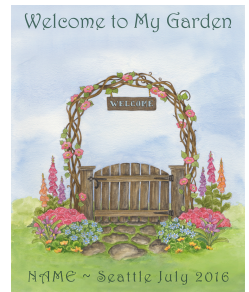


Registered Workshops

July 21 - 22, 2015
Thursday, July 21 7:45 AM – 11:30 AM
Friday, July 22 7:30 AM – 11:30 AM



Thursday Workshops

TH1 – China Plate Mosaic in 1/12” Scale by *Charlotte Atcher*

Class Fee: \$52

A plain outdoor table and two chairs will be transformed into a work of art. This workshop will show the technique of “China Plate Mosaic” in Miniature. For those that have done this in real life or have seen it on Pinterest, the results are stunning. Emphasis will be placed on completing the mosaic of one chair back and the chairs cushions during the workshop. The technique is easy but time consuming. Students will leave with the necessary knowledge to complete their outdoor table and chairs independently.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1” scale

TH2 – Mary’s Cottage by *Ginger Landon-Siegel*

Class Fee: \$77

Enjoy a fun morning creating this Mary Engelbreit classic. Students will learn the basics of dimensional cutting and layering while creating the ME favorite Red Roof Cottage. The layers will then be embellished with greenery, gravel, floral pieces and wood. The skills learned in this class can easily be applied for use on future projects. The scene will be placed in a red frame with a black and white check border which adds to the overall ME effect. Finished size is 8 x 5 x 1 ½

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1/144th” scale

TH3 – Artist’s Dirty Sink by *Marilyn Crockett*

Class Fee: \$72

The student will be provided with an evaporation distressed ceramic sink with metal legs. The evaporation technique used by the instructor will be discussed. Extensive additional distressing will be taught, splattering, splotching and imitation rust dripping. A prepared hardwood palette will be provided, but the student will make the brushes and paint tubes. Materials will be provided for inspirational art pictures, containers to hold brushes and materials for a sketch pad. Paint splattered rags will be provided for the student to scrunch into shape and position. The finished “Artist’s Dirty Sink” will make an excellent addition to any studio.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1” scale

TH4 – My Garden House Retreat by *Karen Gibbs*

Class Fee: \$82

Spend your leisure time in your own special garden house. Lots of light from the side wall and ceiling using door frames. There are shelves for decorating or storage. On each end of the little house are more windows for light. Sit back in your favorite chair on the side porch and just relax.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner/Intermediate

1/4” scale

TH5 – Rustic Pergola with a Swing, Table and Chairs, and a Spring Garden by *Susan Karatjas*

Class Fee: \$62

Spend a spring day in this ¼” scale rustic pergola. Students will construct the pergola, the swing, and a table and chairs. Students will landscape using Lady Ferns, Irises, and Crocuses. The ferns and flowers will be pre-painted and laser cut, to cut down on painting time. If you want to choose other colors for the flowers, I will have unpainted sheets. You will need to bring your own paint colors. We will also discuss optional ways to personalize your project. Good eye sight is helpful. Magnification or a small light is optional. Bring your basic toolkit and I will supply the rest.

Minimum skill level: Beginner

1/4” scale

TH6 – Quarter Scale Garden Tools and Plants by *Sally Manwell*

Class Fee: \$72

Starting a garden or all ready have one? Do you have the garden tools and plants that you need? Here are some things to help. Put together a laser cut wooden wheelbarrow. Make hollyhocks and day lilies. You also get the garden tools and pots. Put your plants in the small garden supplied or add them to an existing garden. The gardener has taken a break, but will be back soon to finish the work.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1/4” scale

TH7 – Occasional Side Table by *Shannon Moore*

Class Fee: \$62

The original table on which this piece was based was built in 1690. Our 1” scale rendition is made of cherry, has a center drawer, turned legs, four stretchers, along with a shaped front apron and sides. All the pieces will be pre-cut; the legs will be turned; but we’ll work on final shaping, fitting and assembly. The finished table is about 1-5/8” deep x 2-3/8” wide x 2-1/4” high which allows it to be used in many settings.

Minimum Skill Level: Intermediate

1” scale

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Thursday Registered Workshops Continued

TH8 – Bath Time by Joan Purcell

Class Fee: \$87

We'll be dressing a 3-1/2" porcelain doll, bendable at the knees and elbows, in flannel ducky pajamas and a terry cloth bathrobe with matching slippers. You will learn some basic tips, for making your own patterns but full set of patterns will come with the project. We will learn a basic wiggling technique to finish our little girl. She'll come ready for her bath with a towel and rubber ducky. Aleene's tacky glue and sharp scissors are the only tools needed.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1" scale

TH9 – A Teacup Collection in a Shelf by Connie Reagan

Class Fee: \$67

Paint and construct this charming, laser-cut display shelf and then, using my decals, make 12 different "china" teacups and a teapot. This charming cabinet can be hung on a wall or inset as a built-in. Tools/materials needed: paint, coordinating wallpaper or scrapbooking paper to line the back wall of the cabinet, scissors, sharp pointed tweezers, glue, clamps or squaring jig. Lighting and magnification are recommended but not required.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1" scale

