



2024 GBB Retreat at Lake Tahoe

Please come join us May 14-17, 2024 at beautiful Zephyr Point Presbyterian Conference Center, located on the east shore of Lake Tahoe for three days of weaving.

This year's retreat fees for a shared room are **\$375**, this is only \$125 per night which includes all meals. What a bargain!! And what a location! A deposit of **\$100 by February 12th** will hold your space at the retreat. If you prefer a single room the fee is **\$570**. Confirmation email will be sent when payment is received. All final registration fees are due by **April 15, 2024**. The class fees are listed below.

Please make checks payable to: GBB, 8175 S. Virginia St. #850, PMB 293, Reno, NV, 89511.
Please complete one form per student. For more information call or text Nettie at 530-906-0038.

Cancellation/Refund Policy: A full refund of fees paid minus a processing fee of \$15 for one class and \$25 for 2 classes if cancelled before the 4/15/2024 deadline. No refunds after 4/15/2024 unless GBB cancels the retreat. Any cancellation must be in writing and mailed to: GBB, 8175 S. Virginia St. #850, PMB 293, Reno, NV 89511, or emailed to Nettie Fox at keepitwild@gmail.com.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: _____ Email: _____

Membership of \$25 required if not a current member: _____

Diet Restrictions: _____

Roommate: _____ Handicap Accessible room required: _____

Class request/Sign-ups, classes are limited to 12 students per class. No phone-in registrations accepted. Classes are based on a first come first serve basis, fees include materials. Please choose one class per day each class lasts all day.

Wednesday's Classes

Sampler Twined basket with Ann Taylor	\$65.00 _____
Coiled Yarn basket with Gayle Still	\$50.00 _____

Thursday's Classes

Twined basket with Ann Taylor	\$60.00 _____
Pine Needle on leather center with Nettie Fox	\$50.00 _____

Please enter your amounts below:

Retreat Fees \$ _____ + Class fees \$ _____ = Amount Due \$ _____

Payment \$ _____ Check # _____

I understand that a refund, minus the administrative fee, may be obtained until April 15, 2024. After this date, no refunds will be issued.

Participant Signature (required): _____ Date: _____

For more information about the annual retreat, check out our website: Greatbasinbasketmakers.org

2024 GBB Retreat Classes

Class Full



Wednesday, May 15, 2024

Sampler Twined Basket

Ann Taylor

Class/Material Fee - \$65

This round reed basket is made on a 5 1/2" cherry wood base. A variety of 3 rod, 4 rod, and 5 rod patterns in a multitude of colors will result in a unique sampler basket. Tools: awl, sharp scissors, needle nose pliers, spray bottle, soaking tub.

Wednesday, May 15, 2024

Coiled Yarn Basket

Gayle Still

Class/Material Fee - \$50

Coiling with yarn around a core using just two stitches is a meditative way to create color, patterns and shape for a basket. The use of yarn is a great stash buster for spinners, knitters and crocheters, although raffia works well with this technique also. Embellishments will be discussed and feathers provided to end our basket. Tools: Scissors



Thursday, May 16, 2024

Twined Basket

Ann Taylor

Class/Material Fee - \$60

Using one pattern from the sampler basket and a color of your choice, make a basket on a 5 1/2" cherry wood base. A decorative rim will finish off the basket. Tools: awl, sharp scissors, needle nose pliers, spray bottle, soaking tub.



Thursday, May 16, 2024

Pine Needle Basket/with Leather Center

Nettie Fox

Class/Material Fee - \$50

Students will learn how to coil pine needles onto a 3" leather center with your color choice of synthetic sinew, while also learning different decorative stitches and wrapping techniques.

Beads, shells, and feathers will be available to use as embellishments, or bring your own.

Tools: Small sharp scissors.



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Schedule 2024 GBB Retreat at Lake Tahoe

Tuesday, May 14th

3:30 PM – Check in at the Tallac Lodge lobby (pick-up your room key, name badge and door prize ticket), you may drive to the lodge to unload; then park at the top in the parking garage and place your vehicle pass on your dash. Submit your “Silent Auction” basket if you have not already done so to the Echo Peak Room, where set-up is happening, feel free to pitch in and help with the set-up. Please bring a snack to share with the group.

6:00 – 6:30 PM – Dinner at the Dining Hall in the Tallac Center Conference Building adjacent to the Tallac Lodge.

7:00 – 10:00 PM – Gather at the Echo Peak Room (this is the room where all classes will be held) adjacent to the Dining Hall. There will be an opening night get acquainted session complete with door prizes. Silent Auction bids will begin. Basket Kits raffle tickets will be available to purchase for the Wednesday night drawing, tickets are \$1 each or six for \$5 or twelve for \$10.

Wednesday, May 15th

7:00 AM – The Echo Peak Room will be open for morning stretching (bring your yoga mat) and coffee.

8:00 – 8:30 AM – Breakfast in the dining hall.

9:00 – 11:45 AM – Meet in Echo Peak Room for classes: Sampler Twined Basket with Ann Taylor or a Coiled Yarn Basket with Gayle Still. If you are not signed up for either class, please feel free to bring your own projects to work on and enjoy the camaraderie!

12:00 – 12:30 PM – Lunch in the dining hall.

1:00 – 4:00 PM – Return to Echo Peak Room for the remainder of your class.

6:00 – 6:30 PM – Dinner in the dining hall.

7:00 – 10:00 PM – Gather at the Echo Peak Room for the Basket Kits raffle drawing, continue weaving on your projects and visiting with friends.

Thursday, May 16th

7:00 AM – The Echo Peak Room will be open for morning stretching (bring your yoga mat) and coffee.

8:00 – 8:30 AM – Breakfast in the dining hall.

8:45 – 9:00 AM — Group Photo

9:15 – 11:45 AM – Meet in Echo Peak Room for Classes: Twined basket with Ann Taylor or a Pine Needle basket on a leather center with Nettie Fox. Again, if you have not signed up for either class, feel free to work on your own projects.

12:00 – 12:30 PM – Lunch in the dining hall.

1:00 – 5:00 PM – Return to Echo Peak Room for the remainder of your class.

6:00 – 6:30 PM – Dinner in the dining hall.

7:00 PM – Silent Auction Bids Close.

7:30 – 9:00 PM – Final evening activities in Echo Peak Room which include collection and paying for your Silent Auction items. There will be time to continue weaving on your projects, visiting with other members, packing up your tools, etc.

After 9:30 PM – Echo Peak tables can be folded up and chairs can be stacked. This is a suitable time to pack up and remove your projects and materials, if you haven’t already done so.

Friday, May 17th

8:00 – 8:30 AM – Breakfast in the dining hall. Before leaving for breakfast, please remove the linens from your bed, put them and your towels on the floor outside your room for housekeeping. Make your bed with only the bed-spread.

9:00 – 11:00 AM – Check out time. Make sure all your belongings and food are removed from the Echo Peak Room and that we leave it as clean as we found it! We will need to finish putting away tables and stacking chairs then vacuum the room. Check out by returning your room key to Trisha in the Echo Peak Room.