

Classes for January 26, 2008



Tapestry Basket—Janet Olney

Size: 7" x 6"

Skill Level: Intermediate / Advanced

No. of Hours: 6-8 Hours

Cost: \$70

Description: This basket has an inner basket which becomes the mold for the outer, tapestry basket. It is woven with a variety of materials including reed, yarn, raffia, sisal, philodendron sheaths, palm inflorescences, pine needles, mizuhiki, and anything else you want. The basket is build on a wooden base.

Stylish Storage Basket —Jo Guttormson

Size: 10" x 10" x 4 1/2"

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 4-5 Hours

Cost: \$37

Description: This square basket is the perfect solution to that shelf that needs a little help. With a self-handle on one side, this makes the basket function as a drawer. Fill with items, push it into the shelf space and everything looks nice and tidy and out-of-sight. Great in a cupboard or on the lower shelf of the coffee table. If you prefer, put a handle on both sides and change the function to a tray-like tote. Either way it will be stylish!!



Strapping Planter Basket—Sandi Quint

Size: 4" x 6"

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 5-6 Hours

Cost: \$25

Description: This simple twill basket is made completely from recycled materials—in this case strapping—the stuff that comes around boxes for shipping. This sturdy material is made from vinyl, so it is practically indestructible!

Classes for February 23, 2008



Open Ribbed Basket—Louanne Hipp

Size: 5-6" wide, 7" high

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 4 Hours

Cost: \$20

Description: This basket is very utilitarian and roomy. Two round 8" hoops are placed at an angle to create an open basket. Basket can be woven with handle openings or not. Ribbed basket has 4 point lashed God's eyes; round reed (dyed will be available) and flat oval are used for ribs. Instructor will have natural, smoked and dyed flat reed and sea grass for you to create your unique ribbed creation.

Wagon / Cradle—Bonnie Becker

Size: 11" x 7" x 5" high (without the handle)

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 4-5 Hours

Cost: \$34

Description: The wagon is woven with round reed on a solid wood base. Spokes are round reed also. An accent of colored reed and a row of wooden beads add interest to the weaving. (Color choices will be available.) Most of the wagon is woven with a three rod wale. The wagon is finished with a woven border. It makes a great baby gift or a fun spot for a favorite stuffed animal



Cathead Victorian Basket—Nancy Miller

Size: 10" X 6" X 14"

Skill Level: Advanced

No. of Hours: 5-6 Hours

Cost: \$45

Description: Develop skill on weaving a cat head and controlling shape to fit handle.

Victorian Picnic Basket—Nancy Miller

Size: 10" X 6" X 14"

Skill Level: Advanced

No. of Hours: 5-6 Hours

Cost: \$45

Description: Start with a square and make an oblong basket.

Choose one of these two baskets—Nancy will teach both baskets at the same time.

Classes for March 29, 2008



Counter-Square Basket—Tressa Sularz

Size: 7.5" wide / 5" high

Skill Level: All levels - must have some basketmaking experience

No. of Hours: 5-6 Hours

Cost: \$40

Description: Things are not always what they seem . . . This basket has a basic square grid woven base and compact woven sides in a balance weave. As the basket begins to have shoulders, the weave becomes diagonal and opens up leaving space between the spokes and weavers. At this time, new corners are formed on the sides. A neck is created with plain weave and the rim is double wrapped, creating a nice finish.

Not Just for Apples Market—Paul Scarpari

Size: 16" X 16" at the base, expanding to 18" X 18" at the top

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

No. of Hours: 4-5 Hours

Cost: \$55

Description: This basket is a replica of one Paul found in his neighbor's garage for use in an apple orchard. That one was made from 1" maple slats. This will be made with 1" flat reed and leather handles.



Confetti Vase—Jo Guttormson

Size: 4" X 8"

Skill Level: All Levels—not a first basket

No. of Hours: 4-5 Hours

Cost: \$32

Description: Create a lovely vase by weaving around a glass insert. Starting on a wooden base for stability, shaping will be the challenge as the insert must fit, and also slip in and out. Space-dyed reed gives the look of confetti. Waxed linen lashing insures a smooth inside rim. Filled with a bouquet of blooms this will be any weaver's favorite vase.

