

The public is invited to participate in the  
**NORTHEASTERN NORTH CAROLINA CRAFT WORKSHOP**

Tuesday, May 12<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday, May 13<sup>th</sup>, 2015  
9:30am to 4:00pm  
Vernon James Research & Extension Center  
Plymouth, NC

CLASSES OFFERED

Armenian Needle Lace	Knitting-Beginner
Basketry-Woven Vase	Needle Felting-Tote Bag
Basketry-Shell Basket	Needle Felting-Sculpture
Basic Stained Glass	Painting in Acrylic
Cottonwood Bark Carving	Seagrass Stools
Decoy Carving & Painting	Silver Jewelry
Embroidery	Yo-Yo Ornaments-Santa/Elf
Glass Etching	Yo-Yo Ornaments-Angel/Snowman

Registration Fee: \$10.00 per day

Deadline: April 2, 2015

Classes will be filled on a first come-first served basis.

**Registration fees are nonrefundable, but are transferable.**

For Class Information Contact:

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Contact Person

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Telephone Number

Sponsored By:  
Northeastern North Carolina Craft Workshop Committee and  
North Carolina Cooperative Extension

NEWS RELEASE  
FOR PUBLICATION ON OR BEFORE FEBRUARY 15, 2015

February 7, 2015

Registration for the 2015 Northeastern North Carolina Craft Workshop begins on February 7, 2015 and will be accepted on a "first come-first served" basis until the April 2, 2015 deadline. Registration forms and class information can be requested from the Washington County Cooperative Extension Service, by calling 252-793-2163.

Registration fee is \$10 per day. All registration fees are non-refundable, but transferable, and must be received by April 2, 2015. Class kit fees vary depending on class selection. The workshop is designed and open to everyone and anyone interested in learning a craft whether hobbyist, adult or youth groups, craft teachers, small businesspersons, etc.

The 2015 workshop will be held on May 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup> at the Vernon G. James Research & Extension Center located at the Tidewater Research Station on NC Highway 32 in Plymouth, NC. Hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. daily.

Classes include:

Armenian Needle Lace; Basketry; Basic Stained Glass; Cottonwood Bark Carving; Decoy Carving and Painting; Embroidery; Glass Etching; Knitting-Beginner; Needle Felting; Painting in Acrylic; Sea Grass Stools; Silver Jewelry; and Yo-Yo Ornaments

We offer both one and two day classes. For more detailed information, contact your local Cooperative Extension Office, by calling 252-793-2163, by email [rebecca\\_liverman@ncsu.edu](mailto:rebecca_liverman@ncsu.edu), or you may call Mrs. Faytie Johnston at 252-335-4680.

This annual workshop is conducted by Northeastern North Carolina Craft Workshop volunteers and is co-sponsored by NC Cooperative Extension.

## 2015 CLASS INFORMATION

MAY 12<sup>th</sup> and 13<sup>th</sup>

9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

The 2015 Northeastern NC Craft Workshop will be held on Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13 at the Vernon G James Research and Extension Center, located at 207 Research Station Road, off Highway 32N, in Plymouth, NC. Registration is on a "first come - first served" basis. **Registration fees are nonrefundable, but are transferable.**

**Registration forms and fees** should be mailed to: Faytie Johnston, 621 Alton Street, Elizabeth City, NC 27909, (phone: 252-335-4680) by **April 2, 2015**. Registration fees defray general cost of workshops, including mileage and lunch for teachers, postage for mailings, paper supplies, equipment, etc.

**Sample photos** of workshop projects can be viewed at [www.albemarlecraftsmansfair.com](http://www.albemarlecraftsmansfair.com), by clicking on the link for 2015 NE NC District Workshop.

**Class kit fees** cover the cost of supplies used in class and are **due after** your class has been confirmed by letter.

