbons, fibers, and beads. The pages inside will be filled with American Art Stamps by Karen Stolper. The images will be washed with watercolors and enhanced with Prisma pencils and a touch of glitter. All supplies are included.

(WS) Sat, 15 Aug 2009

10:30 AM To 4:00 PM

\$38.00

(ISS) Sat, 29 Aug 2009

10:30 AM To 4:00 PM

\$38.00

GARDEN JOURNAL

INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT

Do you keep a journal when? Sometimes I do and sometimes I mean to... This class lets you make a journal for any time or an upcoming vacation if that's what you have in mind. Or if you simply like to make journals here's one with a garden theme. I've chosen the newest of the Fiskars papers to create this journal. For those who have not made books this one is a great way to get started. It's a very simple bounding, with 6 signatures that are attached using ribbon. What could be easier I ask? The class will give you some basic book making instruction and get you started making many more in the future. Be sure to check the sample in the store!

(WS) Sat, 22 Aug 2009

10:30 PM To 1:00 PM

\$35.00

(ISS) Fri, 24 Jul 2009

6:00 PM To 8:30 PM

\$35.00

CLUB AND GROUP ACTIVITIES

ALTERED DEX/CARD CLUB

INSTRUCTOR/HOCESS: JEAN ENGLER

Currently the Altered Dex Club (now called a "card club") is at capacity. A waiting list is available so, if you are interested, please call the shop to be placed on the list. If you would like to start your own card club, Friends and Company is happy to help with balcony availability. Just give us a call.

(WS) July DEX club meeting cancelled for July due the 4th of July weekend. (Opening for one new member)

(WS) Sun, 2 Aug 2009 12:00 NOON To 3:00 PM \$5.00

ARTIST TRADING CARDS (ATCs)

ATCs are miniature pieces of art compiled in a 2-1/2 x 3-1/2 inch format mimicking that of baseball cards. This art form is full of surprises and trading can get furious. If you are an active ATC trader, this club will undoubtedly be just perfect for you. Wondering what it is all about? Stop in just to see for yourself what the hoopla is all about. Think of these trading cards as miniature canvases where nothing can hold back your creative spirit. Lots of fun and camaraderie can be expected.

(WS) July ATC swap is cancelled due the West Seattle Street Fair **HOCESS: MARGARET DESSELL**

(WS) Sat, 8 Aug 2009 9:00 AM To 9:30 AM \$FREE

(ISS) Sun, 19 Jul 2009 11:00 AM To 11:45 AM \$FREE **HOCESS: RUTH WALSH MCINTYRE**

(ISS) Sun, 16 Aug 2009 11:00 AM To 11:45 AM \$FREE

HOLIDAY CLUB

INSTRUCTOR/HOCESS: FRIENDS & COMPANY

What better way to get the year started than with a brand new exclusive holiday club where members are required to work on holiday projects only. These holidays can include any holiday throughout the year but whose main focus will be end of year holidays from Halloween through the balance of the year. This club can expect to be fun and generate not only lots of camaraderie but also lots of projects as well. This club is currently at capacity and a waiting list has been started. It is limited to 10 members so it filled quickly. The club fee of \$5.00 per month will be used to purchase club "things", i.e., a Cuttlebug for use by club members only as an example, or whatever club members decide. A short business meeting and an occasional demo presented by club members will likely become a monthly event as part of the club activities. If you would like to be placed on the waiting list or would like to start a similar club, please give a call to our West Seattle or our Issaquah location depending upon where you would like to host.

(WS) Fri, 17 Jul 2009

10:30 AM To 5:00 PM

\$5.00

(WS) Fri, 21 Aug 2009

10:30 AM To 5:00 PM

\$5.00

SAVE THESE DATES

Annual Customer Appreciation BBQ

Saturday, 18 Jul 2009 (Issaquah)

and

Sunday, 23 August (West Seattle)

and (believe it or not) our

12-Year Anniversary Celebration

12 and 13 September 2009

Details to Follow

Used But Not Abused Rubber Stamp Sale

Saturday, 1 August 2009 – 10:00 am to 2:00 pm

(Please note: Issaquah location only)

CLASS NOTES

*Private classes, on-site and off-site which can include birthday parties, bridal showers, etc., are welcomed.
Please contact the store for information on these terrific class possibilities.*

Gift Certificates for classes are available.

Please note that a full class refund is given with 3-day notice for regular classes, 5-day notice for classes exceeding 4 hours and 2 week notice for longer events.

New Policy: Receive 10% discount on all purchases at the time of class (excludes magazines or as noted) with membership in the Passport Program only. No other discounts apply.

Basic Kit must include bone folder, ruler, black dye based inkpad, scissors, double sided adhesive tape and mounting tape. It's always a good idea to have a personal trimmer to accommodate 12" x 12" paper also.

Happy Fourth of July Everyone!!

