



The Stitches' Voice



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It is amazing how the Summer is flying. I wish my needles had been flying, as well, but I have not gotten as much stitching time in as I would have liked. August is the last month for the Collective Stitch. If you are a regular reader of the newsletter, I would like to invite you to compare the photos of the Charmed Needles chart for the Collective Stitch. It is on the bottom row of the page showing all of the CS designs. Last month, I included the faux stitched picture of the design which I create when I do not have a picture of the stitched model. Christina sent a picture of her stitched piece and it is adorable. My software does not do justice to the over-dyed threads! Please make an effort to visit any of the event shops if possible so we can keep them on board for future events!

If you have enjoyed any of the special events on The Stitches' Village, I would appreciate your input on what you would like to see. The Holiday Event pages or Mystery Stitch? Let me know what you have enjoyed. Feedback is helpful when I am trying to come up with ideas for the site. Stitching friendships are the key to The Stitches' Village. Many have been made in the community and there is always room for more!! stitchersvillage.com/village is the url and the community does require registration as it is password protected. No worries - your information is never shared and I usually only send one email a month, two at the most unless it is part of a special event!!

Happy Stitching! Patty

Questions or comments may be directed to: pattytsv@gmail.com

Noteworthy Needle News

The 2019 Collective Stitch ends August 31 Theme: Spring

The Collective Stitch is a cross stitch event! It is a shop hop, mystery stitch, and treasure hunt all rolled in to one! Each event shop will have a different design created with a specific theme and size. There are prizes from the corporate sponsors which you may enter using any of the drawing codes which are unique to each event shop. You can order a book with all of the designs from any event shop!!



Limited Edition Kit - "Celtic Mist"

This Limited Edition kit is available from Stitches' Village Designs. The kit includes: fabric from a large "orphan" batch of 28 count Cashel from Picture This Plus, chart, threads and bead.

Available now in the TSVshop on Etsy: [HERE](#)

There are only a very few of these as the supply of the orphan fabric is limited to that on hand.

These are the 23 designs from the 2019 Collective Stitch event - Theme: Spring

Ursula Michael Designs, Rosewood Manor, Historic Handworkes, The Count of Many Stitches, X's and Oh's, Diane Graebner, Rosewood Manor, Glendon Place, Finger Step Designs, Linda Jeanne Jenkins Designs, Keslyns, Open Road Abode, Scratch-N-Stitch Designs, Open Road Abode, Tiny Modernist, Teresa Kogut Designs, Hot House Petunia Designs, Queen Stitch, The Purple Thread, Fireside Originals, Three Jars Full, Christina Barron, Stitchers' Village Designs (Top left to right, then down)





