

Northampton Beadery^{LLC}

INSPIRING CREATIVITY ACCENTUATING ARTISTRY

Winter/Spring 2012 Class Schedule

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Northampton, MA 01060

www.nohobeadery.com

Registering For Classes

To register for any class listed here please call:

413.586.3885

You may also come in to the store to register:

6 Service Center Road
Northampton, MA 01060

Policies

All customers must pay for classes in advance. If a customer cancels a class for any reason, no refund or store credit will be issued. If Northampton Beadery cancels a class for any reason, a full refund will be issued to the customers. Class refunds cannot be substituted for gift cards or store credit. Most classes require a 3 student minimum and 6 student maximum in order for the class to run unless otherwise stated.

Unless otherwise stated in the class description, material & supply costs are not included in class fees.

The Very Basics

Are you new to the world of handmade jewelry? Then this is the class for you! Learn how to create a beautiful beaded bracelet, the techniques on how to add clasps, and how to create a simple pair of earrings. The instructor will go over the different tools, stringing material, and findings needed to begin your beaded journey. This is a one-day session class.

Sunday January 15 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Thursday March 15 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Class Fee: \$25.00

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

Basic Wire Work

Learn the basic skills in the world of wirework. The instructor will go over several techniques including simple loops, wrapped loops, jumprings, briolette wraps, head pins & eye pins, and connecting loops. You'll learn what tools and wire are needed for each project. This is a technique class and you'll leave with the knowledge needed to create your unique pieces. This is a one-day session class.

Sunday January 29 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Thursday March 29 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Class Fee: \$25.00

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

The Very Basics 2

Have you taken our "The Very Basics" class and want to expand your knowledge on basic techniques? Then this is the class for you! The instructor will show you how to use the popular rubber jewelry tubing to create a stylish necklace. Also learn how to properly attach cord endings (aka terminators) so you can make finished pieces using different cording. You will also make two unique pendants to go with your newly created necklaces. "The Very Basics" class or equivalent is a prerequisite to take this class. This is a one-day session class.

Sunday February 5 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Thursday April 26 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Class Fee: \$25.00

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

Basic Wire Work 2 "Wire Unleashed"

Have you taken our "Basic Wire Work" class and want to expand your knowledge on basic wire techniques? Then this is the class for you! Learn the techniques on how to create ear wires, hook and eye clasps, bead cages and linking beads. "Basic Wire Work" class or equivalent is a prerequisite to take this class. This is a one-day session class.

Sunday February 19 1:00pm – 3:00pm

Thursday April 19 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Class Fee: \$25.00

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

Kids Classes

Material costs are included in all kids' class fees. Recommend for ages 7 and up.

Mini Beaded Animals – Kids Class

In this fun class, learn how to make cute animals and creatures by using seed beads, artistic wire and a simple bead weaving technique. The instructor will show you how to properly create the arms and legs of your beaded animals. Students will go home with 2 mini beaded creatures.

Wednesday February 22 1:00pm – 3:00pm
Class Fee: \$20.00
Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Button Rings – Kids Class

You've seen them around, those cute and stylish button rings. In this class you'll learn how to make your very own! Choose your favorite button colors, a ring base and you've got yourself a personalized fun ring! You'll leave with 2 fun and colorful rings.

Thursday February 23 1:00pm – 2:00pm
Class Fee: \$10.00
Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Memory Wire Necklace & Bracelet – Kids Class

Welcome to the world of memory wire! Like a spring, memory wire is rigid and snaps back to its original form when expanded and released. The wire "remembers" its shape and retains its coil form. The instructor will go over the technique on how to properly end the memory wire.

Sunday April 1 1:00pm – 3:00pm
Class Fee: \$20.00
Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

The Ultimate Kids Workshop!

Learn all of the basics in this one fun class! The instructor will teach you how to properly tie a stretch bracelet, how to create a sliding knot for cord necklaces, how to make wrapped loops for a simple pair of earrings, and how to crimp and attach a clasp to a beaded necklace. You'll go home with a stretch bracelet, a sliding knot necklace with a charm pendant, a pair of earrings and a beaded necklace. This is the ultimate workshop for the ultimate creative kid! This is a one-day session class.

Sunday February 26 1:00pm – 3:30pm
Saturday April 21 1:00pm – 3:30pm
Class Fee: \$35
Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Fee-Less Classes!

Northampton Beadery is now offering an array of feeless classes. To make these classes free and affordable to all, materials for each class must be purchased at Northampton Beadery at the time of the class. The instructor will give the students time during the class to pick out materials.

Knotted Charm Bracelet - Fee-Less Class

Using high quality leather, a few beads, and a focal charm of your choice, create a unique knotted charm bracelet that will go with any casual outfit.

