

CRAFT CLASSES

Basic Basketry

New! During the upcoming sessions the three basic baskets; egg, rectangular, and round will be taught. The egg and rectangular baskets will be made during the four weeks of class. Some work will have to be done outside of class.

Demonstrations, handouts, and individual attention will be given during the class. Contact the front desk at 919-245-2015 for material list.

Instructor: Joan Cecil

Fee: \$45

Central Orange SC

Session I: Fri, Sept 18 - Oct 9 (254023-09) 2 - 5 pm

Session II: Fri, Oct 16 - Nov 6 (254023-10) 2 - 5 pm

Session III: Fri, Nov 13 - Dec 11 (254023-11) 2 - 5 pm

Bobbin Lace Making

Newcomers are always welcome. Some instruction is available, as are supply resources. Contact: Janice Tyler at 919-245-4255, or jtyler@orangecountync.gov

Seymour Center

1st & 3rd Mon (356004)

11 am - 1 pm

Busy Beaders of Central Orange - Jewelry Making

Spend time with friends beading! Join us at any level from beginning to intermediate. You can bring your own beads, necklaces you want to re-string, or purchase supplies at the class. Exciting new beads and gemstone quality beads will be available at great prices. Work on your choice of necklaces, bracelets, earrings, or a matching set. Make something for yourself or gifts for others!

Instructor: Kayla Zaragoza

Fee: FREE (plus supplies purchased from instructor or on your own)

Central Orange SC

Fridays (244005)

3 - 5 pm

Candle Art

Create a beautiful candle of art to add to that special celebration or give as a gift to someone by transferring a fun design to a white pillar candle for your mantle or table. Bring a friend or what a fun way to meet another one! Class is limited so please register by Oct 9

Fee: FREE

Instructor: Corina Riley

Central Orange SC

Fri, Oct 16 (244008-01)

10 am - 12 noon

Seymour

Mon, Oct 26 - (344024-01)

2 - 4 pm

Central Orange Carvers (Woodcarving)

Woodcarving class will teach the basic skills of safety, sharpening, wood grain, stop cuts and center lines. Use our tools through your first project, a boot. If you like carving we'll assist you in selecting the tools and wood you will need to buy for the type of carving that interest you. It costs you only \$1 for the boot cutout. You may select your own project or join a group one. We are currently making comfort birds, small stylized birds we give to senior center regulars as they face sickness or stress in their lives. Men and women as well as all skill levels are invited to attend one or both classes. If you are experienced, share your knowledge with us; if you have no carving experience, we'll teach you.

Fee: FREE (plus supplies)

Instructor: Charlie Foote

Central Orange SC

Wednesdays (254033-01)

1 - 4 pm or

Wednesdays (254033-02)

6 - 7:30 pm

Central Orange Carvers - Intarsia Woodcarving

The woodcarving class is extending its time and introducing a new art, Intarsia. Intarsia is making mosaics using various woods. You will learn to select woods by color, grain direction and texture. The principal tool used in Intarsia is a scroll saw. You will develop your skills using it during your first project, cutting your name from wood.

Instructor: Dean Pricer

Fee: FREE (plus supplies)

Central Orange SC

Wednesdays (254033-01)

1 - 4 pm

Central Orange Quilters

Work on your own, or group, project. No experience necessary. If you've never quilted, others will help you get started. Most of the quilts created by the group are donated to homeless female veterans, or to UNC Children's Hospital.

Fee: FREE

Central Orange SC

Tuesdays (257011-1)

10 am - 2 pm

Clay Classes

New! This fall, Seymour Center will be offering a variety of clay classes! Check out our new classes below:

Art of Polymer Clay

Polymer clay is one of the most versatile art mediums available today. The range of possibilities is limited only by the imagination. In these sessions you will learn many techniques for creating with polymer clay to make jewelry, covered objects and 3-D works of art. Class is limited to 20 participants. Must have a minimum of 10 registered for this class by Aug 26.

Instructor: Ceresa Clarke

Seymour Center

Session I:

You will learn to condition, mix, shape, mold, texture, bake, and finish polymer clay. Projects include key fobs, pendants, cabochons and earrings, to name a few.

Fee: \$90 + \$25 materials fee payable to instructor

Wed, Sept 2 - Oct 7 (344025-01)

2 - 3:30 pm

Session II:

You will learn additional methods of conditioning the clay, along with making bull's-eye, jellyroll, and chrysanthemum canes. There will also be demos on Mica shifts and Skinner blends. Projects include covered objects. Session I required to take these classes.

