

# CRAFT CLASSES

Classes must be registered for in advance by calling the **Passmore Center** in Hillsborough at 919-245-2015 or the **Seymour Center** in Chapel Hill at 919-968-2070

## BE-DAZZLED WREATH

Using a green wreath you will glue large silk flowers around it. In the center of each glued flower you will add a large acrylic stone of your choice. Smaller stones may be added to the petals if desired. You will finish it off with a large bow.

Min: 4 Max: 8

**Register by:** Wed, May 16 (Passmore)/ Tue, Apr 23 (Seymour)

**Instructor:** Helen Frederick

**Fee:** \$6 (Payable to the instructor for supplies)

### Passmore Center

Thu, May 23 (224038-01) 10 am - 12 Noon

### Seymour Center

Tues, Apr 30 (324084-01) 9:30 am - 10:30 am

## BUSY BEADERS - JEWELRY MAKING

Spend time with friends beading! Join us at any level from beginning to intermediate. Bring your own beads, necklaces you want to re-string, or purchase supplies at the class. New beads and gemstone quality beads will be available at great prices. Work on your choice of necklaces, bracelets, earrings, or a matching set.

**Fee:** FREE

### Passmore Center

Fridays (244005-01) 3 - 5 pm

## CARD MAKING - WORDS OF KINDNESS

Words of kindness, birthday and get well wishes, encouragement and many more of our deepest thoughts - all have the power to lift up someone's day! Come and join us in creating unique and customized greeting cards. Bring a friend and spend the afternoon sharing wonderful conversations as you create your own greeting cards. No experience is necessary.

**Fee:** FREE

### Passmore Center

Mondays (254005-01) 1 - 3 pm

## CORSAGE MAKING FOR THE WOMEN IN YOUR LIFE

In honor of our mothers, sisters and daughters we will make corsages to give those we love. Come and join others and make one for you, and one to give away.

Min: 5 Max: 15

**Register by:** Mon, Apr 22

**Instructor:** Toni Shaw

**Fee:** FREE

### Passmore Center

Mon, Apr 29 (224035-01) 1 pm

### CREATING YOUR OWN FUSED GLASS DESIGN EVENING CLASS

We will learn to make dazzling glass jewelry by cutting different transparent, opaque and dichroic (for sparkle!) glass and forming them to be fired into beautiful pendants and earrings. Additional glass will be available for sale. **Class fee will include enough glass to make several pendants and firing your work. Jewelry made in the first class will be fired and brought to you on the second class.** Additional glass will be available for sale that exceeds 5 pendants. **Note:** Please wear closed toe shoes.

Min: 5 /Max: 8

**Register by:** Mon, Apr 1

**Instructor:** Alison Bell

**Fee:** \$30 + \$15 materials fee due to instructor at first class

**Seymour Center**

Mon, Apr 8, 15 (353090-05) 6 - 8 pm

### CREATING YOUR OWN FUSED GLASS DESIGN MORNING CLASS

We will learn to make dazzling glass jewelry by cutting different transparent, opaque and dichroic (for sparkle!) glass and forming them to be fired into beautiful pendants and earrings. Additional glass will be available for sale. **Class fee will include enough glass to make 10 pendants, firing your work and bringing it to you the following week.** Additional glass will be available for sale. **Note:** Please wear closed toe shoes. Min: 5 /Max: 8

**Register by:** 1 week prior to each session

**Instructor:** Alison Bell

**Fee:** \$60 (4 classes) + + \$15 materials fee due to instructor at first class

**Seymour Center**

Thu, Mar 21 - Apr 11 (354090-03) 10 am- 12 noon

Thu, Apr 25 - May 23 (354090-05) 10 am -12 noon

Thu, Jun 6 -Jun 27 (354090-06) 10 am -12 noon

### CREATIVE CRAFTERS

Creative Crafters offers a variety of jewelry making and specific projects that encourage creative and unique craft projects.

**Instructor:** Helen Frederick

**Fee:** FREE (plus supplies)

**Passmore Center**

Thursdays (254034) 10 am - 1 pm

**Seymour Center**

Jewelry Making

Tuesdays (354018) 10:30 am - 2:30 pm

### CROCHET AND KNITTING

Bring your own project and work with others. This is a great way to get motivated and learn from one another. It is also a great way to meet people and make new friends.

**Passmore Center**

Fridays (254009-01) 10 am - 1 pm

### DECORATIVE FLOWER POT

Using a clay or pottery pot, you will create a flower pot to reflect your personality. You may bring any size pot up to 12", and the instructor will bring a variety of paints and other decorative pieces so that you can make your flower pot as beautiful as the flowers you will plant in it.