**Please DO NOT send kit fee with registration fee.**

1. **ARMENIAN NEEDLE LACE:** two day class, Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13. Students will learn the basic stitch, simple straight edging, and circles (doilies). Skills required: good eyesight (bring eyeglasses if needed); good use of hands (some slight disability with hands may be overcome). On day two, students will make doilies.

INSTRUCTOR: Emily Harrell  
100 Quail Run  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909

ASSISTANTS: Peggie Anderson  
100 Quail Run  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909  
Phone: 252-338-1035

Susan Outlaw  
179 Outlaw Lane  
Suffolk, VA 23435  
757-538-8819

CLASS LIMIT: 10

KIT FEE: \$10

STUDENTS SHOULD BRING: small scissors; for comfort, maybe a cushion to sit on; eyeglasses, if needed

KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

2. **BASKETRY – "Woven Vase":** one day class, Tuesday, May 12. Students will weave with round and flat oval reed around a glass ginger jar. Spokes will be inserted into a wooden base that is glued to the bottom of the jar. Some color choices will be available. Each vase will have some natural reed and one color. Students will learn to "chase weave", allowing continuous weaving. It will not be necessary to use a new weaver with each row. Techniques will include over-under weaving and twining. The rim will be lashed with waxed linen. The glass ginger jar serves as the mold and remains in the basket so the vase is usable. No prior weaving experience is required.

INSTRUCTOR: Judith Sanders  
1915 E Bayview Blvd  
Norfolk, VA 23503

Phone: 757-588-6581

CLASS LIMIT: 12

KIT FEE: \$35

STUDENT SHOULD BRING: sharp heavy duty scissors or small pruning shears, an old towel, a bucket or plastic dishpan for water

KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

3. **BASKETRY – "Shell Basket":** one day class, Wednesday, May 13. Students will select a shell from North Carolina shells provided to be the base for the basket. Round reed will be used as the spokes. The spokes will be bound and the base will be twined. Each student will fit their base into the shell selected and then weave a basket that appears to grow out of the shell. Twining will be the primary technique used. There will be a variety of colors available as well as cords, wires, beads, etc. Each basket will be one-of-a-kind. No prior weaving experience is required.

INSTRUCTOR: Judith Sanders  
1915 E Bayview Blvd  
Norfolk, VA 23503

Phone: 757-588-6581

CLASS LIMIT: 12

KIT FEE: \$40

STUDENT SHOULD BRING: sharp heavy duty scissors or small pruning shears, an old towel, a bucket or plastic dishpan for water

KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies and shells

4. **BASIC STAINED GLASS:** two day class, Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13. Students will learn safe handling of glass, cutting, developing and using patterns. Students will use the copper foil method of stained glass construction. Students will assemble at least two sun catchers.

INSTRUCTOR: Jimmy Yates  
112 Barker Street  
Edenton, NC 27932

ASSISTANT: Dot Yates  
Phone: 252-482-3759

CLASS LIMIT: 10                      KIT FEE: \$45  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: A smile! Eye protection  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary tools and materials

5. **COTTONWOOD BARK CARVING:** two day class, Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13. Students will carve a whimsical bark house out of cottonwood bark. This will be a wall hanging.

INSTRUCTOR: Lou Powell  
308 Vance Street  
Vanceboro, NC 28586

Phone: 252-244-0066

CLASS LIMIT: 10                      KIT FEE: \$15  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: any carving tools (hand gouges, detail knife, etc.), good eye sight  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary materials

6. **DECOY CARVING AND PAINTING:** two day class, Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13. Students will learn or sharpen carving skills to carve and paint a red-breasted merrins decoy. Decoy will be approximately ¾ life size – 12" long. Beginners will learn basic decoy carving and experienced carvers will sharpen skills using knives and rasps, with tupelo wood and acrylic paint. No experience is required, just be in the mood for some fun learning!