Fee: \$60 + \$10 materials fee payable to instructor

Wed, Oct 14 - Nov 4 (344025-02)

2 - 3:30 pm

Session III:

You will learn the advanced technique known as Mokume Gane, plus how to make faux bone/ivory and leather, along with instruction on making 3-D items. Projects will be chosen by the participants. Sessions I & II required to take these classes.

Fee: \$60 + \$10 materials fee payable to instructor

Wed, Nov 18 - Dec 9 (344025-03)

2 - 3:30 pm

Clay Hanging Mini Vases

Very easy - fun and relaxing - no special skills needed. Learn the technique. Make One - Take One - Go home and even make more. Pressed clay - creative, unique designs. Class is limited to 15 participants. Must have 7 participants for class to take place. Register by Thurs, Sept 24.

Instructor: Susan Adler George

Fee: \$15

Seymour Center

Thurs, Oct 1 (344033-01)

1 - 2 pm

Clay Masks

It's easier than you think - with the Adler Art Technique™ - Create one-of-a-kind air-dried clay masks. Clay supplied. You bring a rolling pin and curiosity. Class is limited to 15 participants. Must have 7 participants for class to take place. Register by Thurs, Oct 1.

Instructor: Susan Adler George

Fee: \$35

Seymour Center

Thurs, Oct 8 (344032-01)

1- 3 pm

Creative Crafters

Creative Crafters offers a variety of jewelry making and specific projects that encourage creative and unique craft projects. The 5th Tuesday* will be a special project.

Instructor: Helen Frederick

Fee: FREE (plus supplies)

Central Orange SC

Thursdays (254034)

9 am – 12 noon

Seymour Center

Jewelry Making

Tues: Sept 8 - 29; Oct 6 - 27; Nov 3 - 24 (354018)

10:30 am – 3:30 pm

Flip Flop to Sandals

Looking for a really cool sandal? Believe it or not you can change a pair of flip flops by adding a braided top. Are you intrigued already? This fun activity will be easy and fun. The center will provide a variety of t-shirts for you to select from. We ask that you bring a pair of flip flops to class. If you do not have a pair, you can find them at your local Dollar Tree, Wal-Mart or craft stores. You will learn a neat braiding technique that will change the entire look of your feet. We will take before and after pictures just to see how a t-shirt transforms a flip flop into a unique sandal.

These sandals will surely catch everyone's eye. Let's do it!

Instructor: Cydnee Sims

Fee: FREE

Seymour Center

Fri, Aug 28 (335019-01)

2 - 3:30 pm

Floral Designs for Thanksgiving

Get in the Thanksgiving spirit by joining Carlette Fields in making a floral arrangement for your home or a gift for someone else's home. Let your creativity come alive as you arrange an elegant piece that is sure to be eye-catching. Sign up as soon as possible or you might regret missing out! Materials for this class will be provided for a very small fee. Class is limited to 10 participants. We must have 5 participants for the class to take place. Please register with the front desk by Thurs, Nov 12.

Instructor: Carlette Fields

Fee: FREE

Seymour Center

Thurs, Nov 19 (344029-01)

10 am – 12 noon

Fused Glass Jewelry

Many things can be made with fused glass. You can make jewelry such as ear rings, pendants, bracelets or belt buckles. You can also make plates and bowls in various shapes and sizes. Share your work with friends and family. Here is your chance to do all of the above while experimenting with fused glass. The instructor will guide you through the step by step process during a 4-week class in which you can make several unique pieces. Once you have taken this class, you will want to take it again and again. We also melt wine bottles into interesting serving plates and bowls.

Instructor: Bruce Gillooly

Fee: Listed below per session, + \$40 material fee payable to instructor at the first class of each session.

Fee: \$40 (4 weeks) + materials

Central Orange SC

Session I: Thurs, Sept 3 - 24

(254020-09)

4 – 5:30 pm

Session II: Thurs, Oct 1 - 22

(254020-10)

4 – 5:30 pm

Session III: Thurs, Oct 29 – Nov 19 (254020-11)

4 – 5:30 pm

Holiday Table Centerpieces and Decorations

Come join the staff of **Minding the Manor** as we get ready for the holidays. In this workshop, participants will learn to put together striking arrangements for their holiday tables by integrating items from nature with craft materials such as candles, paint, lights, beads, ribbons, etc. Class is limited to 10 participants. Materials will be provided. Bring your imagination.

Instructors: Lori Slack and Cindy Simoni

Fee: FREE

Seymour Center

Thurs, Nov 12 (343043-01)

2 - 4 pm

Japanese Embroidery

Come and learn this specialized art form! Traditional Japanese Embroidery is 1,600 yrs old and only came to the US in 1985. Learning this special art can take up to 10 yrs to complete. The embroidery is done with silk filaments from a cocoon and metal threads on silk fabric. Some pieces have superimposed embroidery (embroidery over embroidery). Motifs are usually flowers, birds, and sometimes human figures.

