



# The Stitchers' Voice



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June is the start of the Collective Stitch cross stitch event. This is the fourth year for the event and there are 22 participating shops. Visit any of these shops to receive a complimentary cross stitch chart. All designs have a Spring theme and a similar size. The event is advertised as a shop hop, mystery stitch and treasure hunt all rolled into one. I have been asked to what the “treasure hunt” refers. It is my opinion that all of the charts represent cross stitch treasure and the list of participating shops is a sort of treasure map. I am asking any fellow Villagers who use social media, to help spread the word about the Collective Stitch. The Facebook page is [facebook.com/collectivestitch](https://facebook.com/collectivestitch) and the web site is [collectivestitch.com](https://collectivestitch.com).

I know that this newsletter is all about the CS event, but I have been working on this non-stop lately, so it is on my mind. I will confess to you that I was happy that I had not stepped in to fill a designer spot this year. I wanted to create a couple of designs for publication in the newsletter. It turned out that one was needed and I very quickly created “Colorado Spring”. I did not have the time to make the bird as realistic as I would have liked. So, forgive me if it seems simplistic. Maybe I should start working on some “Summer” designs now for next year’s event!!

Happy Stitching! Patty

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## *Noteworthy Needle News*

**The 2019 Collective Stitch starts today! June 1 - August 31 Theme: Spring**

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Yes! We have a Canadian shop participating this year!! On the following page are the 2019 shops for the Collective Stitch event grouped by state:



## 2019 Collective Stitch Shops

**June 1 - August 31 Theme: Spring**

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



## Drawings and Contests

**The May drawing winner: Sharon M., NM**  
**Prize: 2 new Rosewood Manor charts "Dandelion Wishes" and "Hello Moon!"**

**The June drawing will be for a 2019 Collective Stitch Book**  
**Entries must be received by 6/30/19 - the winner will be chosen at random from entries**  
**Use the code "CS2019" when you submit the form**  
**Enter by filling out the drawing form [HERE](http://stitchersvillage.com/library/drawing-form)**  
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## Stash Alert



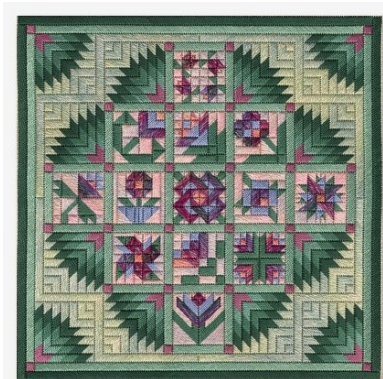
**2019 Collective Stitch  
Magnetic Needle Tin**

**These can be ordered  
through any of the event  
shops - see list on page 2**



**From Nancy's Needle  
"City Garden"  
(right)**

**The Workbasket  
"In the Merry Month of  
May"  
(left)**



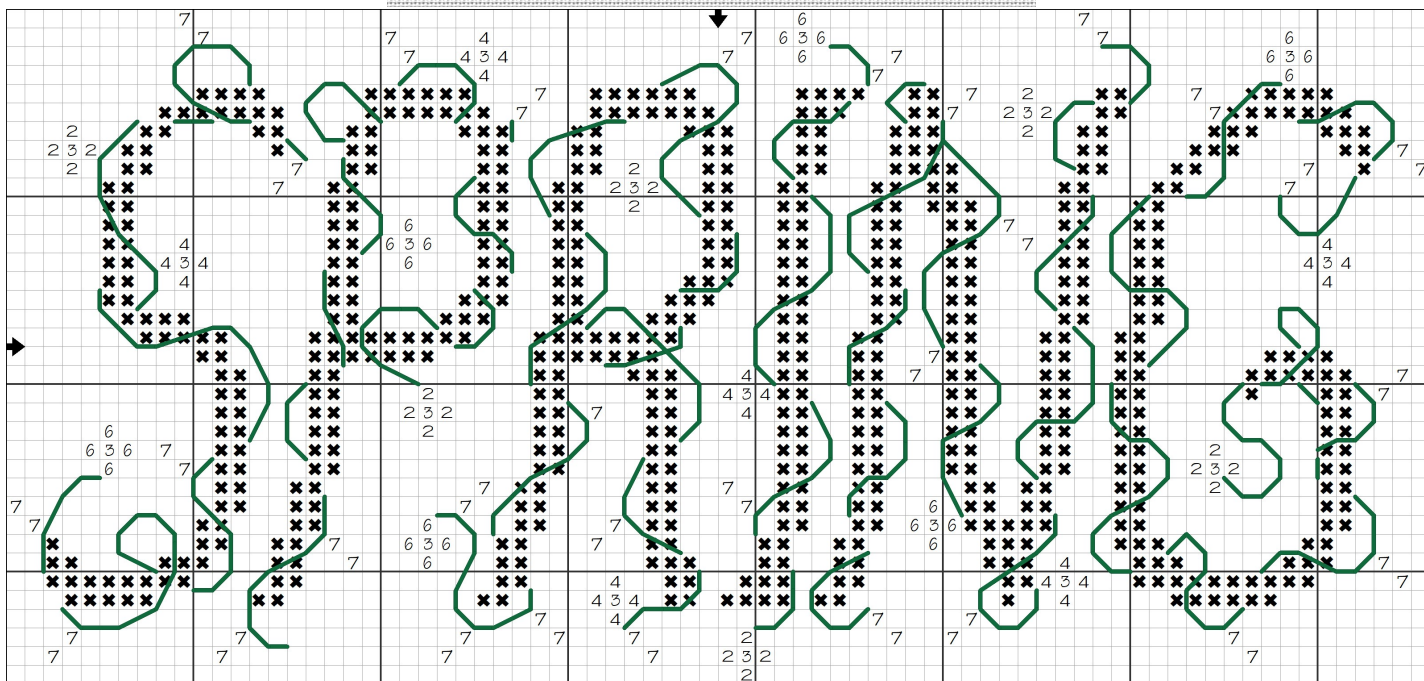
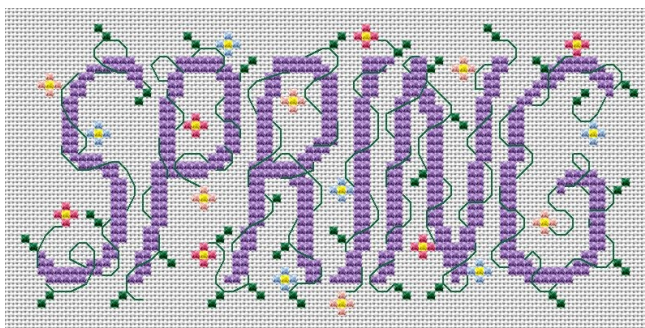
**Tiny Modernist  
"Adventure Awaits"**





## Stitch This

Designed as a companion for the Collective Stitch which has a theme of "Spring" for 2019. The designs could be stitched as a band sampler and this could be the top.



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The colors listed are merely a suggestion. Feel free to use any colors that appeal to you.

Sulky petite cotton colors suggested (color names in parenthesis are general color intended)

7 - 712-1232 DK Green  
 & for backstitching

3 - 712-1066 Primrose (Yellow)

2 - 712-1019 Peach (Orange)

6 - 712-1307 Petal Pink (Red)

x - 712-1032 Med. Purple (Purple)

4 - 712-1292 Heron Blue (Blue)