



# New York Capital District Chapter

WINTER 2018-19

## Going Live!

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As your new website coordinator, I am excited to announce that we are about to launch a new chapter website with a fresh look and feel. Watch your inbox for an email confirming when the new site will be available and instructions on how to log on to the Members Only page for the very first time. But rest assured, the url [www.nycapega.org](http://www.nycapega.org) remains the same and all the information you're used to seeing will still be there.

If you haven't been involved with maintaining our current site you might wonder why we needed a new website. But what may have looked OK on the front end was becoming increasingly difficult to work with on the back end. When I took over as the website coordinator in July, I was immediately frustrated by the clumsy process to add or swap out old documents and photos. Even the smallest change was difficult. And even more importantly, we could no longer add anyone to the list of members with access to the Members Only page.

The Board felt it was important for our Chapter to have an up-to-date and fully functioning website. In September, the decision was made to hire a website developer who would create a new site, help with the migration of content from the old site to the new, and maintain the infrastructure. The developer would also provide assistance with any issues that arise in the future.

Former website coordinators Donna Logan and Ann Cohan helped make the transition a smooth one. Donna was most helpful in explaining the workings of the current site and making sure we had all the documents and images we wanted to migrate to the new site. Ann and I spent hours working with our new website administrator, planning and designing the new site—sometimes into the wee hours.

As website coordinator I appreciate the improvements that include a much more efficient interface to make updates and add documents and photos. As a Chapter member I am proud of the new public face of our Chapter. The site now reflects our vibrant Chapter and stitching community, with photos of members' work, service projects, and the Teaching Children programs.

The new home page has a very dynamic look with a slideshow of photos that will be rotated out on a regular basis. The calendar is now in "calendar" format but can also be displayed in a list format. The site is responsive, which means it will resize to fit various formats such as your tablet or smart phone. You will still find the Membership Roster on the Members Only page and I have plans to update the Other Resources section in the near future. Other plans for the future include a Stitching With Children page and a gallery of members' works.

As a relatively new member of this Chapter, I welcome and look forward to the feedback and suggestions of new and experienced members alike as you use the new website.

—Lynne Priestley, Website Coordinator

**DATES TO REMEMBER**

**January 11**  
Deadline for Winter Retreat

**January 25-27**  
Winter Retreat

**February 5**  
Deadline for Spring Newsletter

**May 16-19**  
*Artistry in Stitches* Exhibit

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## Letter from the President

Dear Members,

The nights are drawing in and Winter is fast approaching, so what better time to get your needlework out, look at unfinished projects, and commit to finishing them before our exhibit which is only six months away. If you haven't already done so, be sure to enter May 16-19, 2019 on your calendars for our *Artistry in Stitches* exhibit.

We have a few other events to look forward to in the coming months: Ruth Mehlenbacher will be with us at some point for a talk on finishing techniques, and our winter retreat will be held at the Carondelet Hospitality Center again this year (Jan. 25-27). Marge Kelly, the Metropolitan Region Director, is still planning to visit us soon, and the Region Seminar will be held April 5-7, 2019. Our primary focus during the next few months will be using our meeting times to finish projects in preparation for our exhibit. I encourage every one of you to submit at least one piece of work. Let's each of us commit to doing that and imagine how wonderful, and certainly impressive, it would be to have 100% participation in our 2019 *Artistry in Stitches* exhibit!

I'm so pleased to announce the imminent launch of our new and improved web site. Lynne Priestley has taken over the ongoing maintenance of the site and, along with Ann Cohan, will keep the information contained within the site fresh and current. You'll see more pictures, and a wonderful new feature—Chapter events in a calendar format. You'll receive an "official" notification when the site is launched, and should you have any questions regarding how to access the Members Only page, please contact Lynne. She would also like to hear your comments about the site.

My wish for each of you is a joyous holiday season and a new year in which you enjoy good health, much happiness, and, of course, I wish you many peaceful hours of stitching.

Happy Holidays!