Classes for April 26, 2008



Door County Carrier II—Susan Coyle

Size: 8 1/2" X 14" X 5 3/4" high without the handle

Skill Level: Intermediate

No. of Hours: 6 Hours

Cost: \$55

Description: This is a great basket for a beginning twiller or a more advanced twiller wanting to improve twill skills and shaping. Learn to shape the graceful flaring ends while controlling the side shape. It is continuous weave twill topped with a hand carved oak handle.

Stenciled Base Twill Basket—Jeanie Wilcox

Size: 10" diameter x 4" high

Skill Level: Intermediate

No. of Hours: 6-7 Hours

Cost: \$45

Description: The stenciled base twill basket is made using an 8" round grooved wooden base with two colors of dyed 7mm flat oval spokes and woven with 11/64" flat oval weavers in an over 3 / under 3 twill. Rim lashed with waxed linen. Will stencil base at end of class



Minnesota State Basket—Sharon Robinson

Size: 10" X 5" X 3" high

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 3-4 Hours

Cost: \$35

Description: This basket is made on a wooden base, in the shape of the state of Minnesota. Great gift for friends and family out of state!

Classes for May 31, 2008



Small Wild & Natural (Organic) Wall Basket—Marlene Meyer

Size: 8" / x 4" base / x 6-7" high

Skill Level: Intermediate

No. of Hours: 6 Hours

Cost: \$45

Description: Using a wooden base, weave and chase up to the birch bark design. A dogwood handle will be inserted into the back of the basket, defining the shape of the basket. Top it with a pine needle rim. Embellish the birch bark with an array of naturals available to purchase!

Eastern Cherokee Bread Basket —Lynn Breault

Size: 5" x 10" x 3" high

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 3-4 Hours

Cost: \$25

Description: Simple bread basket using a Cherokee design. Can be used as mail basket or multi purpose basket.



Special Event for July 25th, 26th & 27th, 2008



“Save the Day”

July 25th, 26th and 27th 2008

Back by special request,

Kay & Fred Kohler

Look for more details soon on
basket choices.

Classes for September 27, 2008



Twill Tray—Diane Ericson

Size: 20" x 18" x 4" tall

Skill Level: Intermediate

No. of Hours: 7-8 Hours

Cost: \$50

Description: This twill tray is woven in dyed and plain reed. The base is a block twill variation and the sides are a 2/2 twill. Two sturdy oak handles are added and the rim is lashed with waxed linen.

Mini Kangaroo Basket—Sandi Quint

Size: 8" x 6" X 8" high

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 5-6 Hours

Cost: \$29

Description: This small kangaroo basket is the perfect size to hold your CD's or DVD's by your computer. I use it to hold all my software discs, so they're all in one place!



Pretty Pitcher Basket—Jill Scarpari

Size: 12" tall x 6" across - not including handle

Skill Level: Advanced Beginner

No. of Hours: 4-5 Hours

Cost: \$25

Description: After a pinwheel base this basket employs a little shaping up the sides for the pitcher look. With a water container inside, it makes a delightful vase!.

Classes for November 15, 2008

Freeform Peyote Bracelet—Susan Coyle



Size: varies by artist

Skill Level: All levels

No. of Hours: 4+ Hours

Cost: \$55

Description: Has free form peyote baffled you? Come and learn this easy technique in a beaded bracelet with beautiful glass beads. Learn to add focal beads, bridges, ruffles, and many more embellishments. Bracelet may not be finished in class, depending on how elaborate you want to make it. Plenty of beads and thread included for another project, but not findings. You will learn to make your own clasp, or where to purchase them. Peyote experience helpful, but not required. Must be able to see size 11 seed beads! Bring a lamp if desired, everything else will be provided, however if you have a collection of small focal and accent beads, you may bring them to learn how to incorporate them into your project.

Pine Cone Carrier—Ellie Lida

Size: 14" x 8" x 13"

Skill Level: All Levels

No. of Hours: 5-6 Hours

Cost: \$36

Description: Fun to weave and lots of uses! Round reed with a ceramic hand-rest becomes the handle for this oblong cathead basket. Use narrow flat oval smoked reed teamed with deep sage, topped with a coordinating "pine tree" ceramic handle. To make it less cabin-y or "woody", you may choose a navy / burgundy combo with a matching variegated hand-rest.



Antler Basket—Nancy Miller

Size: varies

Skill Level: Open (have an idea of what you want in a basket)

No. of Hours: 6+ Hours (finish on your own)

Cost: \$30 with your antler, \$40 with my antler

Description: Make a unique antler basket.