Min: 4 Max: 8

**Register by:** Thu, Apr 18 (Passmore); Tue, Mar 19 (Seymour)

**Instructor:** Helen Frederick

**Fee:** \$5 (Payable to the instructor for paints and decorative supplies)

**Passmore Center**

Thu, Apr 25 (224037-01) 10 am - 12 noon

**Seymour Center**

Tue, Mar 26 (324085-01) 9:30 am - 10:30 am

**DIY SPRING TILE COASTERS**

Learn a simple, inexpensive way to make stylish spring coasters. They will both protect your furniture from condensation that can cause water damage, and also spruce up your home. You will leave class with a new set of 4 coasters. Min: 5/ Max: 15

**Register by:** Wed, Mar 13

**Instructor:** Meghan Davis

**Fee:** \$ 4

**Seymour Center**

Wed, Mar 20 (324080-01) 2 - 3:30 pm

**FUSED GLASS WORKSHOPS FOR BEGINNERS**

These one month workshops are intended for beginners in fused glass. You will learn how to cut and arrange Bullseye glass to make earrings, pendants, bracelets, and belt buckles.

**Register by:** 1 week before each session

**Instructor:** Bruce Gillooly

**Fee:** \$50

**Passmore Center**

Session I: Thu, Mar 7 - 28 (254020-03) 4 - 5:30 pm

Session II: Thu, Apr 4 - 25 (254020-04) 4 - 5:30 pm

Session III: Thu, May 2 - 23 (254020-05) 4 - 5:30 pm

**HAND PAINTED SUGAR COOKIE WORKSHOP**

Please join in the fun with Elena Elms, Meghan Davis and Jerri Gale as they show you the basics of hand painting sugar cookies. You will be guided step by step to create delicious springtime themed works of art to share with your friends. All paint brush techniques will be demonstrated on cookies covered in decadent icing. Class Min:

5/Max: 12

**Register by:** Mon, Apr 1

**Instructor:** Elena Elms

**Fee:** FREE

**Seymour Center**

Wed, Apr 17 (324079-06) 1 to 3 pm

## JAPANESE EMBROIDERY

Learn this specialized art form! Traditional Japanese Embroidery is 1,600 yrs old and only came to the US in 1985. Learning this art can take up to 10 yrs. It 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. Contact instructor at 919-815-2249 or [plreading@gmail.com](mailto:plreading@gmail.com) for information on the materials you'll need.

**Instructor:** Pam Reading, certified instructor by Kurenai Kai in Atlanta, GA

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

Sat, Mar 30 & Sun, Mar 31 (353050-03)

9 am - 4 pm

Sat, May 18 & Sun, May 19 (353050-04)

9 am - 4 pm

## KAI MEI 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. If you would like to learn more and join our knitters, please email Susanna Ray at [susanna.e.ray@gmail.com](mailto:susanna.e.ray@gmail.com)

**Fee:** FREE

### Seymour Center

1st & 3rd Thu, Mar 7, 21; Apr 4, 18; May 1, 15 (324067)

1:30 - 3 pm

## LEATHERWORKS - BEGINNING

Due to the popularity of this class we have added another day, Fri mornings, to learn how to work with and make leather items such as a belt, handbag, book covers, wallets, and more. As a beginner, you will create your own leather key chain and/or coasters. Class Max: 8

**Instructor:** Sam Truax

**Fee:** FREE (plus supplies)

### Passmore Center

Wednesdays (234000-01)

9 - 11 am

## NIFTY KNITTERS

Bring your own project and work with others. Beginners always welcome as there is usually someone who is willing to teach you. This is a great way to get motivated and learn from one another. It is also a good way to meet people and make new friends.

### Passmore Center

Wednesdays (234026-01)

10 am - 12 noon

## NIMBLE THIMBLES

*New!* Love to quilt or interested in learning how? We now offer an evening class and they welcome all newcomers.

**Fee:** FREE

### Passmore Center

Tue, Mar 12, 26; Apr 9, 23; May 14, 28

(257052-01)

6 - 8 pm

### **PASSMORE CENTER CARVERS (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. Costs: \$1 for the boot cutout. We are currently making comfort birds, small stylized birds we give to senior center regulars as they face sickness or stress in their lives. People of all skill levels are invited to attend one or both classes.

**Instructor:** Steve Zamerski

**Fee:** FREE (plus supplies)

**Passmore Center**

Wednesdays (254033-01)

1 - 4 pm or

Wednesdays (254033-02)

6 - 7:30 pm

### **PASSMORE CENTER CARVERS - INTARSIA WOODCARVING**

The woodcarving class is extending its time and introducing a new art, Intarsia - 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)

**Passmore Center**

Wednesdays (254033-01)

1 - 4 pm

### **PASSMORE PIECE MAKERS - TUESDAY 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

**Passmore Center**

Tuesdays (257011-01)

10 am - 2 pm

### **PEACE, LOVE & TIE DYE**

Blast from the past! Invite the grandkids for an afternoon of fun. Things are destined to get a little messy as we tie dye t-shirts for spring. We will be using tie dye kits with several patterns to choose from. Be sure to let us know what size t-shirt you will need when registering. Min: 5/ Max: 15