*Sandie Feck*

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# Winter 2018–19 Calendar

## DECEMBER

4	Beverwyck	Holiday Party	1 Blackwork
6	North End	Holiday Party (Note date change!)	10 Whitework
19	Day Group	Holiday Party	12 Crewel
			17 Cross-Stitch

### Cancellation Policy

**Beverwyck Evening Group:** The coordinator, Terry Case, will send out an email if a meeting is cancelled.

**Day Group:** If the East Greenbush school district is closed or delayed, the meeting is cancelled.

**North End Group:** The coordinator, Doris Halvorsen, will send out an email if a meeting is cancelled.

## JANUARY

10	North End	Stitch-In, Show & Share	9 Crewel
15	Board	5:30 Meeting @ Beverwyck	12 Blackwork
15	Beverwyck	Stitch-In, Show & Share	14 Whitework
16	Day Group	Stitch-In, Show & Share	21 Cross-Stitch
24	North End	Stitch-In, Show & Share	23 Studio Time
25–27	Chapter	Winter Retreat at Carondelet	

## FEBRUARY

5	Beverwyck	Stitch-In, Show & Share	11 Whitework
14	North End	Stitch-In, Show & Share	13 Crewel
19	Beverwyck	Stitch-In, Show & Share	18 Cross-Stitch*
20	Day Group	Stitch-In, Show & Share	23 Blackwork
28	North End	Stitch-In, Show & Share	27 Studio Time*

## MARCH

5	Board	5:30 Meeting @ Beverwyck	11 Whitework
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\* Locations for February and March meetings to be determined.





## Beverwyck Evening Group

7-9 PM every 1st & 3rd Tuesday

Community room of the Terrace at Beverwyck Retirement Community, 41 Beverwyck Lane, Slingerlands



From Krumkill Rd turn onto Beverwyck Lane (at the bounding deer sign just east of Blessing Rd), and then turn into the second driveway on the right. As you pull in you will see the entrance to the community room directly across from the driveway. In general, the 1st meeting of the month is a stitch-in (bring whatever you are working on), and the 2nd meeting is a program meeting.

**Coordinator: Terry Case**

## Day Group

10-2 PM every 3rd Wednesday (Sept-May)

Blooming Grove Reformed Church, 706 Bloomingrove Dr, Defreestville



From the West (Albany, Delmar, Schenectady, etc.) take I-90 East to Exit 8 (Rt 43 Defreestville- second exit after crossing the Hudson River). Follow the very long exit ramp to the first light (Washington Ave) and turn right. The road comes to a "T" with a stop sign; turn right onto Bloomingrove Drive; church is on your right. Come in double doors at far end of porch; meeting room is to the left. From all other areas where you do not need to use I-90; from Rt. 4 turn onto Bloomingrove at the light near CVS and Stewart's; just north of Home Depot. Church is on the left.

**Coordinator: Fran Roscello**

## North End Group

6:30-9 PM on the 2nd & 4th Thursday (Sept-June), barring holidays.

St. George's Episcopal Church, 912 Rte 146, Clifton Park



Take I-87 (Northway) to exit 9 (Rte.146W). Go west for approximately 1+ miles during which you will go through 5 traffic lights (including the exit ramp). The 5th light is the intersection of Moe Rd. Just past this intersection, the church complex will be on the left, set back from the road. Use the second entrance to the church. As you face the church, we meet in the building to the left (Parish Hall).

**Coordinator: Doris Halvorsen**

## Study Groups and Studio Time

Study Groups and Studio Time are open to all members and offer unstructured time to gather with other chapter members for stitching and socializing. Study Groups encourage exploration and knowledge sharing of a particular type of stitching. Check the Calendar page for exact meeting dates.

### Blackwork Study Group

Fourth Saturday of the month; 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Meeting location is determined by the hostess.

Contact: Fran Roscello

### Crewel & Surface Embroidery Study Group

Second Wednesday of the month; 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Meeting location is determined by the hostess.

Contact: Mary Willmott

### Cross-Stitch PLUS Study Group

Third Monday of the month; 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Meetings at the East Greenbush Library. Bring your lunch and your stitching—come for part or all of the meeting time. Please RSVP if you plan to attend.

Contact: Lynne Priestley

### Studio Time

Fourth Wednesday of the month; 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Meetings at the East Greenbush Library. Bring your lunch; hot water for beverages is provided.

Contact: Sherry McCredie

### Whitework Study Group

Second Monday of the month; 10:00 AM - 2:00 PM  
Meeting location is determined by the hostess.

Contact: Doris Halvorsen

### Directions to East Greenbush Library

located on Michael Rd, just east of Rtes 4 & 151

From 1-90, take Exit 9, then turn south onto Rte 4; at the rotary go 3/4 of the way around onto Rte 151 (like a left turn). Turn right at the next traffic light onto Michael Rd and you will see the library on your right.

From Rtes 9 & 20 (Columbia Turnpike), take Rte 4 North to rotary at Rte 151. Take first right onto Rte 151, and then proceed as above.





## HOLIDAY PARTIES

**Beverwyck**  
Tuesday, December 4

**North End**  
Thursday, December 6

**Day Group**  
Wednesday, December 19



### **Beverwyck and North End**

The Holiday Parties at Beverwyck and North End will continue the tradition of a gift and cookie exchange. To join in the fun, bring a wrapped gift to swap and/or a small plate of cookies. Needlework-related items are preferred (hand-made is even better!), with a spending limit of \$10.

