

Wishful Thinking Newsletter

Fall 2018



It's Sweatshirt Season!

This is most definitely our favorite time of year in Brown County, Indiana. We love these cooler, sunny days and crisp evenings, perfect for strolling around the village of Nashville or hiking in Brown County State Park. And, of course, the stunning autumn scenery with beautiful reds, yellows, oranges, greens, and browns! Yeah, now's the time to visit!

There's lots going on at this time of year! Check our class schedule below and call us to reserve a seat. Mark Thursday, October 25th, on your calendars – that's our annual Inky Fingers Halloween Party & Playtime! We're also participating in the annual Chocolate Walk on November 10. We're also having a Sale at the end of December. Read on for all the details!



Sunflower Stem, #K6289, from Hero Arts, measures approximately 2.25" x 4.75"

New Stuff at Wishful Thinking!

Wow. Is our shop stuffed with new goodies or what? Every nook and cranny is jam-packed with awesome scrapbooking, rubber stamping and paper crafting supplies! We are filled to

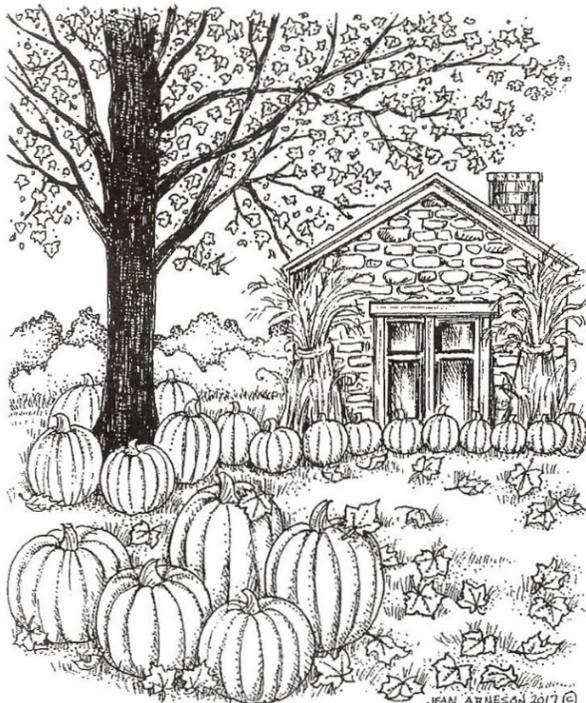
capacity (actually, it's probably more!). Here's a snippet of what you'll find when you stop in:



The Gathering, #E21122, from Impression Obsession, measures approximately 2.25" x 3"

- **Halloween papers, embellishments and stamps** are just getting cuter and cuter! Ok, some may be a bit spooky, but they're still fun! We've got papers from **Reminisce, PhotoPlay, Simple Stories, Authentique** and more! If you're like us, you won't be able to resist.
- And, of course, we've got everything you'll need for those **Autumn and Thanksgiving** cards and pages. Love the **Ella & Viv** and **Carta Bella** papers!
- Can you believe it's time to think about **Christmas!**? No worries, you'll find all the papers (and, boy, are they beautiful!), dies, stamps, embellishments, ribbons, and more right here! My favorite paper collection is **KaiserCraft's** gorgeous **"First Noel"**, which features gold foil accents. You'll find lots of sample cards tucked away on the shelves to help get you inspired. Remember, we're here to help you create some outstanding Christmas cards!

- **Tim Holtz's Alcohol Lift-Ink Pad from Ranger! WOW!** We haven't been this excited about a new product for a long time! You're going to absolutely **love** this brand-spankin' new product. If you're familiar with and enjoy using alcohol inks, you'll want this...seriously! This clear ink is designed to lift color from non-porous surfaces and transfer to porous surfaces. Use this with clear or rubber stamps to remove ink from backgrounds created with alcohol inks.
- The newest Nuvo Drops are called **Nuvo Vintage Drops!** These drops now give you a gorgeous matt effect on your cards and projects; available in 8 stunning colors!



Stone Shed, Fall Tree & Pumpkins, #P10298, from Northwoods, measures approximately 3.5" x 4.5"

- We love dies and we love **Sizzix!** You'll have to add Jen Long's new **Christmas Fold-A-Long Die Sets** to your collection. The Angel card is too cute! We're sure you'll love the Poinsettia and Snowflake ones just as much...and so will your recipients! Check out our large selection of metal dies and embossing folders!

Wishful Thinking Monthly Card Classes! We're gathering at the shop on the *2nd Tuesday of the month* for card making! Join us from 1:30 to 3:30 to learn new techniques, create beautiful cards, and meet other stamping enthusiasts. You're going to have fun and take two cards home with you! Please call in advance to reserve your seat, 812-988-7009.



