



### CLASS CURRICULUM AND SCHEDULE



One-on-One Tutoring

Please join me in my studio for 5 days of fun <u>Hand Embroidery!</u> This class features <u>three</u> glorious projects.

Classes are scheduled Monday through Friday from 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. The studio opens at 8:30 am and closes at 5:00 pm so you may choose to stay longer or arrive earlier to work on your own. Lunch is provided and will include a variety of cooked meals, soup, and sandwiches. I will be providing New Orleans family-style meals with some options. Don't worry; I'm not going to subject you to spicy foods, only to dazzle you with flavor! I promise you won't find better food anywhere else...except perhaps your mom's kitchen.

My 40 years of sewing, teaching, and design expertise will help you perfect your embroidery skills while enjoying a tranquil 5-days of embroidery bliss. A giving attitude and patience allows to serve sewists of almost every level. Each student is of my highest concern and as a self-taught sewist, with gentle prodding and extreme encouragement, I will lead you to your ultimate goal. As a native New Orleanian, I teach with an easy-going attitude to facilitate confidence in your abilities resulting in success. But be prepared to be challenged!

### LA BRODERIE BAYOU RETREAT









Classes will be held at Wendy Schoen's Sewing Studio, conveniently located in the Irish Channel region of Uptown New Orleans. The spacious, well equipped studio is furnished with large tables, comfy chairs, fluorescent lighting, rotary cutters, drafting paper and large spacious tables; all for your use.

All classes are hand embroidery so a machine is not required. You must purchase your own supplies prior to arrival including everything you might need from the supply list on Page II. I do not have a full working shop any longer so my supplies are quite limited. I do have some fabrics and trims, many threads and some notions but definitely not everything you'll need. Complete Kits are included in the school fee.

In New Orleans, we live life to make all feel welcome so leave your troubles behind and join us in the Big Easy. I encourage you to arrive early and stay late so you can enjoy all my wonderful city has to offer. Won't you join me?

# FLORAL MONOGRAMMED PILLOW—TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY



This gorgeous pillow consists of the beautiful embroidery designs compiled from Diana Lampe's Embroidered Garden book and compiled by Penny Johnson, my sister who stitched this marvelous pillow several years ago. Myriad embroidery techniques including spoke flowers, lazy daisy flowers, stem stitch, bullions, French knots, cast on flowers, and many more. The ring outline contains so many stitches, I can hardly list them all. You may choose as many or few flowers as you want. The bespoke fabrics used to border the embroidery were chosen randomly, so those fabrics will be slightly different than pictured. I will have some fabrics for your choosing, of course.



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Beautiful Floral
Monograms
Filled With
Stitches.



### ZIZ-ZAG YOKE BABY DRESS AND BONNET— MONDAY 9:30AM TO 4:00PM



This cute little dress and bonnet pattern is available in only Size I & 2 only. We'll focus on the handwork on the yoke and you can decide whether or not you wish to make the bonnet after you return home. The design is worked on lovely pique in a bold color and the dress is made of an adorable substituted cherry printed fabric as the original fabric is long gone.

I am providing the pattern, instructions, embroidery threads, hand needles, and all fabrics! (See Pg. II for detailed supply list.) We will not be doing the construction part of the project but you will receive detailed instructions to enable the project completion.



## ZIZ-ZAG YOKE BABY DRESS AND BONNET— MONDAY 9:30AM TO 4:00PM

Featuring
Double Feather Stitch.
Granitos. Backstitch.
Lazy Daisy Stitch
Embroidery.





### LACY WHITEWORK BIB: FRIDAY 9:30AM TO 4:00PM



White work embroidery is challenging and fun, and during this daylong hand lesson, you will relish the chance to make this adorable apron-style baby bib. White work consists of many different embroidery stitches, all worked with white thread on white fabric. Two different flowers are featured. Flowers consist of eyelet centers and two types of padded satin stitched petals. You will learn the proper method of opening the fabric fibers, and how to position the stitches evenly and accurately. A large portion of the lesson will be dedicated to trailing stitch, to create a monogram on front and the edges are finished with buttonhole scalloping, and lovely French lace edging. A silk satin ribbon is threaded through hand-made buttonholes, forming a sash around the waistline of the bib. This bib can be embroidered with a monogram, if you choose, making it the perfect gift or presentation for your precious baby.





### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION**





#### TUITION

Class fees are \$750 for 5 day sessions, Monday-Friday 9:30 am to 4:00 pm. Studio closes at 5:00 pm daily. You may work on your own if you choose in studio until closing. Your 5-day Session includes all food, drinks, kits, and one-on-one demonstrations and expert detailing. Sewing supplies are additional and mandatory. (See Supply List Page II).

#### **KITS**

Kits costs are included with class fee. Kits contain all fabrics, laces, hand needles, ribbons or trims, embroidery floss, buttons, patterns and handouts.