INSTRUCTOR: Ed Morrison  
501 Norman Lane  
Virginia Beach, VA 23452

Phone: 757-463-0891

CLASS LIMIT: 20                      KIT FEE: \$33  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: apron, small, pointed paint brush  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all supplies and tools to use in class

7. **EMBROIDERY – Yo-Yo Quilt or Table Runner:** two day class, Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13. Students will learn to cut circles from fabric and form and stitch them into yo-yo's. You will start your own yo-yo quilt or table runner.

INSTRUCTOR: Glenda Morrison  
501 Norman Lane  
Virginia Beach, VA 23451

Phone: 757-463-0891

CLASS LIMIT: 12                      KIT FEE: \$20  
STUDENTS SHOULD BRING: sharp scissors  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

8. **GLASS ETCHING:** two one-day classes, Tuesday, May 12 or Wednesday, May 13. Students will become familiar with safety requirements using the creamed base acid etch solution. Students will learn the basics of creating their own design using masking tape and contact paper as a resist. They will work with run-n-etch stencils, peel and stick stencils, as well as over-and-over stencils.

INSTRUCTOR: Georgine Armstrong  
1501 Pot O' Gold Trail  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909

Phone: 252-335-5917

CLASS LIMIT: 12                      KIT FEE: \$20  
STUDENTS SHOULD BRING: wear comfortable clothing or bring an old shirt or apron; good eyesight; willingness to follow instructions; willingness to have fun  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

9. **KNITTING – Beginner:** one day class, Wednesday, May 13. Students will learn to knit and purl, cast on and cast off. There will be a question and answer session about yarns and yarn labels and types and sizes of needles.

INSTRUCTOR: Dot Dudley  
111 Selden Street  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909  
Phone: 252-333-2334

CLASS LIMIT: 6                      KIT FEE: \$12  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: scissors; measuring tape or ruler  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: knitting needles; yarn; pattern

10. **NEEDLE FELTING:** one day class, Tuesday, May 12. Students will learn basic needle felting – how to embellish garments, how to make an applique, pin and/or ornament. Students will embellish a tote bag and finish a piece that can be made into an ornament or pin while working with extremely sharp barbed needles and wool fiber.

INSTRUCTOR: Lisa Winslow  
1293 Schoolhouse Road  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909  
Phone: 252-771-5441

CLASS LIMIT: 12                      KIT FEE: \$30  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: small scissors; good hand/eye coordination  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

11. **NEEDLE FELTING:** one day class, Wednesday, May 13. Students will create a needle felted sculpture/animal and will learn various sculpture building techniques.

INSTRUCTOR: Lisa Winslow  
1293 Schoolhouse Road  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909  
Phone: 252-771-5441

CLASS LIMIT: 14                      KIT FEE: \$30  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: small scissors  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

12. **PAINTING IN ACRYLIC:** two one-day classes, Tuesday, May 12 or Wednesday, May 13. Each student will complete a scenic painting on canvas suitable and ready for framing. They will follow along with a step-by-step process, learning general painting techniques.

INSTRUCTOR: Catherine Hamill  
704 Wingina Avenue  
Manteo, NC 27954  
Phone: 252-305-8151

CLASS LIMIT: 12                      KIT FEE: \$15.00  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: desire to paint; dress with the realization that this paint does not come off clothing  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: canvas and use of instructor's brushes, paints, and palette

13. **SEAGRASS STOOLS:** two one-day classes, Tuesday, May 12 or Wednesday, May 13. Students will weave a seagrass seat into a 15" oak stool frame.

INSTRUCTOR: Gregg and Elaine Barco  
186 South Gregory Road  
Shawboro, NC 27973  
Phone: 252-336-2666

CLASS LIMIT: 10                      KIT FEE: \$55  
STUDENT SHOULD BRING: students should bring gloves, if desired  
KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

14. **SILVER JEWELRY:** two day class, Tuesday, May 12 and Wednesday, May 13. Participants will be provided a kit of silver supplies to fashion earrings, pendants, and bracelets. Kits may not be identical so come with an open mind and a bag full of creativity. Students will need to know basic wire wrapping and jewelry making skills. Participants will learn to use silver findings, beads, sea glass, and silver wire to make jewelry. Returning students may bring supplies they may have from previous silver jewelry classes.