### **Day Group**

The Day Group's Holiday Party will include a potluck luncheon. Please bring a dish or cookies/dessert to share (a sign-up sheet was circulated at the November meeting). You may contact Deborah Hartz for more information.

A gift exchange will be part of the festivities and if you wish to join in, you may bring a wrapped gift, preferably needlework related and with the spending limit of \$10, to swap.

We will also make time to stitch as we share holiday cheer.

## Stumpwork Program Update

Our Stumpwork program was well received. Celeste Chalasani, national teacher and expert on stumpwork, presented a lecture on Thursday evening, October 18, followed by a two-day workshop. The lecture was attended by twelve members who learned some history about surface embroidery and stumpwork. Celeste brought a variety of related stitching samples, some of which were used in the workshop.

The two-day workshop was full, with 21 attending. Celeste gave excellent instructions and guidance. All participants, regardless of stitching experience, were able to successfully work through various stumpwork techniques and left feeling well prepared to complete the class project. We look forward to seeing many of these as completed projects on display at our *Artistry in Stitches* exhibit next May.



## Name Tag Challenge

The program committee encourages all members to wear name tags to meetings and have one ready to wear as a volunteer at the exhibit. If members don't have a name tag or need another one, now is a good time to work on one.

## Goal: 100% Participation in Exhibit!

In the months ahead, plan to finish at least one project to show in our 2019 *Artistry in Stitches* exhibit. Our goal is to have at least one item from each member. There is lots of space at our venue, so there is no limit to the number of items you may show. More details about the exhibit are on page 7. As you plan your finishes, expect discussions and mentoring sessions on some options for finishing at Day Group, North End and Beverwyck meetings. Group leaders will coordinate. Please speak with your group leader if you have a particular interest or need.

## Craftsy

Craftsy is an online resource for video courses on a variety of creative techniques from excellent teachers. Topics include stitching, quilting, baking, knitting, drawing and much more. Celeste Chalasani, who led our October Stumpwork program, has a class offered through Craftsy: "Stumpwork: Raised Embroidery Essentials." Visit [craftsy.com](http://craftsy.com) to learn more. Look for Embroidery under "MORE" in the list of topics: Quilt, Sew, knit, family, art.....more.





# 2019 Winter Retreat

Our winter retreat will be held January 25, 26 and 27, 2019 at the St. Joseph Carondelet Hospitality Center in Latham, NY, from 10:00 AM on Friday to 4:00 PM on Sunday. Again, one will be able to come for the whole weekend or as a day tripper for one, two or all three days. There will also be two options for day trippers on Friday and Saturday. **Option #1:** for people who want to come for the day but do not want to stay for the evening meal and evening stitching. **Option #2:** for people who want to come for day and evening stitching and take part in the noon AND evening meals.

As some of you may have heard, Carondelet has sold some of their property to St. Peter's Hospital. The sleeping rooms will be the same as in past years but we will have a different stitching room. This year the stitching room will be in the area where we held our 2017 exhibit. We will have the same large round tables and comfortable padded chairs. There is a comfortable lounge area and kitchen with microwave and refrigerator just outside our stitching room. This room, also, has great lighting!

As in past years, whether you are a day tripper or a weekender, you will be able to set-up your stitching stations and leave them in place overnight in a secured area.

## RATES

### Weekender – \$250.00

- Includes three full days of stitching; dinner on Friday; breakfast, dinner and supper Saturday and breakfast and noon dinner on Sunday.

### Friday Noon Meal – \$13.00

- *This fee is for weekenders only* who would like to partake in the noon meal on Friday.

### Day Trippers

- **OPTION #1**  
**Friday \$26.50:** includes noon meal & daytime stitching.  
**Saturday \$32.00:** includes noon meal & daytime stitching.
- **OPTION #2**  
**Friday \$45.00:** includes noon and dinner meals and day and evening stitching.  
**Saturday \$45.00:** includes noon and dinner meals and day and evening stitching.
- **Sunday \$32.00:** includes stitching until 4:00 & noon meal.

Please use the coupon on page 9 to send in your check before the January 11 deadline.

The winter retreat is a wonderful opportunity for members to get together to stitch and share our love for stitching in a warm, welcoming atmosphere during the cold winter months. If you have any questions or concerns, feel free to contact me.

– Louise Butler, Retreat Coordinator

Save the Date!

## June Retreat

After our 2019 exhibit in May, we will all be ready for a relaxing stitching vacation. The June Retreat will run June 6–9, 2019. We chose the weekend before Father's Day to minimize conflicts.