TH10 – A Tub of Salad by Kate Hruban

Class Fee: \$52

No Room for a garden? How about a whiskey half barrel for a tub planted with all the ingredients for a salad. You will build the tub and plant it with carrots, green onions, chives, lettuces and a tomato plant. Some can even be pulled to see if they are ripe enough.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1" scale

Thursday-Friday Workshop

THF1 – "Mary's Garden" by Suzanne Larson-Tamburo

Class Fee: \$92

Come Play in Mary's Garden! For anyone who loves the style of Mary Engelbreit, this class is for you! Students will build, wallpaper and paint the little one room structure with the front porch arbor. Then a Mary touch will be created with the addition of checks and flowers. The rest of the class will be spent making flowers, arbor vine and landscape to create Mary's Garden. The class is divided between two days so there may be some homework to be ready for the second class day (Note: If you aren't into Mary Style, feel free to bring your own paint and wallpaper to do your own thing!) Everything pictured is included in the class.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1/4" scale

Friday Workshops

F1 – Fan Back Garden Conservatory Furniture Set by Karen Benson

Class Fee: \$87

Can't you just picture the Fan Back Garden Furniture pieces in a Sunroom or Conservatory? During the class we will stain and build the furniture, paint the decorative details and upholster the cushions with the custom printed fabric. I will supply 10/0 and 2/0 paint brushes that are yours to keep. I will also supply the markers, paints and glue. If you do not complete all the furniture pieces during class you will have the knowledge and confidence to finish on your own. Furniture, fabric and rug only. Conservatory not included.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

¼" scale

F2 – Long Handled Garden Tools by Pete Boorum

Class Fee: \$77

How does your garden grow? Well, in addition to your plants, some garden tools are useful! In this class, you will make a hoe, round point shovel, rake and edger. Learn to apply patterns, cut metal with a jewelers saw, use forms to shape the flat metal. You will attach the handles (handles and ferrules will be made in advance for you) and learn painting and aging techniques to give your tools that well-used look.

Minimum Skill Level: All Levels

1" scale

F3 – Flower Pot Whimsical Scarecrow by Joane Forsstrom

Class Fee: \$37

In this class you will create a delightful scarecrow constructed from 5 flower pots. This cute little guy provides a home for a bird on his hat and will be a charming addition to any garden. You will learn to paint whimsical faces and to add dimensional details. Birds may vary. Tools needed: fine brushes, tacky glue, extra fine point, black sharpie and scissors.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1" scales

F4 – The ¼" English Country Mouse Kitchen by Sue Herber

Class Fee: \$95

This ¼" scene is a tribute to the charming world of Brambly Hedge books and illustrations. The country kitchen has a wood and tiled fireplace topped with a curtained window, tall cupboard with shelves, drawers, and cubbyholes, a work table, and a cushioned chair, a hanging cupboard, and a painting of the mouse matriarch. This is a fun project!!!

Minimum Skill Level: All Levels

1/4" scale

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Friday Registered Workshops Continued

F5 – No Green Thumb Required! *by Jean Lierman & Georgia Queen*

Class Fee: \$45

Green thumbs not required! Come play in our flower garden. The stacked arrangement of flower pots can be used in any landscaping scene. Students will select their own color combinations from a wide selection of silk and dried flowers.

Minimum Skill Level: All Levels

1" scale

F6 – Broken China Mosaic Table *by Georgia Matuschak*

Class Fee: \$72

Let's Mosaic in miniature – but not just any mosaic, broken china mosaic or Pique Assiette as it is known in full size. We'll furnish the "china" with plenty of florals to cut apart to form the mosaic tops of a 1" scale half roundtable. You will add a shelf to the table and paint it all shabby chic to complete this class.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner/Intermediate

1" scale

F7 – Bust with Portrait Hat *by Joan Purcell*

Class Fee: \$62

We'll dress a porcelain bust on a stand, learn basic wiggling and make a portrait hat decorated with bows and flowers made from ribbon. Aleene's tacky glue and sharp scissors are only tools needed. Great for a lady's shop or display on it's own.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

1" scale

F8 – Calorie-Free Candies (in Quarter Scale) *by Janet Smith*

Class Fee: \$37

You know how you walk into a candy store and you not only smell the chocolate, but your eyes are drawn to the counters filled with all kinds of different candies...different colors, different sizes, different textures, different designs. Well, that's what we're doing in this class! Learn how to make a variety of candies to use in your own store or your own holiday scene or to give away as swaps. No baking required for this class...we'll just be decorating! And that's the fun part anyway! Display not included.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

¼" scale

F9 – Unique Pocketwatch with Dolls *by Pat Boldt*

Class Fee: \$97

Wearing this unique pocketwatch will tell all of your friends you are a miniaturist. In the class you will learn to dress a ¼" scale doll and decorate the inside of the pocketwatch with silk and cotton laces. The handpainted teddy bear is by Barbara Meyer and a darling hat is included. Please bring small sharp scissors, tweezers, tacky glue, toothpicks or glue syringe.

Minimum Skill Level: Beginner

¼" scale