2019 Collective Stitch Shops

June 1 - August 31 Theme: Spring

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<p>Canada - Ontario</p> <p>Gitta's 271 Lakeshore Road East Mississauga, ON L5G 1G8 Designer: X's and Oh's @ www.xs-and-ohs.com</p> <p>Gitta's will be closed Saturday, July 13 for a family event!!</p>	<p>Colorado</p> <p>A Stitching Shop 4444 Morrison Road Denver, CO 80219 Designer: Stitches' Village Designs @ www.tsvdesigns.com</p> <p>Country Crafts 2200 Reservoir Road Greeley, CO 80631 Designer: Purple Thread @ stitchthepurplethread.com</p> <p>The Stitchin' Den 165 Virginia Drive Estes Park, CO 33771 Designer: Queen Stitch @ queenstitch.com</p>	<p>Connecticut</p> <p>Thistle Needleworks, Inc. 506 Silas Deane Highway Weathersfield, CT 06409 NOTE: Thistle Needleworks will have 2 designs this year!! Designer: Ursula Michael @ www.ursulamichael.com Historic Handworkes @ www.historichandworkes</p>	<p>Florida</p> <p>Brick City Cross Stitch 4901 E Silver Springs Blvd. #606 Ocala, FL 34470 Designer: Glendon Place @ glendonplace.net</p> <p>The Crafty Framer 2480 East Bay Drive, #A6 Largo, FL 33771 Designer: Linda Jeanne Jen- kins Cross Stitch @ linda- jeannejenkins.com</p> <p>Cross Stitch Cupboard 1600 NE 26th Street, Ste B Ft. Lauderdale, FL 33305 Designer: Finger Step Designs @ customhouseofneedleart</p>
<p>Illinois</p> <p>Inspired Needle 315 E Illinois Street Lemont, IL 60439 Designer: Rosewood Manor @ rosewoodxstitch.com</p>	<p>Michigan</p> <p>Stitch 'N Time 7579 Gratiot Road Saginaw, MI 48609 Designer: Teresa Kogut Designs @ teresakogut.com</p>	<p>Ohio</p> <p>Cross My Heart 1141 Kenny Centre Columbus, OH 43220 Designer: Hot House Petunia Designs</p>	<p>Oregon</p> <p>Charmed Needles 222 S Oregon Street Ontario, OR 97914 Designer: Christina Barron @ charmedneedles.com</p> <p>Starlight Stitchery 211 SW 2nd Street Corvallis, OR 97333 Designer: Tiny Modernist @ tinymodernist.com</p>
<p>Iowa</p> <p>My Fiberworks 108 E. Bremer Waverly, IA 50677 Designer: Three Jars Full @ MyFiberworks.com</p>	<p>Pennsylvania</p> <p>Ye Olde Cross Stitchery 119 Pond Street Bristol, PA 19007 Designer: Diane Graebner @ happypages.com/diane_g</p>	<p>Just Stitching 13211 Prospect Road Strongsville, OH 44149 Designer: Open Road Abode</p> <p>The Fabric Peddler 139 College Street Wadsworth, OH 44281 Designer: Open Road Abode</p>	<p>Wyoming</p> <p>Ewe Count 819 Randall Avenue Cheyenne, WY 82001 Designer: Fireside Originals @ firesideoriginals.com</p>
<p>North Carolina</p> <p>Sassy Jacks Stitchery 30 N Main Street Weaverville, NC 28787 Designer: Rosewood Manor @ rosewoodxstitch.com</p>	<p>Texas</p> <p>Nedlewerkes 100 Cove Terrace Shopping Center Copperas Cove, TX 46522 Designer: Keslyn's @ keslyns.com</p>	<p>The Crafty Ewe 8035 Broadview Road Broadview Heights, OH 44147 Designer: The Count of Many Stitches @ thecountofmanystitches.com</p> <p>Blueberry Hill Stitchery 880 Mull Avenue, Suite 101 Akron, OH 44313 Designer: Scratch N Stitch @ Scratch N Stitch on Facebook</p>	



Drawings and Contests

The July drawing winner: Starlia A., AR
Prize: "Celtic Mist" Limited Edition Kit from Stitches' Village Designs

The August drawing will be for a 2019 Collective Stitch Book
Entries must be received by 8/31/19 - the winner will be chosen at random from entries
Use the code "8-2019" when you submit the form
Enter by filling out the drawing form [HERE](#)
<http://stitchersvillage.com/library/drawing-form>

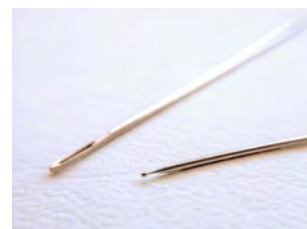
Stash Alert



*2019 Collective Stitch
Magnetic Needle Tin*
*These can be ordered
through any of the event
shops - see list on page 2*



Easy Guide Ball-Tip Needles
*These are worth trying! I did not expect to, but I
have switched to using them. I would love it if you
would sign in the the TSV community and tell your
fellow stitchers what you think of them once you
give them a test run!!!*