We are again offering the four-day as well as the three-day weekend. The pricing for 2019 will be the same as for 2018 (*see the Summer 2018 newsletter*). Full details, pricing and the registration coupon will be in the Spring 2019 newsletter.

If any of you have questions or concerns, feel free to contact me.

– Helen O'Connor  
Retreat Coordinator

## Creative Stitches Mentoring Program

We will continue to offer our monthly "mentoring children in the art of embroidery program" through May.

Mentoring sessions will be held on the second Saturday of every month in the Board Room at the Bethlehem Public Library. If you are able to help with this program, or if you have any questions regarding the program, please contact Sandie Feck.

### Mentoring Sessions

Saturdays, 1–3:00 PM

- December 8, 2018
- January 12, 2019
- February 9, 2019
- March 9, 2019
- April 13, 2019
- May 11, 2019





# Artistry in Stitches Exhibit

## May 16–19 at the Carondelet Hospitality Center

It is time to show off our skills and spread the word about EGA and our local Chapter activities. Help celebrate our Chapter by exhibiting at least one piece. The only requirements are that the piece has been completed by an EGA member and has not been exhibited in our Chapter show for the past 10 years. We have plenty of space to display and look forward to a wide variety of stitched items.

While exhibiting your needlework is important, you can also contribute to the exhibit in other ways. Here are some of the things you can do to help:

**Needlework Closet:** Take some time to go through your stash and pull out those items you know you will never use or finish. Details on page 8.

**Publicity:** Help spread the word by inviting your family, friends, co-workers, and neighbors and acquaintances. You can also help by distributing exhibit flyers to your local needlework shop and anywhere you think there may be stitchers—perhaps your church, library, or favorite coffee shop. Flyers will be available at meetings or you can contact Nancy Knowles or Ann Cohan. You can also share the PDF that can be downloaded from our Chapter website: [www.nycapega.org](http://www.nycapega.org).

**Committees:** Review the exhibit committee list to see what kind of work appeals to you. If you are interested in helping, contact the committee chairs listed to see how you can help. Some chairs have not yet been confirmed. If you are interested in chairing or helping on any of those committees, contact either Kathy Kuhrt or Nancy Knowles.

**Name Tag Challenge:** Now is the time to make a name tag if you don't have one yet, or if you feel you need a new one. Whether you volunteer to help during the exhibit or just come to enjoy the display, we encourage Chapter members to wear name tags.

**Sponsorship:** Use the coupon on page 10 to make a monetary donation. Contributions help offset exhibit expenses and all contributors will be acknowledged, without dollar amounts, in the exhibit brochure.

**Preview Party:** Save the date for the member's Preview party on Wednesday, May 15. You will be able to enjoy the exhibit and shop at the Needlework Closet before the doors open to the public on Thursday morning.

Exhibit entry information and registration forms will be available online in February at [www.nycapega.org](http://www.nycapega.org). The website will be updated as new information such as demonstration dates and times become available.

If you have any questions, concerns or suggestions, please contact Kathy Kuhrt or Nancy Knowles.

Most importantly, keep stitching!

— Kathy Kuhrt and Nancy Knowles, Exhibit Co-Chairs

Exhibit Committee	
<b>GENERAL CO-CHAIRS</b>	Kathy Kuhrt Nancy Knowles
<b>NEEDLEWORK CLOSET</b>	Maggie Oldendorf
<b>PUBLICITY</b>	Nancy Knowles
<b>REGISTRAR</b>	Lynne Priestley
<b>RECEIVING</b>	Terry Case
<b>DISPLAY</b>	Vacant
<b>HOSTESSES &amp; DEMOS</b>	Vacant
<b>MEMORIALS</b>	Vacant
<b>PREVIEW PARTY</b>	Vacant





## From Our Corresponding Secretary

If you know of any members who should receive a get well or sympathy card, please contact me or Sandie Feck. I'll be happy to take care of it.

— Agnes Bohl, Corresponding Secretary

## 2019 Metropolitan Region Seminar Sawvy Stitching

April 5–7, 2019

The 2019 Metropolitan Region seminar will return to the Wyndham Hamilton Park Hotel and Conference Center in Florham Park, NJ, April 5–7, 2019. Regular registration will close on January 15, 2019.

In addition to taking a class and reconnecting with stitching friends from around the Region, you can take part in other seminar activities. Enter the name tag contest or shop at the on-site boutique, which will once again be run by Needleworker's Delight. You can also shop at the Teacher's Showcase or at Chapter Merchandise night (Saturday 5–6:30 PM). For more information, visit [www.metroega.org/seminars/seminar2019](http://www.metroega.org/seminars/seminar2019).