#### REGISTRATION

Registration for each Session is immediate upon payment via my website (wendyschoen.com). If for any reason you decide to cancel your registration, you will receive a full refund minus \$50 registration fee, until June 30th. After then, you are required to pay for the entire session. All fees are due at registration. We reserve the right to cancel at any time due to low registration. If cancellation is eminent, you will receive a full refund.

#### ENROLLMENT

Enrollment is open and spaces are limited. Because of this, classes will be filled on a first-come basis. After the session is filled, you will be put on a waiting list and notified if space comes available. Registration is open to adults at least 2I years of age with exceptions at the discretion of the instructor. Careful consideration and a desire to learn embroidery is the prerequisite for participation. These classes are ranked as Advanced Beginner. Our classroom is handicap accessible. Please let us know if you have special needs upon registration so we may accommodate you.

#### LUNCH

Lunch is included with the school fees. Meals are based on yummy home cooked meals and some take-out items. Soft drinks, coffee and tea are included. If you decide to go out for lunch, you probably should have transportation. If you are on a restricted diet, please let us know asap. We will try to accommodate you or have a substitute. I will be releasing a menu within the next few weeks.

#### CONSIDERATIONS

Please be prompt. Showing up late for class disrupts the rhythm of the lesson. However, some delays cannot be helped so if you arrive late, just take a seat and try to be patient until I catch you up. If you are unable to attend a class, please text me @ 504-460-3262 so I don't worry.

#### **PARKING**

We are located in the Uptown Imports Building, 2923 Tchoupitoulas Street next door to NOLA Brewery. We offer private off-street parking surrounding the building through the iron gates, accessible via Seventh Street. The building is secure. Please feel free to use our lot. Look for the balloons along the Uptown Imports Building at Tchoupitoulas and Seventh Streets.

#### **SUPPLIES**

Please bring your basic sewing supplies included tape measure, pins, blue fabric markers, a tapered stiletto (Clover) or awl, thimble, straight plastic ruler (6" to 18"), scissors (paper, shears, and embroidery), portable light (optional), magnification, and extension cord. You may also bring anything that would make you feel comfortable for your sewing space. I have provided a complete supply list for your consideration on Page II.



### **ACCOMMODATIONS**

We urge you to make your hotel reservation as soon as you book the class. I have chosen the following hotel for convenience and price. Hotel costs are <u>not</u> included in your tuition. I do not have a room block but rooms are available at a seasonally low rate, so act quickly! It's listed on Bookings.com along with other options.

Alder Hotel 4545 Magnolia Street New Orleans, La 70115 (888) 626-5861 www.alderhotel.com

Located in the heart of Uptown New Orleans, the Alder Hotel offers lovely new hotel accommodations and related services. The hotel is

ideal for friends and family visiting the neighboring university district, and is a modern setting in the historical district. This hotel is only 4 years old and has everything you need while visiting New Orleans, and it's only 2 miles from my studio. Parking is free and the neighborhood provides some dining, shopping and entertainment options.

They do provide an airport shuttle each way (double check this). Taxi service from the New Orleans Louis Armstrong Airport is approximately \$36 and approximately \$11 miles from the hotel. If you need transportation to the studio, please call an Uber or United Cab (504) 434-5700.

You are not required to stay at this particular hotel and please feel free to choose the hotel of your liking in the Uptown Area.



### **SUPPLY LISTS**

#### **NECESSARY SUPPLIES**

Clear Plastic Ruler (6" to 14")
Wooden Sit-Upon Hoop, wrapped
4 or 5" Susan Bates Hoop (Hoopla) With inner Rim
Medium Point Blue Fabric Marker
Fine Point Transfer Marker or Pencil (Frixion Pen)
Class Head Pins
Tape Measure
Thimble, if you use one
Magnification for everyone!
Small Pinning Board
Pointed Embroidery Scissors
Dress Maker Shears
Task Light (optional)

#### WHAT'S IN THE KITS

Class kits include hand needles, embroidery threads, laces, trims, buttons, hand-sewing thread, patterns and detailed instruction book.

#### WHAT ELSE TO BRING

Sweater or Shall for Cold Natured Folks Umbrella Snack Food if you think you'll need it Band-Aids Notebook for Notes I" Binder with Page Protectors Comfortable Clothing Personal Needs

#### JUST IN CASE...

We suggest bringing extra fabrics, just in case you change your mind or make a mistake. You will also need a practice cloth. Make sure it's cotton! If you forget something important, I'm sure I can accommodate you. I have more than enough stuff. I will have basic drawing pens, thimbles, stilettos, pins, hoops, and threads for purchasing and some other things. No pressure.

Many thanks
to everyone who helped
make this event happen.
I missed seeing you.
And special thanks to my
sister, Penny for allowing me to
use her beautiful pillow as a
sample.

