

**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.

Tue, 4 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:30 PM	\$15.00
Mon, 22 Dec 2008	6:00 PM To 8:30 PM	\$15.00

**ART JOURNALING**

**INSTRUCTOR: LORI BETH "LB" CHANDLER-LEWIS**

This 3-part class will take your stamping and/or scrapbooking to a whole new level. Students will use familiar products in a variety of different ways to create their own personal art journal that will be a feast for your eyes and inspiration for your soul. The techniques learned can also be used in other mixed media projects such as ATCs, inchies, and collage. The first step involves forming textures using acrylic paints, gels, and mediums, dabbers, metallic spray inks, and twinkling H.O.s. Students will then construct multi-layered backgrounds using collage, stamps, and stencils to add depth. Following the completion of the foundations, students will use images, ephemera, text, and rub-ons to create personal and meaningful journal entries. Students are asked to bring 5 deeply etched rubber stamps (clearly marked with your name). Geometric rubber stamp shapes and abstract design work the best. Please note that the class fee includes all three sessions.

Mon, 3 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$65.00
Mon, 10 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$---,---
Mon, 17 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$---,---

**"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. *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

Fri, 7 Nov 2008	5:00 PM To 6:30 PM	\$20.00
Fri, 5 Dec 2008	5:00 PM To 6:30 PM	\$20.00

**HAPPY TIMES ARE HERE**

**INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF**

In this class, students will be making cards to celebrate birthdays, anniversaries, and thinking of you. Come and join in on the fun for smiles and laughter as we all create together.

Sun, 9 Nov 2008	1:00 PM To 2:30 PM	\$15.00
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**A MILLION THANKS**

**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

When you take that hostess gift, do you also give a card with it? Of course you do! Want to make some of those cards ahead of time and create a little stash or just make them for the gift giving season now? Come join in this class then!

Tue, 11 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$2200
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**"CHRISTMAS CARDS IN MINUTES"**

**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Looking for some simple ideas for your holiday cards? Well, here you go. They will be easy to duplicate or mass produce. There will be a variety of styles and designs. *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

Wed, 12 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$20.00
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**"WELCOME TO ASIA"**

**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

All cards created in this class will be Asian themed. As always, we'll be using some great stamp designs as well as some lovely Asian print papers. *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

Tue, 18 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 8:00 PM	\$20.00
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**I LOVE SNOWMEN**

**INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF**

What is cuter this time of the year than Mr. Roly Poly himself. Join in on the fun as we create some delightful cards guaranteed to make you smile!!

Wed, 19 Nov 2008	6:00 PM To 7:30 PM	\$15.00
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**NAPKINS AND BEESWAX- IT'S JUST THE BEGINNING**

**INSTRUCTOR: DON ZIMMER**

Don is at it again. For the beginner who wants to learn about beeswax or for those advanced folks who just can't get enough, this class will allow students to create four all new cards using beeswax and napkins. This is a fun class and one that will change the way you think about napkins. Even experienced folks will like these new projects. The samples are a must see. The formal class will be two hours and if folks want to stay and play, the balcony will be made available. Don might even share his secret stash of napkins so you really do not want to miss this event!!

Sat, 22Nov 2008	10:30 AM To 1:30 PM	\$25.00
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**"ALL DAY HOLIDAY WORKSHOP"**

**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Another spectacular workshop with a holiday theme. We already know that the workshops speak for themselves but if you have never been to one, rest assured that your day will be packed with activity and fun that will be hard to stop. Spend all morning creating, designing, laughing, rubber stamping, and you name it, followed by a terrific lunch and break compliments of your instructor. The afternoon is filled with more of the morning mischief and fun. This workshop will inspire, motivate, and really get you moving. Lunch options will be announced as we get closer to the actual event! *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

Sun, 23 Nov 2008	11:00 AM To 4:00 PM	\$50.00
Mon, 24 Nov 2008	10:00 AM To 3:00 PM	\$50.00

**“LIFE’S BLESSINGS”**

Sometimes with our busy lives we forget to appreciate all the blessings we have been given. These cards will express all we have to appreciate and to be thankful for. Inspirational type cards. *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Tue, 25 Nov 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

**REVISIT THE DIORAMA**

Remember how much fun it is to create a 3-D scene? It is a one-of-a-kind card to be sent to that special person or to be added as a decoration – you decide and try your hand at this fun style of card..

**INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF**

Sat, 29 Nov 2008

10:30 AM To 12:30 PM

\$15.00

**HOLIDAY CARDS IN BLACK AND WHITE**

It’s a simple combination that creates incredible beauty. Let’s make some holiday cards using just these two colors. You will be amazed at how sophisticated your cards can be with only two colors, along with some simple embellishing. This class will include embossing and some detail cutting.

**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Sat, 29 Nov 2008

1:00 PM To 3:00 PM

\$22.00

**CARDS IN 10**

This will be a fun time so bring a friend along! Each student will get their own packet to make as many as 10 cards in this quick class. Everyone will have a great time with these papers from Around the Block. You’ll take home materials to make several more cards. This is a great way to make a stack of cards to give as a holiday gift to a friend.

**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Sat, 29 Nov 2008

3:30 PM To 5:30 PM

\$22.00

**FABRIC PAPER**

Students will learn how to use rubber stamps to transform muslin and tissue paper into an amazingly versatile material that is a beautiful work on its own. This material can also be used for making everything from greeting cards and book covers to wearable art and accessories. Students will explore materials such as spray inks, dyes, metallic acrylic paints and twinkling H.O.s. Wet and dry techniques will also be taught, as well as incorporating ephemera such as old sheet music. Students will go home with 6-8 samples that can be used as a reference guide for later use. Examples of the wide variety of applications for this fabulous and innovative art form will be available as a visual to inspire and spark student’s imaginations. Students are asked to bring 5 deeply etched rubber stamps (clearly marked with your name). Geometric rubber stamp shapes and abstract design work the best.

**INSTRUCTOR: LORI BETH “LB” CHANDLER-LEWIS**

Sun, 30 Nov 2008

1:00 PM To 5:00 PM

\$40.00

**MAGENTA CHRISTMAS**

Do you remember back to the beautiful Magenta Christmas rubber stamps? Well, let’s use them and see if we can make some one-of-a-kind cards.

**INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF**

Mon, 1 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 7:30 PM

\$15.00

**“BEAUTIFUL CHRISTMAS”**

Want some really beautiful Christmas cards? Cards that will make you OOH! And AHH! So pretty you won’t want to give them away. But it is the season of giving – remember? *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

**INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER**

Tue, 2 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

**IT’S THAT TIME OF YEAR...**

We’re never too early and never too late to be making holiday cards. This year has some of the best holiday paper and stamps we’ve seen in a while. Why not join in this class and finish making your holiday cards? We’ll be adding ribbons and buttons and bling!

**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Wed, 3 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$22.00

**TRANSFORMED PLAYING CARDS**

Sign up for the class everyone is talking about!! After collecting cards for 3 years, Elaine decided to justify her obsession by creating this new art technique!! Over 80 different card designs and 800 plus cards are waiting to be cut, mounted, layered, and topped with rhinestones. The design possibilities are endless and Elaine has designed a unique teaching tool that will make everyone instant experts!! Difficult to describe, but a feast for the eyes awaits you in store samples!!

**INSTRUCTOR: ELAINE WOODHOUSE**

Wed, 3 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$30.00

**HOLIDAY WORKSHOP**

Wonder what to do for a friend or co-worker that you’re giving a gift to this holiday season? Why not make it yourself? In this workshop, you can make not one but three different gifts. Give them all to the same person or spread the joy. You’ll create a beautiful altered clipboard, a small treasure chest with four drawers, and a slide ornament. You’ll have loads of fun in this all day workshop so don’t miss out!