## The Needlework Closet Exhibit Boutique

The Needlework Closet, where we sell new or gently used items pulled from our own stash, is always a highlight with exhibit attendees. The money we collect helps our Chapter offer special events like workshops with national teachers. You can help the committee if you follow these guidelines as you package your donations:

- ✘ Put complete kits (directions, fabric, and threads) in a plastic bag, and label them “complete kit.”
- ✘ Place stitching fabric in a plastic bag and identify size of piece, thread count, and type of fabric, if known.
- ✘ Place threads in a plastic bag and label them.
- ✘ If more than one skein of yarn, package together and identify type if they do not have a label.
- ✘ Package small items (needles, buttons, threaders) in plastic bags and identify contents.
- ✘ Roll fabrics & wrap a paper band around the roll. Write type of fabric and measurements on the band (100% cotton, 45" w. 2 1/3 yards). Only quilting cottons and silks can be accepted.
- ✘ Charts, select magazines, and books related to stitching are welcome.
- ✘ Please no unrelated craft items as they do not sell.

Donations will be accepted starting in January.

Please contact me with any questions about donations.

— Maggie Oldendorf, Needlework Closet Chair

## 2019 EGA National Seminar Gateway to Stitching

October 30 – November 3, 2019

Hosted by the Heartland Region  
Marriott St. Louis Grand in St. Louis, MO

Registration: March 16 – July 31, 2019.

[www.egausa.org/event/gateway-to-stitching-2019-seminar](http://www.egausa.org/event/gateway-to-stitching-2019-seminar)

## 2020 Mid-Eastern Seminar Through the Stitching Glass

May 15 - 17, 2020

Corning, New York

[www.mideasternregionega.org/index.html](http://www.mideasternregionega.org/index.html)

## 2020 EGA National Seminar Boston Stitch Party

September 4–8, 2020

Sheraton, Back Bay Boston, MA







# Membership Information

## Additions

Mary Jo Iacovelli

Lu Ann Scherer

Welcome  
Mary Jo &  
Lu Ann!

## Membership Roster

The membership roster can be found on the **Members Only** page of our website at [www.nycapega.org](http://www.nycapega.org). This online version is updated quarterly and provides the most up-to-date information.

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## Winter Stitching Retreat St Joseph's Carondelet Hospitality Center

January 25-27, 2019

**Registration Deadline is January 11, 2019**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

### WEEKEND PRICES

- Full Weekend (includes two nights; dinner Friday; breakfast, dinner, supper Saturday and breakfast and noon dinner Sunday) \$250.00
- Lunch on Friday (for weekenders only) \$13.00

### DAY TRIPPER PRICES

- 1) Friday (noon meal & daytime stitching) \$26.50
- 1) Saturday (noon meal & daytime stitching) \$32.00
- 2) Friday (noon/evening meals and day/evening stitching) \$45.00
- 2) Saturday (noon/evening meals and day/evening stitching) \$45.00
- Sunday (includes noon dinner) \$32.00

### TOTAL AMOUNT DUE

Send check (made out to NYCDCEGA) to:

Louise Butler, 125 Westchester Drive, Clifton Park, NY 12065

- Included is SASE for my confirmation OR
- Email my confirmation to: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_ You are registered for the Winter 2019 Stitching Retreat  
January 25-27, 2019.

## Updating Your Contact Information

**CHAPTER:** If your contact information has changed, please send the updates to Membership Chair Louise Butler at [louisebutler15@gmail.com](mailto:louisebutler15@gmail.com) or 518-280-1512.

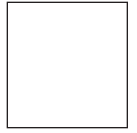
**NATIONAL:** Members are also responsible for reporting their address changes to National. The process is easy. Go to [www.egausa.org](http://www.egausa.org) and click on "Forms/Guides/Manuals" under MEMBERS ONLY. The Change of Contact Information form is at the top of the right-hand column under "General."

## EGA E-News

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We welcome those of all skill levels and interest in any needle art technique.

**Artistry in Stitches Exhibit Sponsorship**  
Help offset expenses; all contributions appreciated.  
Send check (made out to NYCDCEGA) to:  
Treasurer Mary Ann Lundy, 44 Harvard Rd, Watervliet, NY 12189

Diamond: \$65     Gold: \$50     Sapphire: \$45  
 Silver: \$30     Bronze: \$15     Other \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Your Name: \_\_\_\_\_

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**A Needle Art Exhibit of Members Work**

**MAY 16–19, 2019**

Carondelet Hospitality Center in Latham

