

IN PERSON CLASS SIGN UP begins Saturday, September 23rd from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

NO PHONE SIGN UP ON SATURDAY, September 23rd

The phone system is not able to handle the number of calls.

Saturday is IN PERSON ONLY SIGN UP!!!

Starting on Monday, September 25th, you can sign up for any class by calling Fifty Forward at (615) 883-8375. They will take your name and can accept credit and debit cards over the phone.

You can also pay in person at the center.

Classes fill up quickly, so call soon to reserve your place in class.

Classes may have risk. Therefore a student MUST have the mental, physical & eyesight skills to Be Safe In Class. The Instructor will approve your participation during the first class.

NOTE: if you are member of FiftyForward, center fees are 50% of the non-member fees

2023 Fall MTGMS Class Schedule

Mid-Tennessee Gem & Mineral Society, Inc.

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DONELSON - Fifty Forward Senior Citizens Center

												Call 615-883-8375 to sign up for classes	
Title of Course	Experience Level	1st Class	Day of Week	Start Time	Max No. in Class	No. of Classes	Hours/ Class	Center Fee			Kit Fee	Class Room	Instructor(s)
								Member Fee*	Non-Mem Fee*	Maint Fee			
Tiffany Style Stained Glass	Intermed-Adv	10/2	Mon	12:30 PM	8	4	3	\$20	\$40	\$50		Art Room	Debbie West
Surfite Artisans Workshop	Intermed-Adv	10/2	Mon	1:00 PM	10	6	2	\$10	\$20	\$10	\$15	Lapidary Room	Mickey Rathsam
Tiffany Style Stained Glass	Intermed-Adv	10/2	Mon	5:30 PM	8	4	3	\$20	\$40	\$50		Art Room	Debbie West
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/3	Tue	3:00 PM	10	12	2	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Jim Paris
Silver Jewelry	All	10/4	Wed	1:00 PM	8	4	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Melinda Pate/ Hugh Bennett
Beginners Fold Forming	Beginners	10/4	Wed	5:30 PM	6	4	3	\$20	\$40	\$30		Silver Room	Debbie West
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/4	Wed	6:30 PM	10	12	2	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Bill Painton/ Chrystie Stachura
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/5	Thu	10:00 AM	10	11	2	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Jim Paris/Gary Branscome
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/5	Thu	1:00 PM	10	11	2	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Jim Paris/Allison Hodde
Faceting	All	10/5	Thu	5:30 PM	5	8	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Art Room	Burnell Thibdeaux
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/5	Thu	6:30 PM	10	11	2	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Steve Kanies/ Mark Leftwich
Jewelry Lab	Intermed-Adv	10/6	Fri	9:00 AM	8	4	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Bill Clemens
Stained Glass Workshop	Intermed-Adv	10/6	Fri	11:30 AM	9	6	4	\$20	\$40	\$50		Art Room	Kaye Petersen
Silver Jewelry	All	10/7	Sat	8:00 AM	7	2	6	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Eileen Smiley
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/7	Sat	1:00 PM	10	8	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Linda Main
Metal Smith Lab	Intermed-Adv	10/9	Mon	6:00 PM	8	4	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Jennifer Cantrell
Lapidary/Stone Polishing	All	10/13	Fri	9:00 AM	10	11	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Lapidary Room	Gina Simpson
Recycling Scrap Silver	Intermed-Adv	10/20	Fri	12:30 PM	4	1	4+	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Melinda Pate / Carolyn Stolte
Silver Jewelry	All	10/21	Sat	8:00 AM	7	2	6	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Eileen Smiley
Intermediate Fold Forming	Intermed-Adv	11/1	Wed	5:30 PM	6	4	3	\$20	\$40	\$30		Silver Room	Debbie West
Jewelry Lab	Intermed-Adv	11/3	Fri	9:00 AM	8	4	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Bill Clemens
Chain Maille	All	11/3	Fri	12:30 PM	5	3	3.5	\$15	\$30	\$5	\$30	Silver Room	Rita Heffner
Flame Painting/Embossing	All	11/4	Sat	10:00 AM	5	1	4+	\$15	\$30	\$10	\$30	Silver Room	Rita Heffner/ Allison Hodde
Tiffany Style Stained Glass	Intermed-Adv	11/6	Mon	12:30 PM	8	4	3	\$20	\$40	\$50		Art Room	Debbie West
Tiffany Style Stained Glass	Intermed-Adv	11/6	Mon	5:30 PM	8	4	3	\$20	\$40	\$50		Art Room	Debbie West
Silver Jewelry	All	11/8	Wed	1:00 PM	8	4	3	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Melinda Pate/ Hugh Bennett
Silver Jewelry	All	11/11	Sat	8:00 AM	7	2	6	\$30	\$60	\$30		Silver Room	Eileen Smiley
Resin Ornaments and More	All	12/1	Fri	12:00 PM	9	3	3	\$20	\$40	\$10	\$40	Art Room	Kaye Petersen
Flame Painting/Embossing	All	12/16	Sat	10:00 AM	5	1	4+	\$15	\$30	\$10	\$30	Silver Room	Rita Heffner/ Allison Hodde

SPECIAL EDITION CLASSES

To sign up for the Special Edition Classes send an email to: classes@mtgms.org or call **John Martin 615-210-5385**

Limited Edition Classes require pre-payment in full to MTGMS

Courses Offered 2023 Fall Quarter

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THIS IS A TENTATIVE SCHEDULE

**NOTE: Classes are subject to CHANGE - Any changes will be posted on SIGN UP DAY
SEE BELOW for how to read this schedule.**

CLASS DESCRIPTIONS are available on line at:

www.mtgms.org/schools.htm

Click on the 2023 Fall Class Description link

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NOTE: if you are member of the Fifty Forward Center, class fees are 50% of the non-member fees

Silver Jewelry: There can be additional cost for supplies for this class. It varies by the amount of silver you purchase. On average it would be \$20 and up.

Lapidary: Additional slabs and rocks are available for purchase in class.

Experience Level - BEGINNERS – means no experience necessary

INTERMEDIATE – means you must be have all the basic skills plus a little more

ADVANCED – means your skill level is ahead and you are ready to push yours skills to new levels

ALL means anyone of any level can take the class

NOTE: All Fees are a one time charge for the full length of the class.

Below is an EXAMPLE of the schedule and how to read it.

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Chain Maille	All	1/6	Wed	10:00 AM	8	9	2	\$10	\$20	\$5	\$30	Silver Room	Edna Dougherty

How to read this schedule: Example: Chain Maille- All (all levels of student excepted)

Class starts 01/06, a Wednesday. It starts at 10:00 PM. 8 students are allowed in this class. It is an 9 week class, for 2 hours every Wed, at the same time.

If you are a member of FiftyForward, the class fee is \$10, if you are a non-member class fee is \$20.

There is a \$5 maintenance fee and a required kit fee of \$30, both are payable to the instructor when you show up at the beginning of the class. (cash or check only)

The total cost for a Center member is \$45 (\$10 class fee + \$5 maintenance + \$30 kit fee = \$45)

The total cost for a non-Center member is \$55 (\$20 class fee + \$5 maintenance + \$30 kit fee = \$55)

Note: A Kit is a set of required tools/material provided by the instructor that is needed to participate in the class

Some classes do not have a set "kit" fee. These classes do have a material costs, that cost will depend on how much you wish to spend.

Most of our classes are 6, 8 or 12 weeks in length. (Lapidary is 12, 2 hours classes or 24 hours of instruction) One/two/three day classes are special event classes.

Additional classes may be added to the Schedule during the quarter!!!!

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