*If your LNS does not carry them yet, you can find
them here:*

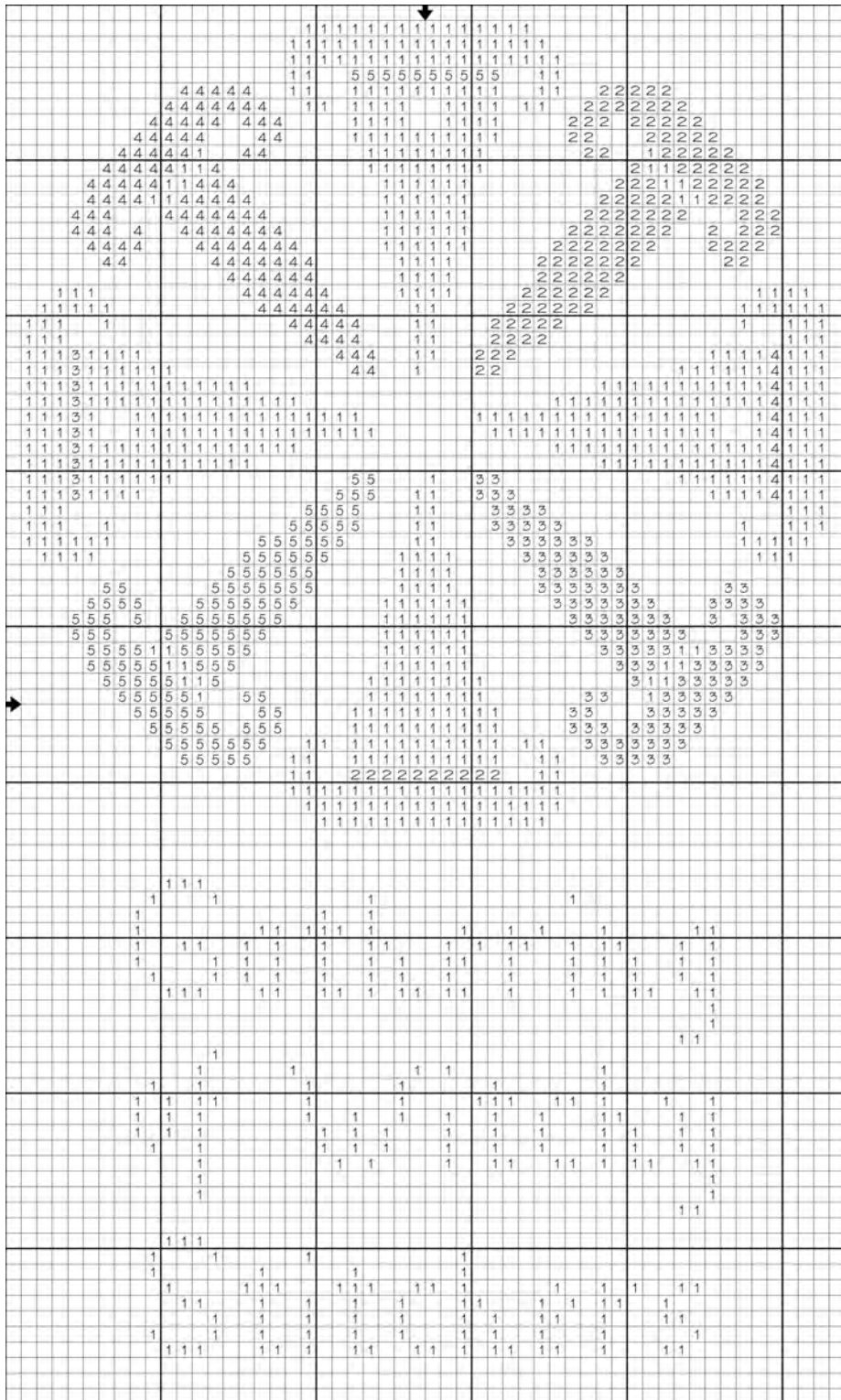
glendonplace.net

*Would you be interested in a stitching cruise? The Crafty Framer
is organizing their 9th annual cruise, February 6-10, Tampa to Tampa!
For details, give them a call and be sure to say you heard about it on TSV!
The Crafty Framer 727-518-1400*





Stitch This



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Wee Gatherin'

It is about time to start thinking of some Halloween Stitching!

- 1 DMC 310 Black
- 2 DMC 349 Coral DK
- 3 DMC 414 Steel Gray DK
- 4 DMC 699 Christmas Green
- 5 DMC 552 Violet MD

As always, these are suggestions for colors and I appreciate seeing your stitching whether you change colors or not! Post your pictures in the community where you can have your own profile and page to share your projects with a friendly group of stitchers!!

stitchersvillage.com/village