Saturday January 7 11:00am – 12:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

Coiled Briolette Earrings - Fee-Less Class

In this class, you'll create a pair of earrings using wire, a hammer and a bench block. The instructor will go over how to use a bench block and hammer and how to create the best spiral and scroll.

Sunday January 8 12:00pm – 1:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Whirled Wire Ring - Fee-Less Class

Ever wanted to make your own rings? Using craft wire, a glass lamp work bead, and an accent crystal bead learn how to create this whimsy ring! You will learn the basic techniques that you can use to make even more rings.

Sunday January 8 3:00pm – 4:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Swarovski Crystal Dangle Earrings - Fee-Less Class

A wire link, a few jumpings and a cute Swarovski crystal dangle is all you need to create a beautiful pair of earrings! You'll use a bench block and a hammer to create a handmade wire link.

Sunday January 22 12:00pm – 1:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Swirl Donut Pendant - Fee-Less Class

Do you like the look of the large, round donut pendants but cannot think of a way to spruce them up and attach them to a necklace? Learn how to create an interchangeable swirl bail by using wire, a bench block and a hammer.

Sunday January 22 3:00pm – 4:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Cluster Ring - Fee-Less Class

The instructor will show you how to create a cluster ring using small beads, sterling silver wire and an organic take on wire weaving.

Saturday February 4 4:00pm – 5:30pm

Instructor: Heather Black

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

My Valentine Earrings - Fee-Less Class

Just in time for that special holiday! Create a gorgeous pair of earrings for that special someone.

Sunday February 12 12:00pm – 1:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

Bungee Charm Bracelet – Fee-Less Class

A charm bracelet that you don't need help putting on! Elastic cord runs through chain to create a clasplless stretchy charm bracelet. Add a personal touch by adding your favorite charms and beads.

Sunday February 12 3:00pm – 4:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00

Wire Wrap Earrings – Fee-Less Class

Using craft wire and large, faceted, center drilled glass beads create these sparkling earrings. Quick and simple! This wire wrapping technique can be used for many different applications.

Saturday March 3 11:00am – 12:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Chandelier Earrings – Fee-Less Class

Using the simple loop technique, make stunning earrings that will get everyone's attention! In this class, students will be using small, lightweight beads to make tiers of flowing elegance!

Saturday March 3 3:00pm – 4:30pm

Instructor: Heather Black

Estimated Material Cost: \$25.00

Vortex Earrings – Fee-Less Class

Using jumprings create these unique earrings that will compliment any outfit!

Sunday March 4 12:00pm – 1:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Vortex Pendant – Fee-Less Class

Using jumprings create a unique pendant that that matches perfectly with the Vortex Earrings. The instructor will go over the proper way to open and close jumprings. Students will also create a satin necklace for the pendant.

Sunday March 4 3:00pm – 4:00pm

Instructor: Lauren Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00

Leather Wrap Bracelet

Learn how to make this popular and fashionable multi-wrap bracelet! Using leather cording, 6mm round beads and a weaving technique, create a one-of-a-kind wrap bracelet that you'll be showing off to your friends. This is a one-day session class.

Saturday January 14 1:00pm-3:30pm

Sunday April 29 1:00pm-3:30pm

Class Fee: \$15.00

Instructor: Laruen Pacosa

Estimated Material Cost: \$25.00

Rivoli Pendant

Using the basic Peyote Stitch, create a bezel around a stunning Swarovski Crystal rivoli! No previous bead weaving experience is necessary.

Tuesday January 17 6:00pm-8:00pm

Class Fee: \$25.00

Instructor: Janet Francis

Estimated Material Cost: \$25.00

Pearl Knotting

In this class you will learn how to give your pearls or beads that classic knotted look. The instructor will teach you the techniques of knotting using cord and a special knotting tweezer. Also learn why it is safer to have knots in between your precious beads and pearls.

Tuesday March 13 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Class Fee: \$25.00

Instructor: Janet Francis

Estimated Material Cost: \$25.00

Embellished Right Angle Weave Bracelet

Are you new to the world of Right Angle Weave and want to learn how to add a little sparkle to your designs? Then this is the class for you! Learn how to add embellishments to your RAW creations. No previous bead weaving experience is necessary but knowledge of Right Angle Weave is a plus.

Saturday March 31 1:00pm-4:00pm

Class Fee: \$35.00

Instructor: Janet Francis

Estimated Material Cost: \$30.00

Magnolia Bracelet

Expand your Right Angle Weave designs with this modified version. Add leaves and other components to create a magnolia flower effect. No previous experience necessary but knowledge of Right Angle Weave is a plus.