Monster Mash (clear set) #CL886, from Impression Obsession. Spider Web measures approximately 1.5" x 1.25"

Our Annual Halloween Party, **Thursday, Oct. 25 (5:30pm– 9:00)!**

Once again, we welcome all costumed characters to an evening of camaraderie, shopping, crafting and spooky fun! Come dressed in your favorite Halloween costume (*ok, the costume is optional, but it really is more fun to dress up!*) Not only will it be fun and silly, but it'll also be worth making the effort for the chance to win the **Best Halloween Costume.** The winner will receive a **\$50 gift certificate to Wishful Thinking!** Also, if you have the guts to **attend in full costume, you will receive 30% off all Halloween and fall items!**

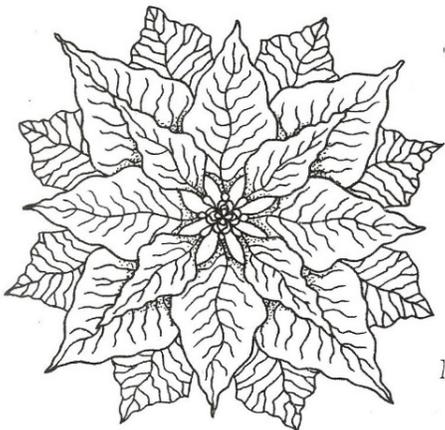
This is a FREE event and all are welcome! However, **please call ahead to let us know if you're coming** - 812-988-7009.

11th Annual Chocolate Walk, Sat. November 10, sponsored by the Brown County Humane Society. All the money raised on this day will go to benefit the over 1,400 homeless pets that the animal shelter cares for each year. Visit the Humane Society's website at www.bchumane.org for ticket information.

This will be our 9th year participating! So, grab your tickets from the Humane Society and you, too, can walk around Nashville getting your fill of delicious chocolates! It's like trick or treating without the costume! Hint, hint ... we've got a coupon in the Chocolate Walk brochure!

Small Business Saturday,

November 24! If you're going to celebrate small businesses, Nashville is the place to be! We'll have a free make 'n take, plus some very special sales and freebies! More details to come...



Persnickety Poinsettia Medallion, #1560S-N, from Holly Berry House, measures approximately 3.5" x 3.5" Holly Berry Stamps are perfect for creating 3D art pieces. Come to our class in November & learn how!

12 DAYS OF CHRISTMAS SALE!

December 13 - 24

We appreciate all of you for your support and friendship, so we're going to treat you to a 12 Days of Christmas Sale from December 13 – 24! Watch your emails, our website and our Facebook page; we'll have more details as we get closer to the date! The first day of the sale is also our Inky Fingers Annual Christmas Party and Playtime (Dec 13, from 5:30pm – 9:00)!

Artist Trading Card Swap! Join us in our next swap! No need to register, simply drop off or send us 6 of your Artist Trading Cards by the 15th of the month and get 5 different cards in return, plus a free gift to thank you for your participation! Our upcoming themes are:

- **October: Ghosts & Goblins.** Halloween is full of cute and creepy ghosts & goblins!
- **November: Turkey.** What else do we Americans think about (besides Football) on Thanksgiving?
- **December: Jingle Bells.** One of the joyful sounds at Christmas-time!
- **January: Let's Go Skiing!** Although big ski resorts in Indiana are not the norm, let's see some ATCs with a skiing theme (water skiing is acceptable!).

You'll find more information about Artist Trading Cards and how to participate on our website. Our swap is FREE and it's FUN! You'll also find samples of previous swaps on our website!

Annual Used Stamp & Craft Sale in July was a Huge Success!

Thanks to everyone who participated in our Annual Used Stamp Sale; this was our biggest one yet! More than once we had shoppers ask us if an item was truly priced that low! Remember, it's never too early to start packing up your gently used and no-longer wanted craft supplies for next year's sale.



Manger Cherubim, #M338, from Stampendous measures approximately 3.25" x 2.25"

Are you on our E-Mail List? Visit our website to register (click on "Mailing List") or register in the shop. This way you won't miss out on anything! A new feature on our website's homepage is a link to our most current e-mail.

Store Hours: With the exception of our Holiday Hours listed below, we are open Sunday through Thursday from 10:00am to 5:00pm, and Friday and Saturday from 10:00am to 6:00pm. Our Holiday Hours are:

- Nov 22: CLOSED
- Nov 23: OPEN 10:00am – 6:00pm
- Dec 24: OPEN 10:00am – 3:00pm
- Dec 25, 26: CLOSED
- Dec 31: CLOSED for Inventory
- Jan 1: CLOSED
- Jan 2-4: CLOSED for Inventory
- Jan 5: OPEN 10:00am – 6:00pm

Please note, if Bartholomew County cancels school due to inclement weather, we will also be closed! As a reminder, we will be closed on Tuesdays and Wednesdays in January and February.



Flourishing Tree, #40-639, from Penny Black, measures approximately 4" x 5.5"

Like Us on Facebook! Visit our Facebook page and you'll find more than just announcements about upcoming events. You'll find information about new products and posts about some of our fun classes. You'll also see some of the many sample cards we have scattered all over the shop! We've been slowly adding them to our Facebook page just for you! Check out the Photo Albums (we're sorting them by theme). So, check us out at Wishful Thinking – Scrapbooking & Rubber Art Stamps, Nashville, IN!

And while you're there, please take a few seconds to share your experiences at Wishful Thinking. Positive reviews from awesome customers like you help others feel confident about shopping at Wishful Thinking. We will be forever grateful. Thank you in advance for helping us out!

