

FRINGE ELEMENT TATTERS "FALL INTO TATTING"

Tat Days Registration Package 2009

Back by popular demand! We have kept last year's expanded format of 2 classes on Friday, 2 classes on Saturday and Saturday evening's informal get-together.

New this year: Saturday classes for your tweens & teens.

Each registrant will receive a Goody Bag and have the opportunity to purchase tickets for our Raffle and participate in our Live Auction. Let us know if you have any items to contribute to the fun.

All proceeds from the Raffle and Live Auction will be used to sponsor future Fringe Element tatting events.

PROGRAM

Friday September 25, 2009

1:00 pm Doors open
1:00 – 2:00 Registration, Goody Bags
2:00 – 4:00 Class A
4:00 – 7:00 Dinner with Friends (on your own)
7:00 – 9:30 Class B and Raffle

Saturday September 26, 2009

8:30 am Doors open
8:30 – 9:00 Registration, Goody Bags
9:00 – 12:30 Class C and Raffle
12:30 – 1:30 Lunch, Vendors
1:30 – 5:30 Class D and Live Auction
5:30 – 8:00 Dinner with Friends (on your own)
8:00 – Whenever.....Chatting and an informal session with the teachers.



FRIDAY CLASSES

Beginner / Refresher Needle Tatting with Josie Hancock

Learn the basics of needle tatting – rings, chains, picots, joining picots, Josephine stitch.

Josie will show how you can use your tatted edging to transform a Victorian Pin Cushion.

Required Materials: Bring thread to match your size of tatting needle (eg: 20 thread for size 5 needle) or purchase from one of our vendors. Josie will have a few pin cushion kits for sale.

Beginner / Refresher Shuttle Tatting with Norm Reid

Learn the basics of shuttle tatting – rings, chains, picots, joining, joining threads, reading patterns.

More advanced if time permits.

Required Materials: Shuttle and 2 colours of thread (can be purchased from one of our vendors). No kit required.

Bead Journey with Gina Brummett

Bead sizes, where you use them, how you use them, how you get them on there!

A journey down Beading Lane, which shows you the different kinds of beads and how they are sized and what to look for when selecting beads for a project. We'll explore as many different ways to add beads as time allows.

Nothing more complicated in tatting technique than rings and chains.

Required Materials: Shuttles, size 10 or 20 thread, favorite beads, tiny crochet hook to fit through bead.

Plus additional kit supplied by Gina @ \$3 US (i.e. about \$4 CDN).

A Pair of Pretty Paisleys with Kaye Judt

This pair of paisleys will make a fun adornment to any wearable or accessory. Roll tatting and shoe lace trick help to form the paisleys and round crystals encased in tatting add extra bling.

Required Materials: 1 shuttle or 1 size 5 tatting needle, 1 ball size 20 tatting thread, 15 seed beads, and usual tatting supplies. No kit required.

Angelic Endeavors with Karey Solomon

This modern angel goes together quickly because her head, hands and feet are pewter charms – we'll be tatting her body and wings and attaching the rest of her as we tat. Techniques used will include mock-rings, split-rings, lock chains and block tatting.

Required Materials: Size 30 or 40 thread (colors for angel's body, wings and hair), small crochet hook, plus all the usual tatting supplies. Plus additional kit supplied by Karey @ \$6 US (I,e, about \$8 CDN).

Beaded Zinnia Brooch with Brenda Franklin (non-tatting)

Bead embellishing and stringing methods are used to create this 3 dimensional bead brooch (student can stitch one of two different flower styles). Kit supplied by Brenda @ \$12.

Required Materials: Bead mat, scissors, needle nose pliers, pencil.

SATURDAY CLASSES

Beginner / Refresher Shuttle Tatting with Norm Reid – See Friday Classes for description.

Bringing Vintage into the Present with Gina Brummett

How to make sense of vintage patterns, know where to bridge with modern techniques. We'll cover a few examples in class of vintage patterns updated with current tatting terms. Feel free to bring your favorite vintage pattern and we'll re-interpret it into something you can easily use.

Required Materials: 2 shuttles, size 10 or 20 thread, usual tatting tools. No kit required.

One Pass Triple Strand Beaded Bracelet (Shuttle or Needle) with Rita Cochrane

This one pass triple strand beaded bracelet is made with carnival beads and features Josephine rings. Join us & learn how easy it is to make a great fun piece of jewelry that you will want to wear everywhere.

Required Materials: Two shuttles or your number 7 needle. Plus additional kit supplied by Rita @ \$5.

A Critter from the Wild with Kaye Judt

Have fun tatting this small animal featuring onion skin joins, pearl tatting and woven picots.

Required Materials: 1 shuttle or 1 size 5 tatting needle, 1 ball size 20 tatting thread in brown or tan and usual tatting supplies. No kit required.