Tuesday April 17 6:00pm-8:00pm

Class Fee: \$35.00

Instructor: Janet Francis

Estimated Material Cost: \$35.00

Precious Metal Clay Class

PMC (Precious Metal Clay) is a clay-like material made of tiny particles of pure silver, water and a nontoxic binder. After the PMC is dried and fired in a kiln, the water and binder are driven off and you are left with pure silver. The instructor will teach you the basics in molding, texturing and layering and will fire your PMC pieces in a kiln. You will be left with pure silver pieces that you have created! No previous experience is necessary. This is a one-day session class. Please choose one date from below. Students will receive a 30-minute lunch break during the class. A refrigerator is available if you want to bring your lunch. This is a one-day session class. Please choose 1 date from below.

Saturday January 21 11:00am – 5:00pm

Saturday February 25 11:00am – 5:00pm

Saturday April 14 11:00am – 5:00pm

Class Fee: \$65.00

Instructor: Bevlynn Gallant

Estimated Material Cost: \$45.00 - \$50.00*

*Please note that each student is required to purchase a certain amount of PMC from the instructor in the form of cash or check. The cost of one package of PMC is approximately \$36.00 depending on the price of silver at that given moment. The cost of the PMC package is included in the Estimated Material Cost. Extra packages of PMC will be available to purchase from the instructor if students are interested.

Precious Metal Clay Workshop

Here's your chance to expand your metal clay skills. Develop larger pendants, bracelets, or more complicated pieces during this 3-week workshop. Pieces will be fired in a large programmable kiln then returned to class the following week for finishing. Or take your clay home and work on your piece and return it to the store for firing before the next class. There will not be any formal instruction but Bevlynn will be available to assist you with the techniques that you have previously learned. Precious Metal Clay 3, PMC+ sheet and syringe clay will also be available for purchase. All tools, textures and supplies will be available for you to use during this workshop. **Previous experience with PMC is a prerequisite. 4 students are needed to run this workshop.**

Fridays March 16, 23, 30 6:00pm – 8:30pm

Mondays April 16, 23, 30 6:00pm – 8:30pm

Class Fee: \$65.00

Instructor: Bevlynn Gallant

Estimated Material Cost: \$45.00 - \$50.00*

*Please note that each student is required to purchase a certain amount of PMC from the instructor in the form of cash or check. The cost of one package of PMC is approximately \$36.00 depending on the price of silver at that given moment. The cost of the PMC package is included in the Estimated Material Cost. Extra packages of PMC will be available to purchase from the instructor if students are interested.

Whirled Peas Trunk Show & FREE Classes!

Come by the store to see all of Denise Sachs-Mishalanie's incredible handmade lampwork beads at unbelievable prices! The trunk show will take place Saturday January 28 11:00am – 6:00pm.

She will be teaching 2 free classes during her trunk show. Create unique pieces using her amazing lampwork beads.

Lampwork Bead Bracelet – Whirled Peas Free Class!

Turn handmade lampwork beads and sterling silver wire into a stunning bracelet! The instructor will teach you the art of hammering and how to make a custom clasp using sterling silver wire.

Saturday January 28 11:00am – 2:00pm

Class Fee: FREE!

Instructor: Denise Sachs-Mishalanie

Estimated Material Cost: \$85.00*

* Please note you are required to purchase and use Whirled Peas Lampwork Beads in this class. The cost of the lampwork beads is included in the Estimated Material Cost.

Lampwork Pendant Crystal Cluster – Whirled Peas Free Class!

Using a lampwork focal bead and Swarovski crystals, create a spectacular, sparkling necklace! The instructor will teach you how to color match Swarovski crystal with her lampwork bead. You'll be able to wear this versatile necklace just about anywhere. Knowledge of wrapped loops is a plus.

Saturday January 28 3:00pm – 6:00pm

Class Fee: FREE!

Instructor: Denise Sachs-Mishalanie, owner of Whirled Peas Lampwork Beads

Estimated Material Cost: \$75.00

* Please note you are required to purchase and use Whirled Peas Lampwork Beads in this class. The cost of the lampwork beads is included in the Estimated Material Cost.

Crocheted Beaded Ropes

We should warn you, these supple beaded ropes could be positively addicting! In three class sessions you'll create one or more stunning bracelets and learn their secrets, including the basic stitch, finishing with an invisible joint, and how to create different designs. Although this technique requires practice, your perseverance will pay off with the ability to create your own irresistible beauties. Please note that basic crochet skills are needed and homework is required between classes. There is a materials fee of \$10 paid directly to the instructor at the first class (all materials for the first class session are provided by the instructor) and student-purchased materials will cost an additional \$10-20. This is a three-week class session. 3-4 students are needed to run this class.

