

The Stitchers Village



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The Heart of the Village contest entries are all beautiful. I greatly appreciate the participation of those sending the beautiful stitched heart pieces. We must make a decision and vote so that the prizes may be awarded. It will be a tough decision. To vote, visit the community forum topic under "Events".

We have also completed our first ATC exchange which had a theme - "Favorite Things". This was very exciting. I had difficulty deciding on which of my many favorite things to include. I finally chose a simple Celtic inspired border and a scissortail flycatcher. I see those beautiful birds on the fences along the road to my daughter's house in the summer. I have an art print by Charles Harper of a scissortail as well as a couple of other prints from other artists. I am a bird enthusiast, for sure.

TIP - did you know: in the new community, you can not only have private chat sessions with friends, but this private chat box also allows for video chatting? This depends on your internet connection and the browser you are using. What a great way to get to know your distant Village friends better!!

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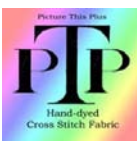


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February Birthday Drawing

This month's birthday drawing winner is Judy L., KS: will receive #6 in the Village Home Series "Kind Deeds" designed by Diane Graebner of Lynn's Prints!



ATC Exchanges

Details for participating in an "ATC Exchange" can be found in the community forum under the "Exchanges and Stitch Alongs" topic. ATC stands for Artist Trading Cards and are 2 1/2" x 3 1/2" creations. The first round was a one time exchange, organized by Twig, with the theme of "Your Favorite Things". Pictures of the finished pieces can be seen in the forum. Don't be discouraged if you don't feel that you are creative enough to compose one of these. There are unlimited possibilities and they are appreciated whether they are simple or elaborate. The fun is in receiving and collecting these pieces from many, many Village friends!! The small size allows for the project to be done in a small amount of time for those of us with many irons in the fire!

Featured designer sponsor – Thistledown Yarns. Be sure to visit her web site thistledownyarn.com

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Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28

Check the site's main Menu under "Activities" for Fabric Orphanage and contests

Bingo games are in the community chat at 7 p.m. Central Time see Forum "Events" for details to play