Beauteous Beaded Baubles with Karey Solomon

New ways to combine baubles and bangles and beads in a stunning ornament – we will use a bridge-stitch cover for the bangle, plus bead-tatting techniques and round or flat baubles for the inside of the ornament.

Required Materials: Size 10 and 20 thread in complementary colors, size 10 or 11 beads and a bead-threader, plus all the usual tatting supplies. Plus additional kit supplied by Karey @ \$1 US.

Beaded Zinnia Brooch with Brenda Franklin (non-tatting) – See Friday Classes for description.

Beaded Fringes with Brenda Franklin (non-tatting)

Different methods will be sampled to teach students the techniques used for creating bead fringes.

Required Materials: beads (seed, bugle, other), bead mat, beading needle, beading thread, scissors, pencil and note paper, pencil crayons (optional), piece of felt (size approx. 8 " x 4") or something comparable for creating the sampler, ruler or tape measure. NB: Supplies will be available for purchase from Brenda.

Tweens and Teens

Crochet and Knitting with Wynn Reid (non-tatting)

Crochet hooks and knitting needles can be borrowed for the class. Thread and yarn will be supplied for your teddy bear accessories or crocheted bag.

Kids Can Tat Too – with Rita Cochrane

Fun learning for Kids of all ages – Kids-Tweens-Teens-Moms-Dads. Everyone welcome.

Come join us for a needle tatting class especially designed with kids in mind and make a "Hair Slide".

Basic needle tatting geared for beginner and intermediate tatters.

Required Materials Bring tatting needles if you have them – if not, we can loan you one for the class. All the materials to make the project will be provided at no charge.

SATURDAY LUNCH

Lunch will be provided by the Convention Center's official catering service – Party Time Catering. We haven't finalized the menu yet as we want to make sure we properly address any special diet concerns of our participants. Please list any dietary requirements on your registration form. Lunch must be paid with your registration.

VENDORS

There will be a great selection of vendors to take care of your tatting needs, with a wide variety of Threads, Beads, Books, Shuttles, Needles, and many other tatting goodies and supplies.

THE OFFICIAL SITE FOR THIS EVENT

We have again worked out a special price with Best Western Cambridge Hotel & Conference Centre on Highway 24 at the 401 (730 Hespeler Rd., Cambridge, ON. N3H 5L8) - www.bestwestern.com

You can stay for \$99 CDN per night which includes Breakfast. This price is based on double occupancy. We have a block of rooms reserved at this Hotel. Phone 1-519-623-4600 to book your room under your name using our reservation number – 307 and mention you are with "The Fringe Element Tatters" group. Be sure to book by August 26, 2009 in order to get this special Rate. See website for amenities.

All official activities of our event are being held at this complex. No extra outside traveling to get to class. Just take the stairs or the elevator to "The Grand Ball Room" and you are there.

OTHER REMINDERS

2009 Membership Hearts: Save postage and send it in with your registration – or bring it in September.

Competition: Don't forget to bring your decorated napkin holder from last year's goody bag.

"Show and Tell": We'd love to see your masterpieces.

Optional Excursions (on you own):

Lens Mill Store is just 5 minutes from the hotel. www.lensmill.com

Southworks Antiques Market is about half an hour from the hotel. www.southworksantiques.com

Mary Maxim is about half an hour from the hotel. www.marymaxim.com

Passports: As of June 1, 2009 you need a passport to cross the Canada / US border.

TAT DAYS REGISTRATION

Cost to attend this event is \$45 Canadian Funds for the 2 days, plus \$12 for Saturday lunch.

Can't make both days – No Problem – You can come for 1 day for \$30 plus lunch \$12 (if you are coming on Saturday).

Please make cheques payable to: Fringe Element Tatters.

If you have any questions please contact Fringe Element Tatters by email – fringetatters@gmail.com or phone – 416-259-6187 and leave a message.

Last day for registration is September 14, 2009.

Please return this Registration Page with your payment to:

Fringe Element Tatters

c/o Ruth MacEachern, 36 Fourth Street, Etobicoke, ON, Canada M8V 2Y3

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone # : _____

e-mail: _____

Please sign below to give your permission to publish your contact information in our program to be distributed to participants of this event.

Permission Signature: _____

For each time slot, please indicate your 1st and 2nd choice of classes. Keep a copy of this page for your records. We will do our best to give you your first choice, however class space may be limited so register early. We will confirm your assigned classes by August 31.

