



# November 2017 Newsletter



Hello!

Our meeting this past Saturday was fun. Gail Majauckas was the guest speaker and vendor, and she spoke about the Christmas tree and elf patterns she brought with her. They're fun to do and work up fast!



It was decided that there will be two options for next year's Project Challenge – Fairy Tales and Myth & Legends. Let the hooking begin!

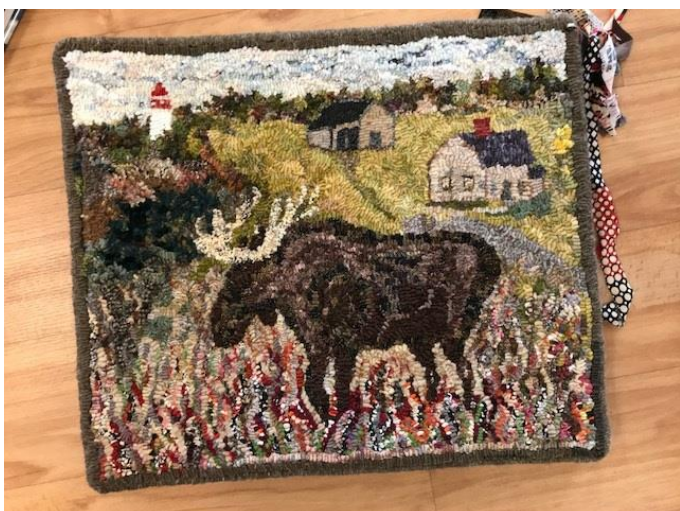
Our next meeting is on December 9<sup>th</sup>, and it is our holiday party. As before, you have the option to bring a homemade gift, a store bought gift, one of each, or none. The gift limit is \$15.

**Reminder:** Since this is the holiday party, we ask that everyone who attends contribute to the refreshments.

## November Show & Tell

Jane Sittnick





Sue Sweetser



## **Mayflower Meetings for 2017-2018:**

### **December 9, 2017**

- Christmas
- Refreshments: Everyone

### **January 20, 2018**

- Guest Speaker: Ania Knapp, Tartan Workshop and how to personalize it, Vendor
- Refreshments: Last Names S-Z

### **February 17, 2018**

- Winter Hook-In
- Refreshments: Last Names A-C

### **March 17, 2018**

- Guest Speaker: Donna Hezlep, "The Gift in Our Hands," a quilt maker's journey through rug hooking
- Refreshments: Last Names D-I

### **April 21, 2018**

- Mayflower's Hookers' Auction
- Refreshments: Last Names J-R

### **May 19, 2018**

- Monthly Meeting
- Refreshments: Last Names S-Z

### **June 16, 2018**

- Strawberry Festival
- Location TBD
- Refreshments: Sign-Up Sheet

## **Project Challenge**

The next Project Challenge will be Fairy Tales and Myths & Legends.

Pieces will be displayed at the October 2018 meeting.

## **External Events:**

International Rug Hooking Day  
December 4, 2017

This is a notice about the International Rug Hooking Day. We doubt any members will be able to attend, but we thought you might be interested in learning about it.

<https://www.facebook.com/events/758718674193258/>

Shelburne Museum Rug Show  
Now through January 18, 2018  
<https://shelburnemuseum.org/exhibition/hooded-patty-yoder/>

## **Ania Creative Designs**

Please get in touch with Ania for additional information on these classes and workshops ([akknap@gmail.com](mailto:akknap@gmail.com); 508-317-1837)

- December 16, 2017 – Personalized Tartan
- January 6, 2018 – Wool Dyeing Workshop
- February 6, 2018 – Open Studio with Ania
- March 10-11, 2018 – Dye and Hook “Iza’s Rug”
- April 28, 2018 – Personalized Tartan
- May 12, 2018 – Open Studio with Ania
- May 24, 2018 – Wool Dyeing Workshop
- June 2, 2018 – Wide Cut Portrait of Raphael’s Angel

If there are any other events that you’d like to have included in the Mayflower Newsletter, please let Sue Sweetser know (contact info below).

## **Meeting Location:**

*St. Agnes Church at 186 Woburn Street, Reading, MA in the upper Parish Hall behind the church.*

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***Note: All chapter members must also belong to ATHA.***

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May your stuffing be tasty.  
May your turkey be plump.  
May your potatoes and gravy  
have nary a lump.  
May your yams be delicious  
and your pies take the prize,  
and may your  
Thanksgiving dinner  
stay off your thighs!



*Happy Thanksgiving*

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