



Rockwell Collins Craft Club June Newsletter

It's graduation party time of year again. So far we only have two invitations. The peonies are blooming everywhere. I love bouquets of them, even if they contain

a few ants :) Jan O'Brien tells me there are still some tables available for the Rockwell Craft Fair. So if you have been thinking about trying it, give Jan a call at 377-8111 or talk to her at our meeting. If you have already signed up and want another table, that is possible too.

- ☀ This month's craft project will be a Duct Tape gift card holder. Bring scissors and a rotary cutter and cutting mat if you have one. We've been wanting to make something with Duct Tape for a while now and thought this would be a good project to start with. There are so many colors and patterns available now. I think we will do some flowers in the future too.
- ☀ We will also have a speaker at this month's meeting. Sally Olsen, a Rockwell retiree, will give a short speech on the Lace Convention coming up in Coralville next month.
- ☀ Last month's plastic canvas and ribbon angels turned out great. The glue dots that Arlys brought really helped a lot. Many thanks to Carolyn and Arlys for coming up with this project and getting everything ready. And for being there to help us thru each step. We have a few of the kits left, so if you want more, or missed our May meeting, they are just \$1 per kit.
- ☀ Our charity for this month will be collecting money for the Honor Flights. I think many of us have known people that got to participate in this excellent program.
- ☀ Joyce Smith would like to say Thank You to all her Craft Club friends for their thoughts, cards, calls, prayers and kindness regarding the death of her husband, Gary this past month.
- ☀ Kim has decided not to be our Treasurer anymore, so we are looking for another volunteer. Please speak to any of the board members if you might be interested.
- ☀ Darlene Ozburn wants to know if anyone knows of a person or group that makes soft body dolls and donates them to charity? Also, if you have any Altoid tins, please save them for Darlene Ozburn.

This Month at a Glance

Next Meeting: Wednesday June 17 at 4:30 Main Plant
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Happy Birthday!
June
1st — Trudy Albaugh
July
3rd — Darlene Edgington
30th—Judy Kennedy



☀ I'm sure we are all happy that Hobby Lobby finally has come to Cedar Rapids, but I have MORE news. . . Another new store ! There is a new shop in Czech Village (where the Maytag store used to be). It is called Craft -> Exchange. It works kind of like a used book store. You can take them craft supplies you don't want or need and they will give you credit for about 25% of what they feel is the new value of the item. Then you can 'spend' your credit on other items in the store. Or you can just simply donate items if you don't care to receive any credit.

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Last month Jean Strait went to the Tulip Festival and brought back some Dutch Letters. She also brought the recipe:

Dutch Letter Recipe



Recipe by: Juanita Den Adel, a Resident of Vriendschap Village, Pella, Iowa.

Dough:

1 pound butter or margarine
4 cups flour
1 cup water

Filling:

2 cups sugar
3 eggs
1 tsp vanilla
2 cups almond paste (1#)

Glaze:

2 egg whites, beaten
1 Tbsp sugar for sprinkling

Dough: Mix butter and flour as you would for pie crust. Stir in water and mix well. Chill overnight.

Filling: Beat almond paste until smooth, add remaining ingredients. Chill dough and filling overnight. Divide dough into 14 equal parts. Roll sections into 4 inch x 14 inch strips. Spread filling down othe center of each strip. (I use my Mirro Cookie Press and #3 attachment.) Fold one side of dough over the filling, then the other side and pinch the ends shut. Continue until all dough is used.

Bake: Place on greased cookie sheet with the seams facing downward. Brush the top with beaten egg white and sprinkle sugar on top. Prick with a fork every 2 inches for steam to escape. Bake at 400 degrees for 20 minutes.



**ROCKWELL COLLINS CRAFT CLUB
REGISTRATION FORM
FY 2015**

DO NOT SEND CLUB MEMBERSHIP MATERIAL (DUES, REGISTRATION FORM) THROUGH COMPANY MAIL
(CHECKS FOR MEMBERSHIP SHOULD BE MADE PAYABLE TO: ROCKWELL COLLINS CRAFT CLUB)

RETURN TO: Mary Lagerquist
3352 Schmickle Road
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MEMBERSHIP CHAIRPERSON USE ONLY
Check # _____ Cash _____

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Participant Name: _____

Address: _____ Home or Cell Phone: _____

City: _____ Zip Code: _____
(Zip + 4)

e-Mail Address: _____

May we send the monthly newsletters electronically to your email address? Yes No

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Birthday – Month _____ Day _____

Rockwell Collins Association: (Choose the **one** that fits your situation)

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Activity: ROCKWELL COLLINS CRAFT CLUB Participation fee _____

RELEASE:

I understand that the above named activity is sponsored for recreational purposes only. I also understand the nature of the activity including its possible risks and voluntarily register for participation.

I hereby release Rockwell Collins, Inc., from any claims, demands or damages because of injury or death, other than customary and reasonable medical expenses under the existing company medical plan, resulting in any way from participation in this activity.

Signature: _____ Date _____

*Subsidized participants are defined as current employees, retired employees, and spouses of the above. All other participants must pay an amount equivalent to the companies per person subsidy plus individual fee established for this activity. Inclusion of non-subsidized participants will be subject to each individual program's concurrence.

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I am too blessed to be stressed.

Money Saving Tip

Everybody loves a bargain, so I've decided to add a way to save money to every newsletter. This month's tip comes to us from Darlene Ozburn.

Senior Discount at Michael's

Not valid on: As Seen on TV, Silhouette & Cricut brands; Custom special order products, services & package pricing; custom invitations, canvas prints & photo center purchases; Cube 3D printer & accessories, Rainbow Loom products, sewing machines, 4' & taller Christmas trees, books, magazines, CD/DVDs, gift cards & debit card products; clearance items; online only specials; class, event, birthday party, shipping, delivery or installation fees; online only Buy More, Save More offers and buy & get items. Limit one coupon per customer per day; no combining offers. Must show valid ID to receive discount. Not applicable to prior purchases. Limited to stock on hand. Void where prohibited. Valid only in US. Exclusions subject to change. See store associate for details.

10% off

Entire Purchase Everyday

If you are age 55 years or older, take 10% off your entire purchase every day, including regular and sale price merchandise. **Simply present a valid ID at the register.** Some exclusions apply. See store associate for details.

Available in store only.

I called our local Michael's store for verification and this is what they said:

If you are buying one regular priced item and have a 40% off coupon you CANNOT also use the Senior Discount.

If you are buying TWO items, one regular price and one sale price, the 40% coupon will work on the regular price and then you will get the senior discount on the sale item.

If you are using No coupons, you will get 10% off on all items you buy, sale or regular price.

There's nothing more exciting than starting a new project.

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Would YOU like to volunteer?????????

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