CLASS CHOICES:

Event Cost

Class A – Friday September 25, 2009 – 2:00 pm to 4:00 pm

2 Days \$45 \$ _____

_____ Josie Hancock – Basic Needle Tatting

1 Day \$30 \$ _____

_____ Norm Reid – Basic Shuttle Tatting

1 Day Tweens

_____ Gina Brummett – Bead Journey (Kit Fee \$3 US)

& Teens \$10 \$ _____

_____ Karey Soloman – Angelic Endeavors (Kit Fee \$6 US)

_____ Brenda Franklin – Zinnia Brooch (Kit Fee \$12)

Saturday Lunch \$12 \$ _____

Class B – Friday September 25, 2009 – 7:00 pm to 9:30 pm:

Dietary Restrictions (please list):

_____ Josie Hancock – Basic Needle Tatting

_____ Norm Reid – Basic Shuttle Tatting

_____ Gina Brummett – Bead Journey (Kit Fee \$3 US)

_____ Kaye Judt – A Pair of Pretty Paisleys

_____ Karey Soloman – Angelic Endeavors (Kit Fee \$6 US)

Total Enclosed \$ _____

Class C – Saturday September 26, 2009 – 9:00 am to 12:30 pm

_____ Norm Reid – Basic Shuttle Tatting

_____ Rita Cochrane – One Pass Triple Strand Beaded Bracelet (Kit Fee \$5)

_____ Kaye Judt – A Critter from the Wild

_____ Karey Soloman – Beauteous Beaded Baubles (Kit Fee \$1 US)

_____ Brenda Franklin – Fringes

_____ Wynn Reid – Tweens & Teens Knitting & Crochet

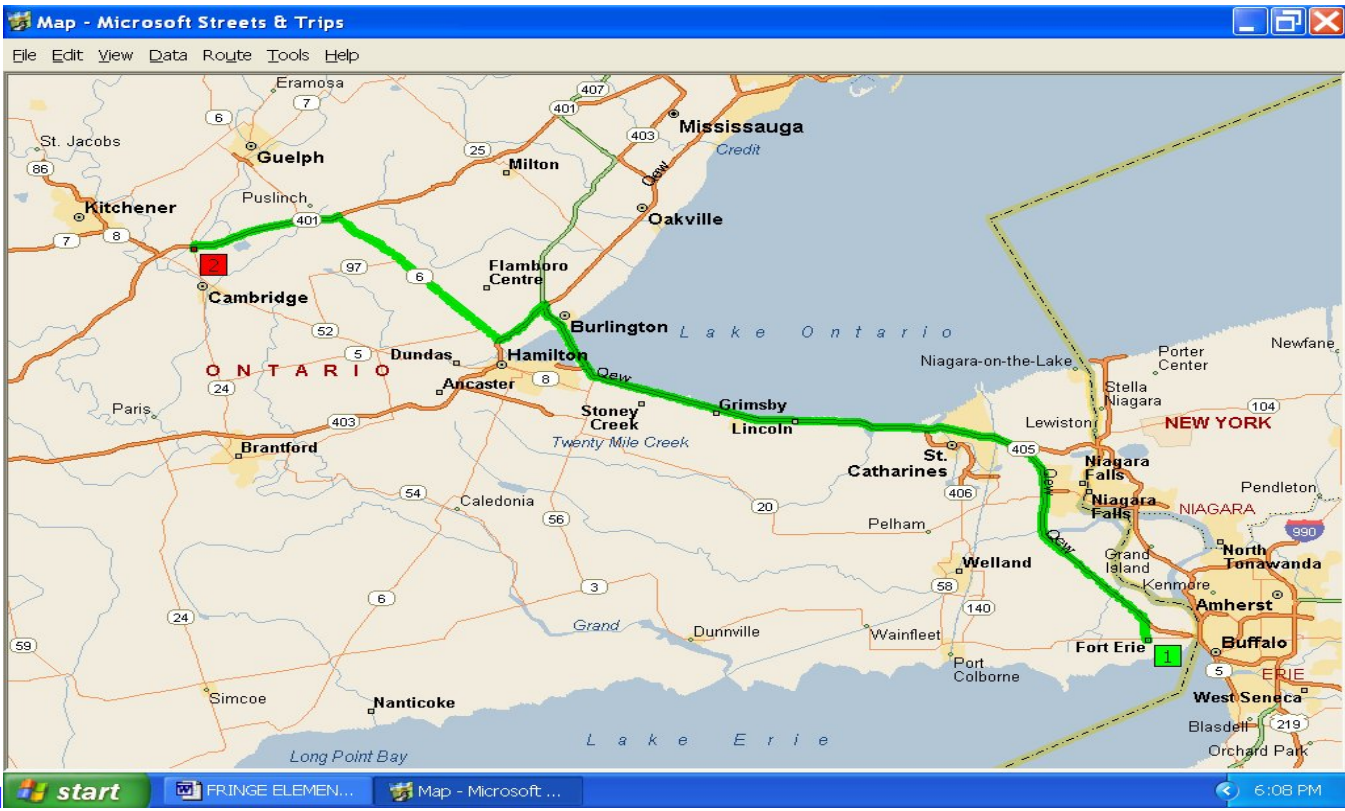
Class D– Saturday September 26, 2009 – 1:30 pm to 5:30 pm