**Register by:** Tue, Apr 23

**Instructor:** Meghan Davis

**Fee:** \$7

**Passmore Center**

Tue, Apr 30

(224033-01)

3:30 - 5 pm

### **PINEAPPLE SUCCULENT MASON JAR**

Succulents are the perfect plants. They are great for adding style and Zen to your home. They also don't require a lot of TLC like most plants which make them perfect for anyone of any age. To spruce up your home this spring we will make Pineapple Succulent Jars. We will create a festive pineapple using a mason jar, rocks, craft paint, soil, and a succulent. Don't miss out on this fun class! Min: 5/ Max: 10

**Register by:** Fri, May 24  
**Instructor:** Meghan Davis  
**Fee:** \$10

**Passmore Center**

Fri, May 31 (224034-01) 1:30 – 2:30 pm

**QUILLED FLOWER ART**

In this fun class you will practice the art of quilling that involves using paper strips that have been rolled, shaped, and glued together to create images. Come join Ceresa and learn different quilling styles to create beautiful spring flowers. Min: 5/ Max: 15

**Register by:** Wed, Apr 3

**Instructor:** Ceresa Clarke

**Fee:** FREE

**Seymour Center**

Wed, Apr 10 (324081-01) 2 – 4 pm

**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 Susan Zeisel at 919-932-9080 or Dee Korda at 575-654-4032.

**Fee:** FREE

**Seymour Center**

Mondays (354024) 10 am – 12 noon

**SEW WHAT - SEWING GROUP**

So, What's Sewing? Anything you like. Do you have projects just waiting to be completed, but you just can't get motivated? Here is your chance to join others and work on whatever you like. Many people are sewing crafts to sell in the future, and others are working on their own personal projects. If you have a portable sewing machine, please bring it with you. Come and join the fun!

**Fee:** FREE

**Passmore Center**

Wednesdays (257046-01) 4 - 6 pm

**SHARPIE: NEGATIVE DRAWING CLASS**

Bring a pad of mixed media paper and sharpies in the color of your choice. We will create some cool designs to make attractive and unique cards and wonderful note papers. Feel free to bring your grands or adult children. Min: 5/Max: 10

**Register by:** 1 week prior to class date + specify day or evening class.

**Instructor:** Alison Bell

**Fee:** FREE

**Seymour Center**

Mon, May 6 (314021-03) 6 – 8 pm

Tue, May 14 (314021-04) 1 - 3 pm

**SPRING WELCOME MAT**

It's the perfect time for a spring project. Join Meghan to create your own door mat for spring. Let your creativity flow to make a masterpiece you can't find in stores. Min: 3/ Max: 7

**Register by:** Fri, Mar 22

**Instructor:** Meghan Davis

**Fee:** \$7 for supplies

**Passmore Center**

Fri, Mar 29

(224036-01)

2 - 3 pm

### **WEAVING FROM THE HEART: FREE-STYLE WEAVING**

SAORI weaving is a free-style hand weaving philosophy and technique from Japan. It is an art form in which we express our true selves using color and texture and many weaving techniques on rigid heddle looms, which are smaller and more portable than Saori floor looms. No experience necessary - open to all abilities and ages! Take home what you weave! Feel free to bring your yarn stash! Or choose from a variety of yarns/fibers (\$5 - \$10 materials fee).

Class Min: 4/Max: 8

**Register by:** 1 week prior to each session.

**Instructor:** Dawn Hummer

**Fee:** \$20 per session

**Seymour Center**

Mon, Mar 25, Apr 29

(324056-15)

1- 3 pm

(No class in May due to holiday)

(324056-16)

3 - 5 pm

### **WIRE WORKS: INSPRIRING WIRE JEWELRY CLASS**

Looking for a different, yet fun and inspiring class? Learn step by step techniques that will enable you to create jewelry pieces using wire. You can add a few beads or leave as is. Tools for class will be available. Fee includes wire (22g), and you will be able to choose silver or gold, as well as ear wires.

Min: 5 /Max: 8

**Register by:** Tue, Feb 5

**Instructor:** Alison Bell

**Fee:** \$10

**Seymour Center**

Tue, Mar 19 (324069-02)

10 am - 12 noon

Tue, Mar 21 (324056-03)

10 am - 12 noon

### **ZEN GARDEN: THE TABLETOP VERSION**

Need a relaxing activity to lower stress and add a little fun to your day? Build and personalize your own tabletop Zen garden that is super easy to maintain. Supplies including the box, moss, rocks, sand and other decorative materials will be provided. Feel free to bring items to add to the mix. Once you have mastered your Zen garden, look forward to its calming affects.

Min: 5/Max: 10

**Register by:** Fri, May 10

**Instructor:** Fran Dionne

**Fee:** FREE

**Seymour Center**

Fri, May 17

(324086-01)

10 am - 12 noon