INSTRUCTOR: Juanita T. Bailey  
190 Weight Station Road  
Hertford, NC 27944

Phone: 252-264-2040

CLASS LIMIT: 10

KIT FEE: \$55

STUDENT SHOULD BRING: crimping pliers, round nose, bent nose, chain nose, flat nose pliers, wire cutters, magnifying glasses, small or ball peen hammer

KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

15. **YO-YO ORNAMENTS:** two one-day classes, Tuesday, May 12 or Wednesday, May 13. Students will learn to make yo-yo's by hand. On day one, students will make a santa and an elf. On day two, students will make an angel and a snowman.

INSTRUCTOR: Dottie Ferrell  
416 Bonner Drive  
Elizabeth City, NC 27909

Phone: 252-338-3165

CLASS LIMIT: 15

KIT FEE: \$10

STUDENT SHOULD BRING: small scissors; needle; white or neutral thread

KIT WILL INCLUDE: all necessary supplies

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**MAY 12-13, 2015** **9:30AM to 4:00pm**  
**REGISTRATION FORM**

For Office Use Only:

Class Supply Fee Received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check Number \_\_\_\_\_

For Office Use Only:

Registration Received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Date Received \_\_\_\_\_  
 Check Number \_\_\_\_\_

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY \_\_\_\_\_

ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

PHONE \_\_\_\_\_ (HOME) \_\_\_\_\_ (WORK)

E-MAIL \_\_\_\_\_ FAX \_\_\_\_\_

Please place #1 beside your first choice, #2 beside your second choice, & #3 by your third choice:

CLASS	# DAYS	DATES	REGISTRATION FEE
_____ Armenian Needle Lace	2	5/12-13	\$20.00
_____ Basketry-"Woven Vase"	1	5/12	\$10.00
_____ Basketry-"Shell Basket"	1	5/13	\$10.00
_____ Basic Stained Glass	2	5/12-13	\$20.00
_____ Cottonwood Bark Carving	2	5/12-13	\$20.00
_____ Decoy Carving & Painting	2	5/12-13	\$20.00
_____ Embroidery-Quilt or Runner	2	5/12-13	\$20.00
_____ Glass Etching	1	5/12	\$10.00
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_____ Knitting-Beginner	1	5/13	\$10.00
_____ Needle Felting-Tote Bag	1	5/12	\$10.00
_____ Needle Felting-Sculpture	1	5/13	\$10.00
_____ Painting in Acrylic	1	5/12	\$10.00
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_____ Seagrass Stools	1	5/12	\$10.00
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_____ Silver Jewelry	2	5/12-13	\$20.00
_____ Yo-Yo Ornaments-"santa/elf"	1	5/12	\$10.00
_____ Yo-Yo Ornaments-"angel/snowman"	1	5/13	\$10.00

**TO REGISTER:** Mail registration form with your choice of classes and registration fee to: **Faytie Johnston, 621 Alton Street, Elizabeth City, NC 27909 by April 2, 2015. (Phone: 252-335-4680)**  
**Registration is on a "first come-first served" basis, so an early response will provide a better chance of getting your first choice class. Registration fees are nonrefundable, but are transferable.**

**Checks Payable To: Northeastern NC Craft Workshop**

Teachers are not paid, but your registration fee covers their mileage and lunches for the workshop. Other expenses include postage, paper supplies, and equipment. We are very fortunate to provide this workshop with the help of volunteers, teachers, committee members, and the Cooperative Extension Service. Do not send the kit fee for class supplies until your class selection is confirmed by mail. **All kit fees must be received by May 1, 2015 or registration will be canceled.**

**LUNCH:** The Tyrrell County Extension and Community Associations will have soup, sandwiches, snacks, beverages, etc., available for purchase. You may also bring your lunch.