Instructor: Pam Reading, certified instructor by Kurenai Kai in Atlanta, GA. Contact her at 919- 815-2249 or preading@gmail.com for information on the materials you'll need.

Fee: \$75, plus materials fee per session.

Seymour Center

Sat & Sun, Sept 12 & 13; Nov 21 & 22 (353050-15)

9 am – 4 pm

Japanese Washi (paper) Doll Class

This class introduces the basic steps of making a doll with Japanese washi paper. The design to be completed in the class is approximately 8" tall. All materials are provided. Students should bring scissors that are good for cutting paper. No previous experience is necessary, but students should have good finger dexterity in order to cut, fold and glue the paper. You can choose from 2 class options. Option A will offer two 3-hour sessions, participants who stay all day will finish, the class will be 6 hours with a lunch break. Option B, is for those who would like to finish on the second day in a 3 hour session. Must have 5 participants for class to take place. Class limited to 10.

Instructors: Cynthia Woodsong and Amy Woodsong

Fee: \$20 (material fees-for all 3 classes)

Seymour Center

Sat, Oct 17 (option A) (324014-01)

9 am – 4 pm

Sat, Oct 24 (option B) (324014-02)

9 am – 12 noon

Knifty Knitters

Come and join our growing knitting community. All levels of ability are welcome. Experienced knitters help beginners with basic knit and purl stitches. Beginning kits are available. Although some materials will be available, you are welcome to bring your own yarn and needles. Please call Kai Mei at 919-960-7690 or Maret Garard at 919-619-1142.

Kit Fee: FREE

Seymour Center

1st & 3rd Thurs, Sept 3, 17; Oct 1, 15; Nov 5, 19 (324067) 1:30 – 3 pm

Learn to Make Paper Beads

Paper Beads are the rage these days! If you enjoy working with pretty paper, join in for a day of fun. You will learn to create your own paper beads in a variety of sizes and shapes for use in jewelry or décor. Class is limited to 20 participants, minimum of 10 registered by Oct 30. A short lunch break included in time, please feel free to bring a sandwich or snack. Materials provided.

Instructor: Ceresa Clarke

Fee: \$48

Seymour Center

Sat, Nov 14 (344028-01) 10 am – 2 pm

Leatherworks - Beginning

As a beginner, you will create your own leather key chain and/or coasters. Once you complete this class, you will be able to join our advanced leatherworks one to make your own belt, wallet, or handbag. Limited to 8 students.

Instructor: Sam Truax

Fee: FREE (plus supplies)

Central Orange SC

Wednesdays (234000-01) 9 – 11 am

Let's Make Pop-Up Cards

Remember how much fun it is to receive a POP-UP card? In this one day workshop you can learn to make them yourself, and give them for any special occasion. Bring scissors, cutting mat & knife, if you have them. Class is limited to 20 participants. Must have a minimum of 10 registered for this class by Sept 30. Lunch break included in time, please feel free to bring a sandwich or a snack.

Instructor: Ceresa Clarke

Fee: \$48 + \$5 materials fee payable to instructor

Seymour Center

Sat, Oct 10 (344027-01) 10 am – 3 pm

Lighted Burlap Holiday Garland

Don't have room for a tree, but still want to add some sparkle to your holiday season? Come learn how to make a simple lighted garland suitable for decorating a mantle, a table top, or even to add to a potted plant. Your holiday guests will be impressed with the extra embellishment and you will enjoy the extra "oomph" that it adds to your holiday season. Please register before Wed, Nov 13. The class will be limited to 10 participants.

Fee: FREE

Instructor: Corina Riley

Central Orange SC

Thurs, Nov 19 (244016-01) 1 – 2:30 pm

Instructors: Jerri Gale and Corina Riley

Seymour Center

Mon, Nov 30, (344023-01)

1- 4 pm

Memories and Wishes on Canvas

New! Find an old painting someone discarded in a thrift center bring in a piece of material, torn picture, buttons, label from a can - whatever you may have otherwise thrown away that evokes a memory or wish. All you need is the recycled painting, glue - Tacky glue works great, straight pins, sewing needles, thread or anything that will help attach your found objects to a canvas will work wonders. Get ready to try something unique and look forward to taking home a gallery work of art! The instructor will also bring extra object you may want to use. This is a one-time class that is limited to 10 participants. Please register by Sept 2.

