

Stitcher's Hideaway! Making Memories in Mystic! December 2022 Fun Report



Where do stitchers go to treat themselves for the holidays? To the Making Memories in Mystic Retreat! It's a wonderful time of stitching with friends right before the busy holidays!

For some of us it's the perfect time to devote ourselves to finishing Christmas stitching, but for all of us it's a warm and cozy time to just be together doing one of our favorite things in all the world – stitching! How wonderful to sit and chat away the hours while we stitch!



Each attendee received a Fun Pack filled with generous donations from [123Stitch](#), [Elizabeth's Designs](#), [Kreinek](#), [Morning Glory Needleworks](#), [Rosewood Manor](#), [Stitcher's Hideaway](#), [Tempting Tangles](#), [Victoria Sampler](#) and [Weeks Dye Works](#)!

We also had wonderful door prizes from 123Stitch, Elizabeth's Designs, Stitcher's Hideaway, Victoria Sampler, Tempting Tangles, and With My Needle!



Lynda with a \$25 Gift Certificate from 123Stitch



Elizabeth with a door prize from Rosewood Manor



Jeanette with a door prize from Victoria Sampler



Dee with a door prize from Rosewood Manor



Nancy with a door prize from Tempting Tangles



Janice with a door prize from 123stitch

Our retreat location is just about a half mile from Olde Mystick Village where some of us did a little retail therapy! The Village was all decked out for the holidays, making it fun just to walk about.

Hotel stays included wonderful complimentary hot and cold breakfast items. Warm baked cookies were a treat along with hot chocolate each night. We sure enjoyed that!

Our delicious lunches and dinners were catered by Mystic Market and McQuade's Market— YUM!!!

One night we had an optional gift exchange! Some gifts were stitched, some were not, but all were gift wrapped and we then drew a number and picked out a mystery gift in order of the number we drew. It was fun to see what each person received!



Sue



Laura



Nancy



Elizabeth



Janet



Susan



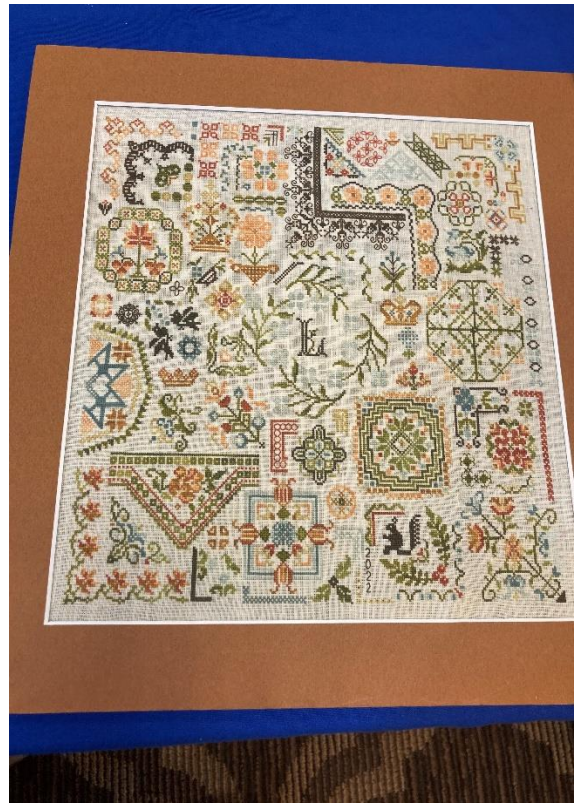
Sue created a little keepsake she designed for us reminiscent of the Mystic Lighthouse.

She also had a boutique of her designs available.



We LOVE having Show and Tell at each Stitcher's Hideaway Retreat! The variety of designs we see is amazing!







Janice



Lynda



Laura and Elizabeth with their retreat finishes!



Susan and Nancy with their projects in progress



Laura



Janet



Working on the Mystic Christmas Sampler



Barbara and her retreat finish!



Sue working on a snowy scene



Barbara showing her quilting

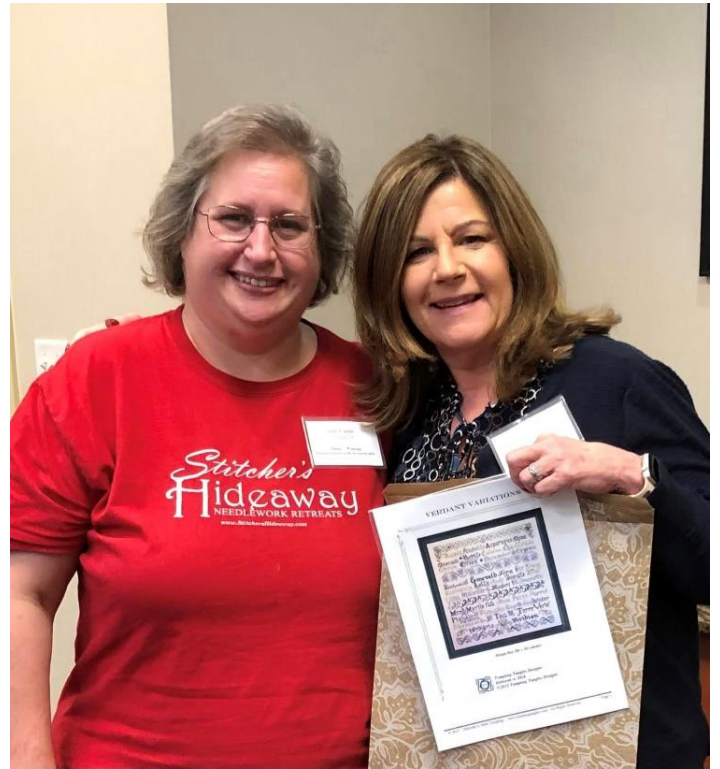


Susan



Sue







Janet



Barbara



Laura, Nancy and Janet with retreat finishes!!

Each day we had some door prizes given out, and here are some pictures of some more of them. We liked seeing what each person received from the donors, and then, of course, that caused some stitcher's envy – and probably some new orders from needlework shops!



Janice with a door prize from a friend of Stitcher's Hideaway



Laura with a door prize from With My Needle



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Lynda with a door prize from Tempting Tangles



Janet with a door prize from 123stitch



Susan with a door prize from 123stitch



It's always sad to see each retreat come to an end, but there is next year to look forward to!!!

Happy Stitching!

Jen