

Show Me Lacemakers Newsletter

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Greetings from the desk of the President:

The holidays are upon us. I hope you had a great Thanksgiving. Did you know that the lacemakers have a holiday too? It is November 25, Catterns Day. We'll need to put it on our calendars to remember to celebrate next year. Now it is time to focus on Christmas, to finish up last minute gifts. I am looking forward to the spider sampler square planned for our next meeting. I really enjoy making lace spiders, so glad they are not real ones. Hope you can join us for the class.

Don't forget to send pictures for the newsletter, facebook page, and web page. If you have any ideas for meeting programs or articles for the newsletter, please send them to Shirley.

Julie Evans

Show Me Web Page:

Kelli has a web page started. It looks great! Check it out at www.showmelace.weebly.com

Show Me Email Address:

The Show Me Lacemakers have a new email address. It is: showmelacemakers@gmail.com. Janet Ellett, as our Recording Secretary, is monitoring it.

Next Meeting:

Our next meeting will be Saturday morning December 2 at the Branson Sewing Center from 9:30AM until 11:30AM. The Branson Sewing Center will be celebrating their 5th anniversary. Come and help them make this day special for them.

We will continue to work on spider samplers. Most have completed or are about to complete the spider sampler bookmark. We will work on the spider sampler square.

January Meeting:

Note the change in date. Our meetings are usually the first Saturday of the month, but we will meet the second Saturday in January with extended hours.

Julie will lead a program on “Making Waves Through Missouri”. Julie will use an original pattern and you will bring thread from your personal stash for a palette that will reflect waves in the water, or wind moving through the trees, or layers in a rock outcrop, or bright lights down the “strip” in Branson at night. You will learn a “twist strategy” and use your own imagination to create a one-of-a-kind special piece of lace.

Holly and Kelli are planning to attend. Kelli will bring a pop-up shop with lacemaking supplies like thread, hankies, shuttles, books, and bobbins. This would be a great meeting for you to bring your Christmas money from Santa to buy some supplies for the year.

How to join the Show Me Lacemakers:

All of our members currently live in Missouri, but we welcome members from anywhere in the world.

The only requirement is that you be a member of IOLI so that we can share patterns that are in books in the IOLI library without concern for copyright laws.

To join, send an email to the Show Me email address showmelacemakers@gmail.com requesting membership. Include the following information:

Name




IOLI Membership Number and Expiration Date

Phone Number

Address

Email Address

Calendar:

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| <h1>December</h1> |  | | |
| <p>December 2</p> | <p>Monthly Meeting</p> | <p>9:30AM - 11:30AM</p> | <p>Branson Sewing Center</p> |
| <h1>January</h1> |  | | |
| <p>January 13</p> | <p>Monthly Meeting</p> | <p>9:00AM - 2:00PM</p> | <p>Branson Sewing Center</p> |
| <h1>February</h1> |  | | |
| <p>February 3</p> | <p>Monthly Meeting</p> | <p>9:30AM - 11:30AM</p> | <p>Branson Sewing Center</p> |

Work of our members:

Please email close up pictures of your lace to Shirley for the newsletter, Violet for the Facebook page, and Kelli for the web page. Thanks.