



## Emerald Coast Bead Society

ECBS meets on the 3rd Monday of each month, 6 PM

at The Wright Place - 80 E. Wright St.

For more information call Meredith Hartsfield at 850-932-9473

### OCTOBER 2017 NEWSLETTER

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#### GENERAL MEETING ON MONDAY, OCTOBER 16, 6 pm



Member Vela Beckwith will be teaching *Marquis Loop Earrings*. This will be not just a project but a teaching class, including working with super duos.

#### **KITS with tutorials WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR \$12**

Please bring the following: a portable light (very important), your glasses, scissors or thread burner, beading mat, and an excited YOU!

We should be able to complete one earring. Vela will be available at future meetings to assist with completion.

Please reserve your place to [velabeckwith@yahoo.com](mailto:velabeckwith@yahoo.com) or 850-324-2845 by Sunday, October 15 so adequate kits will be prepared.



#### ECBS HOLIDAY SHOW SATURDAY, DECEMBER 2, 9 am—5 pm

This annual show will again be held at The Wright Place. Vendor participation is limited to current members of the Bead Society.

**NEW THIS YEAR** — Let's promote beading! Would you like to teach a class? We'll supply the space and limited advertising, you supply the kits and expertise, you charge what is appropriate and donate 10% to the Society.

Also available, beginner level projects for bracelets, earrings or necklaces; the Society provides the kit, the customer pays a nominal fee (\$5-\$10), you volunteer a short time to teach. Please feel free to offer directions for beginner level projects as well as any supplies you'd like to donate.

#### **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED**

*For The Holiday Show on  
December 2*

Greeters/counters at the door  
Sell raffle tickets  
Put out signs on Palafox Street  
Relieve vendors  
Teach a class

*Contact*  
*Sherri [sherri.stauffer@yahoo.com](mailto:sherri.stauffer@yahoo.com)*  
*OR*  
*Laura [lameyer@outlook.com](mailto:lameyer@outlook.com)*



UPCOMING— general meeting programs include: buy, sell and/or swap; Christmas gift exchange

EVERY MONTH—shopping is always available so feel free to bring your Merchandise

NOVEMBER 11—Blackwater Trail Antiques & More, 6705 Berryhill, Milton; Harvest Bazaar, vendor booths \$10; contact Monica Palmer 850-293-1893 for more info or message ECBS member Lane Hall on Facebook or call 850-686-2826.

DECEMBER 2, 2017—ECBS SHOW at The Wright Place in Pensacola

DECEMBER 18—ECBS Christmas Holiday party

FEBRUARY 16-18, 2018—ANNUAL BEAD RETREAT



## Room rates have been reduced for the 2018 bead retreat!

It's going to be an awesome retreat!!

A letter soliciting classes for the bead retreat has been sent to last year's teachers and a few others who have expressed interest in teaching.

Hotel rates have decreased so please consider indulging yourself.

Our lovely masseuse has committed to offering her services again this year and will bring her portable sauna if there is an interest.

Contracts for the December show were emailed on Monday, October 9.

If you did not receive one or can't open it, there will be contracts at the General Meeting on October 16.



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Featuring ECBS member Laurie Flynn

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First City Art Center

Saturday, October 14  
10-2

Preview party on Friday, October 13

Shop for beautiful glass and pottery pumpkins, all handcrafted by local artists. ECBS member, Meredith Hartsfield, will be offering beads and flamework demos.

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Jerry from Singaraja

October 30 ONLY  
Noon—5:00 pm

Zayszly Artz  
2701 North 12th Avenue  
Pensacola

Offering sterling silver and vermeil beads, findings and more!