

Annual dues are due January 1st. Please pay at any meeting or mail to: ECBS
PO Box 582
Gulf Breeze, FL 32562-582
Our dues are not prorated, if you joined mid-year you will still need to pay in January.

Don't Forget...

the bead retreat will be here before we know it. (Feb.4-6) Be sure to reserve your room and sign up for your classes now. Mary Jordan has the answers if you have questions. Nona2kylie @ att.net or 982-7633 Retreat class info will be on our website shortly!

Our website address is: emeraldcoastbeadsociety.com

2011 Meeting Dates: Jan.17, Feb.21, Mar.21, Apr.18, May 16, Jun.20, Jul. 18, Aug. 22, Sep. 19, Oct. 17, Nov. 21, Dec. 19

General Meeting December 20, 2010

ECBS Holiday Party

Tis the season to have a party! We will be exchanging our wonderful handmade gifts yet again, but this year we have planned a different gift exchange. If you wish to participate, please bring a **wrapped** gift. It can be large or small- but it must be made by you! We will pass our gifts around to the reading of a special holiday story, and at the end everyone will unwrap and thank the giver.

For our refreshments, we ask all members to contribute. Bring your favorite bought goodie or homemade specialty to share. ECBS will provide beverages. See you There!

General Meeting Jan. 17, 2011

We'll be bringing in the new year with a seed bead spiral rope stitch class with Bronwyn Nickles- see the details in the January newsletter

Show Notes A huge "Thank You" to all!

Once again our holiday show was a great success, due to our wonderful and talented membership. Our vendors put out an impressive array of work.

Thanks go to **Carolyn Jones** for her advertising skills, and **Kathi Gordon** for making us look oh so good on Channel 3 Dayside. We want to thank our tireless volunteers: **Catherine Heidelberg, Deila Hiebert** and **Nettie Varnell**, also members hubbies and friends for putting up our signs. A very special thanks also to **Mike Devins** for stepping in with cool headed kindness (some folks just know how to make a bad situation better).

Of course, the whole thing happens because of the incomparable **Mary Jordan**. We thank her with all our hearts!