**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

Sat, 6 Dec 2008

10:30 AM To 4:00 PM

\$50.00

**HOLIDAY ENGLISH CREAM TEA AND CARDMAKING**

Join Elaine this holiday season in a traditional British custom....the “Afternoon Cream Tea” (tea with homemade scones, clotted cream and jam!!!) Elaine will be sharing the scone recipe she brought to the states from the “Old Country” 25 years ago!! Students will be served tea in china cups as they enjoy tea inspired card making projects. This is only the second time Elaine has offered this class, but with your support, it could become an annual event. Spaces are limited to 10 so don’t wait.... **SIGN UP NOW!!!!** P.S. For those of you familiar with Elaine’s culinary skills (or lack of) do not be discouraged from signing up.... Her husband, Clive, is making the scones!!!! (Yes, the time is correct – Saturday evening!!)

**INSTRUCTOR: ELAINE WOODHOUSE**

Sat, 6 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$40.00

### **"BAGS AND TAGS"**

Learn to make some great gift bags and tags just in time for the holidays. They will surely get you into the holiday spirit. *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

Mon, 8 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

*INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER*

### **A PAPER CHALLENGE**

What would you do if you had only one color and one patterned paper to create five cards? Want to find out? Good. All you need to do then is come to this fun class. You'll have fun with the challenge of finding how many different cards you can actually create with just a few items. It's like cooking, but you only have five ingredients!! Are you up to it?

Tue, 9 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$22.00

*INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT*

### **THE REASON FOR THE SEASON**

These cards will help focus on the true meaning of Christmas and delight those who receive them. Come and play as we remember this glorious time of the year.

Wed, 10 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 7:30 PM

\$15.00

*INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF*

### **GREENS, GREENS. GLORIOUS GREENS**

In this class, students will be using some of those rubber stamps that have a holiday greenery to them. Some may be elegant and some may be just for fun.

Mon, 15 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 7:30 PM

\$15.00

*INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF*

### **"CARDS REVISITED"**

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.*

Tue, 16 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00PM

\$20.00

*INSTRUCTOR SUE CRAMER*

### **TAGS, TAGS, AND MORE TAGS**

It seem that there are never enough tags for the presents, so come join me as we play making those last minute tags. We will punch, stamp, and let's not forget about coloring.

Wed, 17 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 7:30 PM

\$15.00

*INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF*

### **QUICK AND EASY**

These simple yet fun cards will be great to make. Quick and easy is the answer to all these last minute items we want to complete. The cards, while blank inside, can also be used as after holiday thank you's.

Sun, 21 Dec 2008

1:00 PM To 2:30 PM

\$15.00

*INSTRUCTOR: SANDY HUFF*

### **"FAST AND FURIOUS ALL OCCASION CARDS"**

You will have the chance to make many cards for all occasions. Thank you's, birthdays, get well, thinking of you, just to name a few. These cards will be quick and easy. *BASIC CLASS KIT REQUIRED.*

Mon, 29 Dec 2008

6:00 PM To 8:00 PM

\$20.00

*INSTRUCTOR: SUE CRAMER*

## **THE BEAD and CLAY CORNER**

### **POLYMER TINS**

Using polymer clay, texture sheets, and powders, the student will cover a metal tin. This tin can be used for special treasures, as a gift box for money, gift cards or jewelry. The student will leave with as many tins as they can make in class.

Sat, 13 Dec 2008

10:30 AM To 1:30 PM

\$35.00

*INSTRUCTOR: RITA NOBLE*

## **SCRAPBOOKING**

### **CROP 'TIL YOU DROP**

Friends and Company is pleased to announce another CROP 'TIL YOU DROP event which will be loads of fun and an experience not to be missed. This event is limited to 11 participants who will each put ownership to a 4-foot table where lots of creative works will take place. Participants are asked to bring their own project(s) and crop the night away. Paper cutters, the creative cutter, and Quiccutz along with the Diesel and Roxy alphabets will be available for use during the crop. A small sandwich bar with fruit, salad, cookies, and a beverage will be provided. Hurry and register while you are thinking about it!! You are not going to want to miss this!