_____ Gina Brummett – Bringing Vintage into the Present

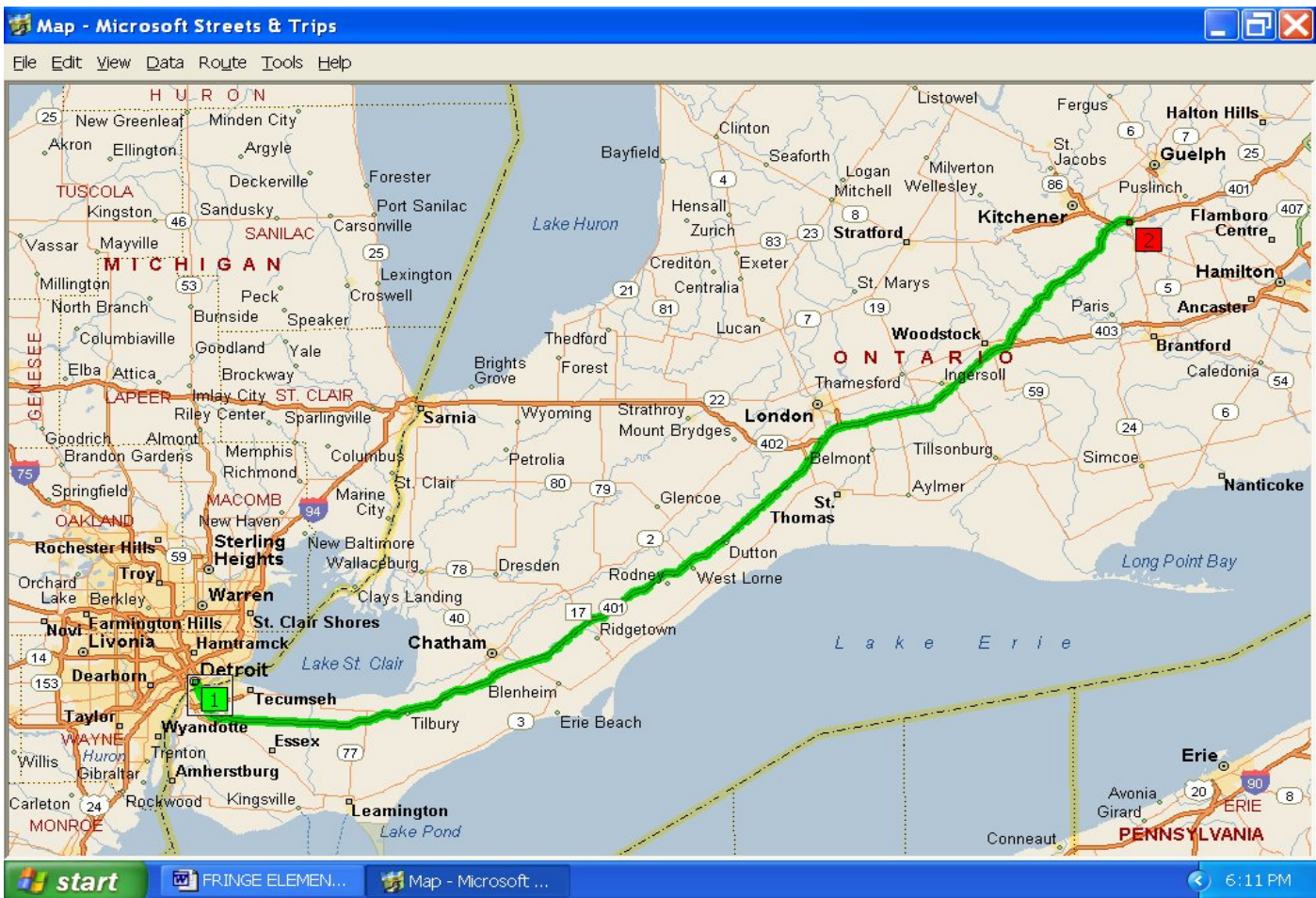
_____ Kaye Judt – A Critter from the Wild

_____ Brenda Franklin – Zinnia Brooch (Kit Fee \$12)

_____ Rita Cochrane – Kids Can Tat Too



The above map shows directions from Fort Erie Canada to the Best Western Hotel. At the Fort Erie Border crossing take The QEW (405) highway to Burlington, then get on the 403 highway for a short distance to Highway 6 North to the 401. Travel West on the 401 to Cambridge exit number 282. Going off the exit make a left and go over the 401 and the Hotel is on the right side.



The above map shows the route from Detroit Michigan to The Best Western Hotel in Cambridge. When crossing the border at Detroit you take the 401 east to exit 282. Coming off the exit you will see the Hotel on your right.