

Saira's Message

It's a dream come true for me. I feel I am the luckiest woman alive to welcome all of you to the new Chandail!

Years ago, I thought about becoming the owner of a needlepoint shop, but my husband's job took us to Europe for four years. When we returned to Houston this past summer, my dream was still alive. Fast forward to April 30th, and I opened the doors as Chandail's new owner.

My goal is to provide a warm and inviting stitching atmosphere where you want to come, stitch and learn. You will see our calendar lists local as well as national teachers as we strive to be your premier needlepoint shop.

And for those of you who can't get to the shop during the day, you can now come by in the evening. We welcome all stitchers—old and new!

So come in and see what's changed. Let me get to know you. We've always got cool drinks in the refrigerator for you!

Love, Saira

Monthly Series News Sounds of Christmas designed by Tony Minieri

YES, you read that right—THE Tony Minieri. Tony has designed ten Christmas ornaments based on favorite Christmas Carols. You'll be humming the tunes of "We Three Kings" and "Hark the Herald Angels Sing" as you stitch. These fun pieces also provide you with stitching relief—no laying of threads! Kits include canvases, stitch guide by Tony, threads, stretcher bars (included in first kit) and beads. Stitched on green and red 18 mesh canvas, your new Songs of Christmas will brighten up years of Christmases to come.

Series Details:

Series Start Date: November 2012

Series Cost: \$50/month

Deposit: \$50 (will be applied to the

cost of the last kit)

Poison Bottles by Kirk and Hamilton with stitch guides by Emily Pannier.

The second set of poison bottles are EXCLUSIVE to Chandail and ready for you to enjoy. Emily Pannier



has developed stitch guides that include fun and fancy stitches. These are sure to become a new favorite to display along with your other treasured Halloween pieces. Kit includes canvas, stitch guide, threads, and beads.

Series Details:

Series Cost: \$135/month

Deposit: \$135 (will be applied to the cost of your last kit)

Monthly Series News-continued

12 Days of Christmas Angels by Melissa Shirley A MONTHLY SERIES FEATURING Melissa Shirley's

A MONTHLY SERIES FEATURING Melissa Shirley's Christmas angels with stitch guides by Cynthia Thomas, exclusive to Chandail. We will begin this series in November, and each month you'll receive a canvas with a complete thread kit. Kit 1 will contain a stitch guide book with all twelve designs. Available as a full series only.

Series Start Date: November 2012 Series Cost: \$135/month

Deposit: \$135 (will be applied to the cost of your last kit)







Monthly Series News-continued

Fab Firs by Needle Deeva

FIR TREES, THAT IS! Pines, Spruce and Fir trees are represented on these "firry" canvases. Each month for nine months, you will receive a painted canvas complete with stitch guide by Vicky de Angelis along with threads, beads and Swarovski crystals. Each fir tree is on 18 mesh canvas and measures 4 ½" x 4 ½".

More information on this fun series later!



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Class News

Embellishment Class with Tony Minieri

AND

A Special Project Class

TONY WILL BE TEACHING A 3-DAY CANVAS EMBELLISHMENT CLASS IN JUNE 2013 followed by a 2 day Surprise project class. We will have further details in our next newsletter and we will begin accepting deposits January 3, 2013.

Embellishment Class Dates: June 6th, 7th, & 8th 2013 Class

Surprise Class Cates: June 9th and 10th

Fee: TBD

Kit Fee: Varies by project design

Deposit: \$100

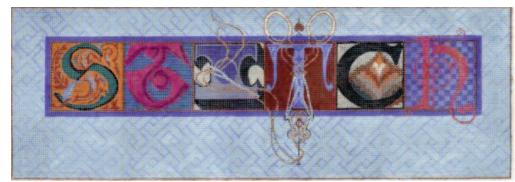
The Coat with Renee Seidman

STAY TUNED FOR DETAILS on this class with Renee, another wonderful national teacher.

Our newest monthly series "STITCH" canvas by Diane Dirks with creative stitch guide by Laurie Walden.

EACH MONTH YOU WILL RECEIVE A COMPLETE KIT consisting of threads, beads and stitch guide. The last kit (one letter/month) in this series will be the background design.

Date: October, 2012
Deposit: \$243 (cost of canvas)



2012 Trunk Show Calendar

All trunk show canvases are 20% off. Special orders from the designer during the show are 10% off.

August: Brenda Stofft
September: Sandra Gilmore
October: Zecca
November: Tapestry Tent

Stitch Class Schedule

We have classes scheduled! Please call the shop in advance to reserve a seat.

Day	Тіме	Teacher
Monday Evening	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Saira Himelfarb
Tuesday Morning	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Jan Wilken
Tuesday Afternoon	12:30 PM – 2:30 PM	Jan Wilken
Wednesday Morning	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Laurie Walden
Wednesday Afternoon	12:30 PM – 2:30 PM	Laurie Walden
Wednesday Evening	6:00 PM – 8:00 PM	Saira Himelfarb
Thursday Morning	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Laurie Walden
Thursday Afternoon	12:30 PM – 2:30 PM	Laurie Walden
Saturday Morning	10:00 AM – 12:00 PM	Cheryl Moore

Note: Space is limited and classes fill up quickly. Class fees are \$10/class (each class is 2 hours).

First Saturday Stitching

Start your month off with a bang!

Join in the fun as we welcome the new month on the first Saturday of each month with our evening stitch-in. We gather, starting at 5:00 PM.

Bring your favorite stitching and join the crowd as we eat, visit and stitch.

Finishing Deadlines

Get your stitched projects to us by the deadlines listed below, and we guarantee to have your finished treasure back in time for the holiday. Don't delay!

Halloween and Thanksgiving - expired for 2012 Christmas - September 1

Save your receipts!

When your purchases total \$250.00 before tax you are eligible for a 25% discount off one in-store canvas that has been in the shop 30 days or longer. Excludes Purchases of books/finishing and items purchased at a discount.

Chandail Project Bags

Our clear plastic bags are in stock! These great bags have carrying straps, double zipper tabs and are perfect to keep your kits together and organized. We have three different sizes plus little bags to hold your threads.

Market News

Saira returned from the June market with new kits in hand and she place orders for lots of new canvas designs. We also added canvases by Strictly Christmas. New canvases are arriving daily along with great new project bags with three zippered tiers and the best new scissors from Premax.

A MUST HAVE for every stitcher.

- * Stitch-Ups created precious little kits with Halloween ornaments for you to stitch. These kits include the canvas, threads and stitch guide, and they're ideal as "Grab & Go" projects.
- * Sew Much Fun introduces Witches, Dracula and Frankenstein with legs made out of beads! These adorable figures are also "Grab & Go" projects, and they'll be fantastic in your Halloween windows this October.
- * River Silks Kits to Go provide canvas, ribbons and stitch guides in even more "Grab & Go" kits. But hurry these are going fast!
- * Foldi LED Lamps are hot and cool all at once! As the find of the year in illumination, the Foldi is a slim-line, lightweight and high powered light. It's perfect for your weekend trips!
- * Access Commodities dealt a snazzy Needle ID Card set that makes it easy to identify which needle is which. One side identifies the needles while the other side provides fun facts. Cute!
- * Atenti Bags for all you needlepoint needs or travel. They are spectacular.

Shop Hours

Monday - Friday: 10:00 am - 8:00 pm Saturday: 10:00 am - 5:00 pm Sunday: CLOSED

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