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Fall Winter

Gifts
 Yarns
 Beads



Antiques
 Jewelry
 Classes

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Celebrating our 4th Year!

Imagine! is celebrating its 4th season and we have changed a lot in a short time. We opened our store with a little café inside it. The café was fun but sooooo much work and too many hours so we turned it into a fine craft gallery and gift shop and we love it. We have found wonderful hand-made gifts made in the USA and Canada and many items are made just for us.

We have had so much fun gathering the work of local and national artists. We seem to introduce new ones constantly.

This year we found more secret boxes from Heartwood Creations. They are so intriguing, made of wood

by a family who has done it for more than 25 year.

Great as a gift or stocking stuffer. We also have wooden book marks with etched leaf designs by MITRE craft These are great particularly for the guys on your list.

Jeff Price is a glass blower who makes a marble mobile that is hypnotic. The blown glass globes refract little glass worlds that spin and give the illusion of climbing up and down a twisted metal track. They can be hung outside where a paddle will catch the wind and drive the movement. Have to see these live to appreciate them. We still carry our left and right hand-warmer mugs with lush glazes. We



Glass Swirl Pin from Elias Studios
 Great gift for 21.00

also have cookware that you will be proud to bring to the table, very reasonably priced. Little glass pocket vases that are brightly colored continue to be one of our best sellers. We have a new assortment arriving this week. Jewelry, its everywhere in the shop, from estate pieces to contemporary in metals, gems, beach glass, lamp work, and more.

Products that are arriving for the holidays

- * Great Adirondack yarns typical fancy skeins
- * Beaded silk yarns from Art Yarns in NYC
- * Glass nail files that last a life time, they are so pretty, too!
- * Estate sale items, particularly rings including gold, silver, platinum

Copper and Enameled glass, Rayon Gathered Scarves

We waited 9 months to get the work of Sara Creekmore and we finally have a sampling at the store. These hand-hammered copper pieces are enhanced by enameled glass that has been glazed in a kiln. They are fascinating little treas-

ures and we have not seen other work like it.

We have wonderful scarves from Lantern Moon for you or someone you love.. The first shipment sold out in days and had to

be re ordered. They are just plain perfect and the colors and prints are universally appealing. The gathered panel makes the pieces versatile so you can use them for shawls as well.

Make your own gifts this year... in a jiffy...

Anne Jackson and Dayle Loutzenheiser have been teaching at the store as a team. Most of Anne's classes are scheduled for a specific project at a designated time. Dayle will work with you individually by appointment or by chance. Anne does some advanced work and Dayle does some basic techniques that



Earrings anyone can make.

can be made more complicated as you become more adept....We have many other talented beading and jewelry making teachers so check the web site for current

classes. We add new ones and bring old

ones back. Current jewelry classes include :

Beginner's Basics

Fine Silver Clay

Choose your Bracelet

Wire Wrapping

Beach Glass Drilling and wrapping

Memory Wire Bracelet

Two Stand Necklace

Make Your Own class...get the gals together for a fun time out.

I'm not a crafty girl and I hate to make things!

Not everyone thinks making things is fun. In fact, (brace yourself, knitters) many non-crafters are smart people who do not have to hide what's in their craft room from their loved ones. They have no need to develop solid espionage techniques that are required from compulsive stashers . Conversely, some of these non-crafters have impeccably clean houses and expanses of empty space. Being in-

vited into these rooms can be a disorienting experience for crafters. The non-crafters BUY their elegant sweaters, ready made and they own hand-made-by-others mugs and jewelry.

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They may be realistic about deadlines and might have time to do the little things, like write sweet thank you notes and laundry. These ladies never have to wrap their presents with notes that say, " the other sock will be mailed later this year" We crafters admire them so lets get our toys out and make something for them.....

Imagine! The dream.

Imagine! originally got its name because of the song by John Lennon. Its about getting along. We wanted Imagine! to be a place where people could come to have fun, get inspired, share ideas and spend time with one another.

In the afternoons at the shop the knitters and beaders gather informally. We sip coffee and share projects and enjoy each other's company.

Its great because no one has to vacuum before the gals arrive and you can come or go in your own time. What we did not consider is that our customers would become our friends and we care about how they are and what they are doing. We have also learned a lot from them and they generously continue to give us feedback. We want to thank you for inspiring us and we want you to know we are



Harmony is the best antidote

working hard every day to get it right...we have so much more to learn.

Estate Jewelry

We started with family pieces and we have added to that category. These came from the home of family in Shaker Heights, Ohio. However, last year many pieces were sent to us from a whole sale jeweler in Ohio that is a long time resource for the ladies. I also added to the collection while attending a show in Ohio at the same time that a knitting convention was going on. About a month ago, I purchased that collection and another one and can now offer these at more appealing prices. Some of the jewelry is very old and some is from more re-

cent estate purchases. We have things for gentlemen, some conversation pieces and a few Victorian items in addition to silver, gold, precious and semi-precious gem stones. There is something romantic and magical about older designs and it is easy to fall in love with them. Some of our favorite customers share our enthusiasm.

We continue to offer lay away on some items for 6 months.



Gold, Turquoise Pearl Pin/
Pendant

Knit and Crochet News

Knitting and Crochet classes are starting to fill up as we settle into the cozy months. We are offering quick-to-knit felted mittens, socks, a smart cardigan from Peru, felted bags, a cabled pull over, baby things and more. Many projects knit up fast and would be great for gift giving.

After the holidays, our famous 4 session techniques class will be offered

again. This class is great for beginners and for seasoned knitters. Sandy Cannon is known for her penchant for research and every time we overhear what she is teaching, we learn something new.

Sometime we spontaneously add a new class and sometimes we take suggestions from you. We have beginner classes by appointment, very reason-

bly priced and you will know the basics in just two sessions. Call or stop by for more information or visit

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Craft Alert!

Next summer we are planning a craft show that features the work of all of our students and customers. We hope to have space set aside outside the store where you can sell your beautiful goodies, particularly those you learned in class from one of our outstanding teachers. Stay tuned for more information.....