Instructor: Susan Adler George

Fee: \$20

Seymour Center

Wed, Sept 9 (344030-01)

1 - 2:30 pm

Papercutting Workshop: A Form of Art Emerges from Cut Paper

Wikipedia describes it best! **Papercutting** is the art of cutting paper designs. The art has evolved uniquely all over the world to adapt to different cultural styles. Jianzhi is a traditional style of papercutting in China and has been practiced in China since at least the 6th century AD. Jianzhi has a number of distinct uses in Chinese culture, almost all of which are for health, prosperity or decorative purposes. Red is the most commonly used color. Come learn how to cut intricate patterns in paper and turn it into art. This interesting technique involves using scissors or paper cutting knives. Once you get into it, you will pleasantly surprise yourself with an ornate masterpiece. Class is limited to 15 participants. Must have 10 registered for this class to take place. Materials provided by instructor.

Instructors: Jinxiu Alice Zhao

Fee: \$20

Seymour Center

Thurs, Oct 8 (314024-04)

2:30 - 4:30 pm

Papier Mâché Masks

New! Create your own *papier mâché* masks - like the ones you often see in boutiques and plays. It's easier than you may think. All you need to bring is plenty of newspaper and/or toilet paper, baking flour and any paints you have or want to buy. Class is limited to 10 participants. Register by Wed, Sept 2.

Fee: \$40 (for two sessions)

Seymour Center

Weds, Sept 9 & 16 (344031-01)

10:30 am - 12 noon

Pumpkin Bedazzling -The Year of the Bat

Please join Jerri Gale for a unique way to embellish your pumpkin and transform it into something special! This is not your typical pumpkin carving class. Bewitching toppers

will take flight on your spooky Halloween pumpkin and scare all your friends!! Please register before Wed, Sept 30. The class will be limited to 10 participants.

Fee: FREE

Seymour Center

Fri, Oct 16 (344010-03)

1 - 4 pm

Quilling is Thrilling

Paper Filigree, also known as Quilling - a treasured art form for centuries, is the process of gluing strips of paper into specific shapes, then combining them into designs, such as flowers, birds, etc. Quilled designs are then added to cards, gift boxes, and other objects, or framed as pictures. Must have a minimum 10 participants registered by **Aug 15 for Seymour Center; and Sept 10 for Central Orange SC.**

Instructor: Ceresa Clarke

Fee: \$55 + \$10 materials fee payable to instructor

Session I: You will learn basic quilling shapes, and ways to combine them into specific objects. Projects: greeting cards, decorated boxes, picture frames.

Central Orange SC

Thurs, Sept 17 - Oct 8 (224007-09)

4 - 5:30 pm

Seymour Center

Wed, Sept 2 - 23 (344026-01)

10 - 11:30 am

Session II: You will learn additional quilled shapes, the technique known as Husking, along with ways to combine them into artful designs. Session I required to take these classes. Projects: Individual choice

Fee: \$55

Central Orange SC

Oct 15 - Nov 5 (224007-10)

4 - 5:30 pm

Seymour Center

Wed, Sept 30 - Oct 22 (344026-02)

10 - 11:30 am

Session III: You will learn to make 3-D items such as Butterflies, Figurines, etc.

Sessions I & II required.

Projects: individual choice

Fee: \$55

Central Orange SC

Nov 12 - Dec 10 (224007-11)

4 - 5:30 pm

Seymour Center

Wed Nov 18 - Dec 9 (344026-03)

10 - 11:30 am

Quilting with the Gals!

Looking to quilt with a fun group of ladies? Work on your own, or group project. Most of the group quilts are donated to charity. Donations of 100% cotton fabric and/or batting accepted. Questions? Call Mary Brady at 813- 957-2205 or Nancy Cable at 919- 968-4228.

Fee: FREE

Seymour Center

Mondays (354024)

10 am - 12 noon

Stitch, Flip, and Iron Crazy Quilts (Advanced & Beginners)

Come join us to learn the easiest method to make a crazy quilt. Be warned it can become addictive! We will make a lap quilt in two sessions. All materials provided.

Registration required at least one week in advance of each session.

Instructor: Sandra L. Smith

Fee: \$35 per session

Central Orange SC

Session I: Mon, Aug 31 & Sept 14

(224006-17)

1 - 3 pm

Session II: Mon, Sept 21 & 28

(224006-18)

1 - 3 pm

Session III: Mon, Oct 5 & 12

(224006-19)

1 - 3 pm

Session IV: Mon, Oct 19 - 26

(224006-20)

1 - 3 pm

Session V: Mon, Nov 2 - 9

(224006-21)

1 - 3 pm

Session VI: Mon, Nov 16 - 23

(224006-22)

1 - 3 pm