

Workshops at Tatnuck Bead Co.

WORCESTER, MA

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JULY-AUGUST 2010 Workshops Schedule and Events

Pre-registration required. Please call or stop by to register. **Most classes require deposit.**

You may pay deposit over phone by cc or stop in store to make deposit at least 48 hours prior to the class.

Adult Classes unless otherwise specified. Teens/preteens welcome with adult chaperone when pre-approved by instructor.

20% off all materials on day of your class – you can't beat that!

Photos of sample class projects online at www.tatnuckbead.com

SUMMERTIME ... And the Beadin' is Easy....

No stress beading... easy techniques, old favorites, reduced pricing and new weekday classes... come join the fun!

JULY

23:FRI: Floating Necklace 4-6
24:SAT: Geometric Beaded Bead 10-1
25:SAT: Playful Pewter 2-4 (**special afternoon class**)
25:SUN: Box ChainMaille 1-4
27:TUES: Journey Bracelet 3-6 (note afternoon hours)
29:THURS: Fuschia Climbing Vine 6-9
30:FRI: **PIZZA & BEADS for KIDS** 4-6
31:SAT: **INTRO to BEADING** 10-1

AUGUST

01:SUN: Knotting with Silk 1-4
13: FRI: **PIZZA & BEADS for KIDS** 4-6 (last one til Oct)
14:SAT: **INTRO to WIREWORK** 10-1
18:WED: Working with Rivolis 6-9
18:WED: Laced & Looped Bracelet 6-9
19:THURS: **Tatnuck Beaders** 6-9
21:SAT: Simple, Elegant Collar 10-1
21:SAT: **INTRO to BEADING** 2-5 (note afternoon hours)

WORKSHOP DESCRIPTIONS

Tatnuck Beaders - Tatnuck Bead Co. would like to extend an invitation to any experienced beader who would like to spend a few hours sharing ideas with other experienced beaders. Since this is not a workshop, no formal instruction will be given, but you may certainly teach one another. This is NOT for folks who are not already beading. Be sure to bring your latest project(s) to work on and all your own tools. (Of course you can shop while you are here too!) Because this is a booked event in our back room, you may bring beverages and food. No Charge

BB-101 Intro to Beading will teach you all about the beads, supplies and tools available to the modern beader. In this 2-3-hr session you will make a bracelet using beading wire and attaching a clasp and a pair of simple earrings. \$35 includes a bracelet/earring kit and lots of information, tips and tricks for the new beader! (*Teens \$10.00 off!*) **June-Aug special pricing... \$30**

WW-'The Journey' Bracelet - What better way to experience Life than to 'meander' our way through it.... This 'journey' bracelet will incorporate beautiful beads along a pathway made of silver.... This is a relaxing and fulfilling class in which to learn the basics of wirework. Val will show you just how easy it is! \$30 includes wire for one bracelet...You purchase the beads of choice.

BB- The Floating Necklace Beads that appear to float on your skin are the rage in fashion jewelry and especially popular for weddings and formal occasions. We'll show you several techniques to create that expensive look for a fraction of the cost! \$25 includes wire and crimps for one necklace.... You purchase the beads... **June-Aug special pricing... \$20**

CHM- The Box Chain - Make your own chain using jump rings and turn it into a stunning bracelet that you will be proud to say "I made it myself." Peg will show you how! She will walk you through the construction of the basic Box Chain pattern and give you pointers on how to turn that design into the beautiful Byzantine Chain. \$35 includes plated materials, \$65 includes sterling silver materials....you choose.

SBS-Fuchsia Climbing Vine - Here's a simple seedbead design to herald in Spring. Add a new twist to the ever-popular daisy chain and you can do up a dainty and delectable flowering vine bracelet. This design would look great on a necklace too! Using fireline, Czech glass and seedbeads, Diane will show you how! \$35 includes materials for one bracelet. **June-Aug special pricing... \$30**

SP- Macrame Butterfly Anklet - How cute (and comfy) is this! Learn basic macramé skills and go home (or to the beach!) with this really cool anklet. Not into anklets?.... Make a bracelet instead. The choice is yours! Instructor: Sarah \$15 includes materials for one anklet or bracelet.

SBS-Geometric Beaded Beads- How cute are these?! Think of the many ways you can incorporate these into your beaded pieces! Using a combination of Peyote and Brick Stitches, these go up quickly and easily. You will learn both techniques, so no prior experience is needed. Instructor: Sandra \$30 plus materials

SP-Playful Pewter – What's more fun than making the hottest jewelry designs for a fraction of the cost to buy them? Using our newly expanded selection of lead/cadmium -free pewter components, Diane will guide you through design and construction of a funky and fun necklace. Jumping and wire-wrapping techniques will be used throughout. This is a great beginners class. So bring a friend or two! \$25 includes all pewter and plated components...you purchase any additional beads or pendants. Instructor: Diane

SBS-Simple Elegant Collar- Think Egyptian...or Victorian... whatever comes to mind, this collar is a fantastic way to learn brick stitch and picots. Using size 11 and 15 seedbeads, plus fun bugle beads, you will stitch a sweeping collar that will grace your neck and show off your new beading skills! Instructor: Sandra \$30 plus materials

SBS- Laced and Looped Bracelet – This bracelet is a dazzler! Looks complex but is surprisingly easy to construct. Using several sizes of seed beads and needle and thread, you will learn a very basic ladder stitch and then enhance it with simple interlocking loops. You'll be amazed! Instructor: Diane \$30 includes the needle and thread. You will buy your beads. *June-Aug special pricing... \$20 plus mat'ls*

SBS-Working with Rivolis- Do you just love Swarovski rivolis? Not sure exactly how to use them? With some very easy to follow directions you can transform that beautiful rivoli into a gorgeous embellished pendant. Using delicas, size 15 seedbeads, and other crystals or beads, Jan will walk you through a few simple techniques to create a masterpiece of your own! \$35 includes one rivoli...you purchase your beads. Instructor: Jan

SP-Knotting with Silk –Ever wonder how those wonderful knotted pearl and semi-precious stone necklaces are made? Jan will step you through the process of creating fine knots between beads to create a necklace that drapes beautifully and keeps your precious beads safe and secure! \$25 plus materials Instructor: Jan *June-Aug special pricing... \$20*

WW-INTRO TO WIREWORK- This is a great introduction to working with craftwire, that will position you to move on to precious metals. While not a metalsmithing course, we will design and construct a funky bracelet from handmade wire connectors and beads. A pair of unique earrings will top off the class! While creating, we will explore the many types of wire and tools that can be used. \$45 includes materials for one bracelet and one set of earrings. Instructor: Diane **This is not a requirement for taking other wirework classes.** *June-Aug special pricing... \$35*

CALLING ALL KIDS..... Pizza and Beads for Kids- Kids ages 8-12...you are invited to a beading party! Grab your best friend and join us for some creative beading and a slice of pizza and glass of punch...how cool is that? Our (scheduled)Friday Pizza parties are a great end-of-week happening...just perfect to start your sleepover or when you've just had enough of homework! \$15 includes choice of 2 projects and pizza & drink. Please call to register so we order enough pizza! **Check our schedule for dates!**

Willing to travel just a short distance? Tatnuck Bead Westborough offers many of the same classes and more! Visit our website for information!

www.tatnuckbead.com... For up-to-date info on our workshops and events!