

LET'S EAT!

Please remember to bring something tasty to share at the next meeting – AND *please* sign up at future meetings to bring a dish of tasty food.

Current Officers:

President: Meredith Hartsfield

VP: Eleanor Cutts

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tempore)

Secretary: Mary Jordan

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We hope you have a fun and safe Independence Day holiday.



HEAR YE, HEAR YE! BEAD SWAP AND SALE, 50/50 RAFFLE – JULY 18th

Bring your beads, beading supplies, and beading books that you would like to swap or sell at the next meeting. We're also having a 50/50 raffle.

ECBS MEMBERSHIP CARDS AND DISCOUNTS

2016 membership cards are available at the monthly meetings. Did you know that the cards can be used for discounts, especially at Jo-Ann stores?

Here's how to become a Jo-Ann VIP with your membership card and save 10% on every purchase, including regular and sale priced items (books and magazines may not be eligible):

Apply:

Go to Joann.com, and at the bottom of the page (under JOIN & SAVE TODAY), click on VIP PROGRAM. Click ENROLL NOW.

Complete the sign up form; click ENROLL NOW. Your VIP card should arrive within 3 to 4 weeks.

To activate your discount card prior to first use, present your current ECBS membership card and present it to the manager of any Jo-Ann store.

If your cannot attend a meeting and would like your ECBS membership card mailed, please email Sherri Stauffer at sherri.stauffer@yahoo.com

PROMOTE YOUR BIZ WITH ECBS!

Advertising space is available *by the month* on the back page of our newsletter. The letter goes to all members and will be exposed on our website as well for additional exposure. Rates:

ECBS Members	Non-members
1/4 page \$25	1/4 page \$35
1/2 page \$40	1/2 page \$60
Full page \$75	Full page \$100

Submit your complete ad copy by the 3rd day of the month.

1/4 page – 360 pixels Horizontal x4 80 pixels Vertical

1/2 page – 720 pixels Horizontal x 480 pixels Vertical

Full page – 720 pixels Horizontal x 960 pixels Vertical

For additional information, contact either Meredith – fmharts@gmail.com OR Susan – SMarieMolloy@gmail.com

ECBS 2017 RETREAT

Our retreat will be held in Fort Walton Beach, Florida, February 24-26, 2017.

HELP SHARE THE NEWS

You can help spread information about other bead and art shows by letting us know of any shows of which you are aware, and letting us know what shows you'll be in, too – let's share in our creativity and love of the bead world! We will put the information in our future newsletters, or in special emails, as appropriate, and as timeframes allow.

A NOTE TO EMAIL NEWSLETTER

RECIPIENTS – Didn't get your newsletter? If you think so, *please check* your spam folder first. Otherwise, contact **Susan Molloy** (<u>SMarieMolloy@gmail.com</u>) to have it resent to you. But, more likely than not, your "missing" newsletter is in that irksome spam folder.

You might want to make a special folder for your emails that come from ECBS, so that our emails are delivered directly there for you, and easier to find, too.

See you at the July 18th meeting!