Fri, 21 Nov 2008

5:00 PM To MIDNIGHT

\$12.00

Fri, 19 Dec 2008

5:00 PM To MIDNIGHT

\$12.00

*HOST: FRIENDS AND COMPANY*

### **SCRAPBOOKING-A BEGINNER'S PERSPECTIVE**

Finally, a class just for the beginner. You no longer need to feel afraid of this explosive environment. This class is suited just for the beginner who might want to venture into the world of scrapbooking. This is also a fun class that will inspire and help students discover what scrapbooking is all about. Along with learning some of the scrapbooking basics, students will complete a cool scrapbook page and also create a scrapbook page exclusive to each student. This will be a fun learning experience all the while creating some great stuff.

Sat, 20 Dec 2008

10:30 AM To 12:30 PM

\$20.00

*INSTRUCTOR: DORIS GOULET*

## **CHILDREN'S ACTIVITIES**

### **ARTIST TRADING CARDS (ATCs) FOR THE KIDS**

Artist Trading Cards (ATCs) are miniature works of art and traded between friends!! They are the same size as commercial trading cards and are stored in protective sleeves inside a binder. That, however, is where the similarity ends – because these cards are UNIQUE and are created by YOU! A variety of art materials and techniques will be available at "ATC Work Stations". You can choose your favorites, make your cards, and trade with your classmates (if you decide not to trade that's OK too!!) Some favorites of the past have been melted wax painting, manga collage, and metal embossing.

Thu, 6 Nov 2008

4:00 PM To 5:00 PM

\$15.00

Thu, 4 Dec 2008

4:00 PM To 5:00 PM

\$15.00

*INSTRUCTOR: ELAINE WOODHOUSE*

# **CLUB AND GROUP ACTIVITIES**

## **ALTERED DEX/CARD CLUB**

**INSTRUCTOR/HOESSTESS: JEAN ENGLER**

Currently the Altered Dex Club is at capacity. A waiting list is available so, if you are interested, please call the shop to be placed on the list.

Sun, 2 Nov 2008 12:00 NOON To 3:00 PM \$5.00 plus Scrap O Dex  
Sun, 7 Dec 2008 12:00 NOON To 3:00 PM \$5.00 plus Scrap O Dex

## **ARTIST TRADING CARDS (ATCs)**

**INSTRUCTOR/HOESSTESS: MARGARET DESSELL**

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. An informational sheet is available and can be picked up at Friends and Company or by providing a pre-addressed and pre-stamped envelope to have a copy mailed. Think of these trading cards as miniature canvases where nothing can hold back your creative spirit. Lots of fun and camaraderie can be expected.

Sat, 8 Nov 2008 9:00 AM To 9:30 AM \$FREE  
Sat, 13 Dec 2008 9:00 AM To 9:30 AM \$FREE

## **MY MENUS – A RECIPE CLUB**

**INSTRUCTOR: DIANE RADISCHAT**

What a great way to end the year by taking a class that will continue throughout all of next year. In this class, we will make our recipe box and several cards to exchange with someone else. Each month on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Friday during 2009, we will get together and create new cards and exchange recipes with one another. We can even bring the goodies to class. The opening class is also meant for planning. Do we want to make it a cookie recipe every month? Do we want it to be a different theme each time? How many cards/recipes do we want to do each month? Everyone gets to decide – the possibilities are endless. Monthly fee \$5.00 beginning January 2009.

Fri, 12 Dec 2008 10:30 AM To 12:30 PM \$30.00

## **CLASS NOTES**

*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 Balcony Bash or longer events. Receive 10% discount on all purchases at the time of class (excludes magazines or as noted).*

*Basic Kit must include bone folder, ruler, black dye based inkpap, scissors, and double sided adhesive tape.*

## **Save the Date**

12<sup>th</sup> Annual Craft Show

Fri, 14 November, 10 am - 7 pm,

Sat, 15 November, 10 am - 5 pm

And

Sun, 16 November 10 am - 5 pm

## ***Holiday Open House***

Sunday, 14 December 2008

Noon – 3:00 pm

Demos and Lots of Giveaways