Wednesdays March 7, 21 April 4 6:00pm – 8:00pm

Class Fee: \$65.00

Instructor: Cindy Loiselle

Estimated Material Cost: \$20 - \$30

Introduction to Glass Beadmaking

This fun class will introduce students to the art of flameworking by learning to melt glass over a small torch to make their very own glass beads. A few basic techniques will be covered and students will leave with some of their very own handmade beads. This class is limited to 5 students only. A \$15.00 material cost fee is paid directly to the instructor.

Sunday March 11 1:00pm – 5:00pm

Class Fee: \$60.00

Instructor: Katie Richardson

Estimated Material Cost: \$15.00 paid directly to the instructor

Paper Beads

Descriptions coming soon! Check back frequently for updated information about this class or call the store at 413-586-3885.

Saturday March 17 Time: Coming Soon!

Class Fee: Coming Soon!

Instructor: Linda Wallack

Estimated Material Cost: Coming Soon!

Viking Knit

Using craft wire and a special tool kit, learn how to create this incredible wire weaving technique that has been around for hundreds of years. Guest teacher Mary Rembach will guide you every step of the way! No previous experience is necessary. Students will receive a 30-minute lunch break during the class. A refrigerator is available if you want to bring your lunch. 5-7 students are needed to run this class.

Saturday March 24 11:00am-5:00pm

Class Fee: \$65.00

Instructor: Mary Rembach

Estimated Material Cost: \$45.00

Byzantine Chainmaille

Guest teacher Mary Rembach will teach you how to create this fun and exciting bracelet using jumprings. She'll teach you the proper way to open and close jumprings for a long lasting stunning bracelet. This is a class you don't want to miss! No previous chainmaille experience is necessary. Students will receive a 30-minute lunch break during the class. A refrigerator is available if you want to bring your lunch. 5-7 students are needed to run this class.

Saturday April 28 11:00am-5:00pm

Class Fee: \$65.00

Instructor: Mary Rembach

Estimated Material Cost: \$45.00

Polymer Clay Basics

Guest teacher Laura Curran will cover all of the basics for your adventure through polymer clay! Laura will go over personalizing color, texture and translucency of the clay. She'll introduce you to the various tools for carving, modeling and texturizing. Learn the successful baking techniques that will make your clay stand out. Students will leave the class with a simple beaded necklace. Some supplies you can bring for the class but are not required are: texturing tools (lace, buttons, rubber stamps), polymer clay resource books, and sculpting tools. Again, these supplies are not required; the instructor will have all the necessary tools for the class. A video of Laura's work can be found on YouTube by going to www.youtube.com and searching for "Laura Curran Polymer Clay Artist."

Sunday April 15 1:00pm – 4:00pm

Class Fee: \$30.00

Instructor: Laura Curran

Estimated Material Cost: \$20.00 (\$6.00 will be paid directly to the instructor for clay)

Don't see your favorite or desired class listed? Visit our website at www.nohobeadery.com and click on the Classes tab. Our class suggestion box is located on the bottom right hand section. We'd love to hear from you!

Take a Private Lesson!

Do you want to learn a beading technique but prefer a one on one lesson? Then a Private Lesson is for you. Private lessons cost \$25-\$35 per hour depending on the technique you want to learn. Please call the store to schedule a private lesson. We will accommodate the date and time that will work best for you.

Parties

Northampton Beadery offers Party and Birthday Party packages.

Children Birthday Parties

\$15 per child, minimum 4 children, maximum 6 children
Ages 6+

Package includes:

Two full hours at our store, one dedicated staff person for the full two hours, one tube of size E/0, 6/0 or 8/0 seed beads (\$3.00 value), one focal bead or charm (\$3.00 value), stringing material, and base metal findings.
Food and drink is always allowed but please dispose of trash properly.

Call the store to schedule your birthday party! 413-586-3885.

Parties for Adults

\$10 per adult, minimum 3 adults, maximum 6 adults

Package includes:

Two full hours at our store, one dedicated staff person for the full two hours and 15% off any other materials purchased during the party. Please feel free to bring some of your own supplies and beads as well.
Food and drink is always allowed but please dispose of trash properly.

Call the store to schedule your party! 413-586-3885.

Wedding Parties

Bring your wedding party to Northampton Beadery to create unique, matching jewelry sets for you and your wedding party to wear.

\$10 per person, minimum 3 people, maximum 6 people

Package includes:

Two full hours at our store, one dedicated staff person for the full two hours, design and color ideas, step-by-step help with your design ideas, 15% off materials purchased during the party.
Food and drink is always allowed but please dispose of trash properly.

Call the store to schedule your wedding party! 413-586-3885