

Fourth Annual Coiling Convergence April 2, 2022

Registration Form

Postmarks before
February 25th will
not be accepted.

Your Name: _____

Email Address: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Phone Number: (Day) _____ (Evening) _____

The Coiling Convergence organizers and teachers (Vicky Nickelson, David Chambers, Jim Shanower, Karen Sherwood and Barbara Osborne) are pleased to announce the details for this upcoming event. If you are intending to attend, please fill out this form, and the two other required attachments, and either mail it to Myra Tanita; 4407 1ST Ave NW Seattle, WA 98107, or email it to: mytbasket@comcast.net. Remember to include a check if you are interested in taking one of the classes listed below. Please call Vicky Nickelson at 206-713-5448 if you have any questions.

A special thanks to the Northwest Basket Weavers, Vi Phillips Guild for sponsoring this event.

For safety reasons everyone wishing to come to this event must either mail or email: a registration form, a copy of your vaccination card, and a signed COVID Liability Release Waiver to Myra Tanita at the address above. Also, anyone under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

If you are interested in taking a class, please indicate your order of preference from the options below. We must receive your check payable to NWBW, a copy of your vaccination card, and the signed COVID Release Waiver before you are assigned to a class. Class registration will be determined on a first paid, first served basis using the postmark accompanying your payment.

Check the appropriate boxes for your visit to the Fourth Annual Coiling Convergence:

I plan to attend		I want to take a class and am checking my preferred class. If interested in other classes please put a number in the boxes to indicate your order of preference. (See next page for class descriptions)	
I have included a copy of my COVID vaccination card with my registration showing proof of vaccination. A booster shot is preferred. (Copy both sides of card if necessary)		A. Spiral stitch coiled coaster using a wooden base with Jim Shanower	
		B. Beginning Gourd Class with Karen Sherwood	
I have included my signed COVID-19 Liability Release Waiver (see page 3 of this registration form)		C. Antler Free Form with Vicky Nickelson	
		D. The Peacock Stitch with David Chambers (this is an intermediate level class, no exceptions please)	

**There is a limit of 8 students per class.
Please bring sharp scissors. A thimble can be helpful.
All other class materials will be provided.**

Here is a general overview of the event:

Place: Meridian Grange; 15422 SE 272nd Street; Kent WA 98042

Time: 9:30-3:30; date: April 2, 2022

Bring: your enthusiasm, projects to work on, projects for Show and Share, money to buy materials.

No food will be served, but you may bring food for yourself. There is a large kitchen area with tables and chairs for socializing, eating, and working on projects. Unfortunately, the area where the classes happen is a dance floor, so NO food and beverages are allowed there.

Activities include:

Door Prizes

Show and Share: tables for everyone to bring samples of their work so the rest of us can get new ideas.

Free Weaving: an area for you to craft and socialize, share stitches, techniques, stories.

Classes: 3 all level and one intermediate class

Coiling supplies for purchase

Please be aware that photography will be allowed and may be used by the NWBW Guild for publicity.

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Please NO electrical cords!

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Class A. Basic Spiral Stitch Coaster

Instructor: Jim Shanower (16 years coiling)

Fee: \$30

Skill Level: All Levels

CLASS FULL - 3/4/22

Class Description: Beginning with a wooden base, the student will create a coaster while learning the basic interlocking spiral stitch, how to keep the stitch interval consistent and the coil size uniform using a gauge.

Required Tools: needle nosed pliers and a thimble can also be helpful.

Class B. Beginning Gourd Class

Instructor: Karen Sherwood (35 years making baskets)

Fee: \$30

Skill Level: All Levels

CLASS FULL - 3/4/22

Class Description: In this class students will be instructed in how to cut and prepare gourds, then work with a gourd that has been prepared by Karen to combine with a pine needle rim. The coiling instruction will focus on smooth starts and stops. The bowl pictured in the front is similar to what students will be making; the other containers are decorated with pyrography (wood burning) and are examples of what you can do next.

Required Tools: small sharp scissors

Class C. Antler Free Form

Instructor: Vicky Nickelson (50+ years coiling)

Fee: \$45

Skill Level: Previous Coiling Experience

CLASS FULL - 3/4/22

Class Description: Students will start with a shed antler and learn how to use free form coils to encase and stabilize the antler, by wrapping coils of pine needles and utilizing various stitches.

Required Tools: small sharp scissors, needle nose pliers

Class D. The Peacock Stitch

Instructor: David Chambers (20 years coiling)

Fee: \$30

Skill Level: Must have completed at least 3 pine needle coiling projects. No exceptions please

CLASS OPEN - 3/4/22

Class Description: We will learn/practice the peacock stitch, as I call it, by coiling around a wooden center to make a coaster. In this class we will discover how to back-stitch, which is the basis for many symmetric stitch patterns. We will coil with a gauge emphasizing stitch placement and neatness in order to create beautiful stitch patterns.

Required Tools: small sharp scissors and your favorite coiling tools

Class A. Basic Spiral Stitch Coaster



Class B. Beginning Gourd Class



Class C: Antler Free Form



Class D. The Peacock Stitch



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COVID-19 Liability Release Waiver: Coiling Convergence, April 2, 2022

In consideration of my participation, I hereby declare the following:

1. I am fully and personally responsible for my own safety and actions while and during my participation. I recognize that I may be at risk for contracting COVID-19.
2. I attest that I will only attend Coiling Convergence if:
 - I am not experiencing any symptoms of illness such as cough, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fever, chills, repeated shaking with chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, vomiting, diarrhea, or a new loss of taste or smell.
 - I do not believe I have been exposed to someone with a suspected and/or confirmed case of COVID-19.
 - I have not been diagnosed with COVID-19 or I have been cleared as non-contagious by state or local public health authorities.
 - I will follow all State of Washington, and CDC recommended guidelines.
3. With full acknowledgement of the risk involved, I hereby release, waive, and discharge the event host, The Northwest Basket Weavers Vi Phillips Guild, its board, officers, independent contractors, affiliates, and representatives from any and all claims, demands, actions, and causes of action whatsoever directly or indirectly arising out of or related to any loss, damage, injury, or death that may be sustained by me related to COVID-19 while participating in any activity while in, on, or around the premises or while using the facilities that may lead to unintentional exposure or harm due to COVID-19. I agree to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Northwest Basket Weavers Vi Phillips Guild from and against any and all cost, expenses, damages, lawsuits, and/or liabilities or claims arising whether directly or indirectly or related to any and all claims made by or against any of the released parties due to injury, loss, or death from or related to COVID-19.

By signing below, I acknowledge that I have read the foregoing Liability Release Waiver and understand its contents; that I am at least eighteen (18) years old and fully competent to give my consent; that I have been sufficiently informed of the risks involved and give my voluntary consent in signing this Liability Release Waiver as my own free act and deed with full intention to be bound by same, and free from any inducement or representation.

This waiver will remain effective until laws and mandates relevant to COVID-19 are lifted.

Name (Printed): _____

Signature: _____

Phone number: _____ Date: _____

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