SCW BEADERS NEWSLETTER

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NATIONAL COOKIE MONTH

Well hello everybody. Glad to be back for another month of fun and information. I know this will be hard to believe, but as I was continuing the cleaning of my craft room, guess what I found. A COLOR WHEEL!!! I don't remember buying it and I have no idea how long I have had it, still in the original packaging of course. So now I can fully begin to understand all of the info I gave last month. Now to continue with more information on the color wheel. (Courtesy of Fire Mountain Gems).

Colors can create physical and emotional reactions, acting on both the body and the mind. As a jewelry artist, color is one of the most significant design tools you have.

Here are the five basic color schemes:

MONOCHROMATIC COLOR SCHEME

The simplest way to create a beautiful piece is to use the same color throughout, but by using lighter and darker elements. Design idea H823

ANALOGOUS COLOR SCHEME

Always pleasing to the eye are colors that are close to each other on the wheel, like yellow to orange to redorange. Design idea G72Z

COMPLEMENTARY COLOR SCHEME

Nothing stirs excitement like the eye candy, high contrast effect of a complementary color scheme. Complementary colors are directly opposite each other on the color wheel and are always stimulating if their hues are pure. Design idea GA39.

SPLIT COMPLEMENTARY SCHEME

This scheme combines the effect of the powerful complementary scheme with a variation on the analogous scheme. It offers intriguing possibilities in complexity and sophistication. Determine a key color. Then go directly across the color wheel to find its complement. Instead of the complement, use the two colors that you find next to it. In this example, the key color is red-violet. Design idea G853.

TRIADIC COLOR SCHEME

A triadic color scheme uses colors that are evenly spaced around the color wheel. Triadic color harmonies tend to be quite vibrant, even if you use pale or unsaturated versions of your hues. To use triadic harmony successfully, the colors should be carefully balanced- let one color

dominate and use the other two for accent. Design idea F97E.

You will notice after each description I have added a Design idea. If you go to Firemountaingems.com and plug in those numbers, you will see a representation of each idea. Happy hunting and good luck with your colors.

Now on to some of the more mundane items.

First of all, a big welcome to all of you who joined the 9-21-20 General Meeting either in person or on Zoom. If you are unfamiliar with Zoom, it would be a good idea to look it up, on YouTube say, and start to learn. More and more things, meetings, classes, etc., are going that way. It is just another way to stay connected.

There were enough people interested in the 12-5-20 Bling Fling to go ahead with the planning. Now it all depends what the Rec Center and Beaders Board think of COVID trends in Arizona.

Just in case you were not at the General Meeting, here are just a few of the highlights. The biggest one is, *DUES ARE WAIVED FOR 2021!* Yes, you read that right. If you were a dues-paying Bead Club member in 2020, you do not need to pay dues for 2021. You can register just like always, receive your new bead and bring your information up to date. Of course, all of this is predicated on the fact that you paid your Rec. Center dues. That will still have to be checked.

The next board meeting will be on October 12 at 6:30 by Zoom.

The next General Meeting will be held on November 16 in Sagebrush. The meeting starts at noon and will have the results of the election of officers. It will be a Zoom meeting in addition to an in-person meeting. Look to your email for further instructions, as the date gets closer.

Now on to your CALENDARS!

October 2020 (National Cookie Month)

Monday	Wednesday
5- bead & do something nice day	7- bead & bald and free day
12- bead & moment of frustration day & oh Yeah Columbus Day!	14- Bead & dessert day
19- bead & evaluate your life day	21- bead & count your buttons day
26- bead & howl at the moon day	28- bead & plush animal lovers' day

November 2020 (National Novel Writing Month)

Monday	Wednesday
2-sandwich day & beading	4- King Tut Day & beading
9-Chaos never dies night & beading	11- Veterans Day, National Sundae Day & beading
16- Button Day and beading	18- National entrepreneurs Day & beading
23- Eat a cranberry Day & beading	25- National Parfait Day & beading
30- Stay at home because you are well Day & beading	

Important Dates

October 5, 6, 7, 8 On-line voting on whether we should have copresidents next year

November 16 Fourth Quarter General Meeting and announcing of results of officer elections

December 2020 (National Celebration Month)

Monday	Wednesday
	2- National Fritters Day & beading
7-Cotton Candy Day & beading	9-Christmas Card Day & beading
14- Monkey Day & beading	16- Chocolate Covered Anything Day & beading
21-Look on the Bright Side Day & beading	23- Festivus & beading
28-Card Playing Day & beading	30- National Bacon Day & beading.

CLUB HOURS AND RULES

Monday 10:30 - 2

Wed. 10 – 4:00

WE ARE A NO SCENT, NO ANIMAL, AND NO POLITICS CLUB. Please be kind to your neighbor and refrain from using perfume and/or heavy body scents as many of our members have severe allergies. During Covid-19 restrictions: Wear a mask, no eating in Club, and don't come to Club if sick!