As a bonus to you, for the months of October, November and December, you can receive 15% off any of the stamped images seen in this newsletter (*while supplies last*). If you are unable to visit us, we'll happily mail them to you. Call 812-988-7009 or email us at wishful.thinking@att.net.

A Peek into January / February:

Mark your calendars for more fun in 2019:

- Since we will be closed on Tuesdays in January & February, our Wishful Thinking Monthly Card Classes will be held the 2nd Monday of those months (same time 1:30pm – 3:30).
- **Saturday, Feb 2:** Punxsutawney Phil will once again determine what goes on sale that day. We'll keep you posted!
- Our **Annual Crafting Retreat** will be held at the **Brown County Inn this winter!** We haven't confirmed the date yet, but as soon as we do, we'll let you know!

Visit our Website and click on FAQs to learn about our:

- **Frequent Buyer Card**
- **Birthday Discount**
- **ATC Card Swap**
- **Inky Fingers Craft Night**
- **Private Classes & Parties**

Our Class Schedule is Below! You're always welcome to join us for a class! You'll find many class samples on our website, as well as printable calendar pages to post on your refrigerator. Remember: all class participants will receive a 10% discount off all purchases made at the time of their class! (applies to on-site classes only). Here's the fine print:

Note: *Prepaid class registration with cash, check or credit card is necessary. Please call at least 24 hours ahead to reserve your spot. Full refund of class fee will be made only if Wishful Thinking is notified 48 hours prior to class (refunds will be in the form of store credit). Wishful Thinking reserves the right to cancel or reschedule class (with full refund) if less than 3 students sign up. No refund for missed classes. Send your check to the store address below or call 812-988-7009 with your credit card number. In case of inclement weather, please call the store to see if class is still being held.*

CLASS SCHEDULE

Wishful Thinking Monthly Card Class	<u>Tues, Oct 9</u> 1:30pm – 3:30	Join us for our monthly card class – everyone is welcome! Learn a new technique or quick tip as you create two fall themed cards. Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$10
Fabulous Fall Cards	<u>Tues, Oct 16</u> 1:30pm – 3:30 <u>Sun, Oct 28</u> 1:30pm – 3:30	We love this season in Brown County! In this class you'll make beautiful fall and Thanksgiving themed cards using different techniques, stamps, embellishments, scrapbook papers, metal dies, stencils and more! Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$15
Halloween Cards	<u>Thurs, Oct 18</u> 4:00pm – 6:00 <u>Wed, Oct 24</u> 1:30pm – 3:30	We love Halloween and all the papers and stamps that go with it! In this class you'll create some creepy and not-so-creepy cards with ghosts, goblins, witches and pumpkins! All class participants will receive a treat bag! Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$15
Stamping 101	<u>Sun, Oct 21</u> 1:30pm – 3:30	Let us introduce you to the world of stamping! In this beginner's class you'll make two cards and learn the basics of stamping and heat embossing. All materials are provided. Cost: \$10
Beginning Scrapbooking	<u>Tues, Oct 23</u> 6:00pm – 8:00	In this class, you'll be introduced to the basic scrapbooking tools, learn about layouts and how to choose papers for your photographs. Please bring 8-10 related photographs. Cost: \$10
Inky Fingers Annual Halloween Party and Playtime	<u>Thurs, Oct 25</u> 5:30pm – 9:00	Once again, we welcome all costumed characters to an evening of camaraderie, shopping, crafting and spooky fun! If you wish, come dressed in your favorite Halloween costume - it'll be worth making the effort for the chance to win the <u>Best Halloween Costume</u> . The winner will receive a <u>\$50 gift certificate!</u> Also, if you have the guts to <u>attend in full costume, you will receive 30% off all Halloween and Fall items!</u> Bubbling spirits (to drink) and tantalizing treats will fill the tables. This is a FREE gathering; just call ahead so we know how many trick or treat bags to put together!
Holly Berry 3D Medallion	<u>Sat, Nov 3</u> 10:30am – 12:30 <u>Thurs, Nov 15</u> 1:30pm – 3:30	We love these 3D medallions from Holly Berry! Although they look so-o-o complicated, these are really quite easy to make. You'll be all a-glitter by the end of class, and so will your card! Please bring your Basic Toolbox; make sure you have detail cutting scissors. Cost: \$29 (includes your choice of a medallion stamp)
Christmas Cards #1 <i>Featuring Penny Black!</i>	<u>Wed, Nov 7</u> 1:30pm – 3:30 <u>Fri, Nov 9</u> 10:30am – 12:30	Get ready for the holidays! We're offering THREE DIFFERENT Christmas Card classes, #1, #2 and #3! In each class you'll make beautiful Christmas cards and tags using different techniques, embellishments, stamps and papers. Your recipients will love them! Whether a beginner or more advanced crafter, you'll enjoy all three of these classes! In this class, we will be making 3 cards from Penny Black's newest Christmas board! Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$18
Wishful Thinking Monthly Card Class	<u>Tues, Nov 13</u> 1:30pm – 3:30	Join us for our monthly card class – everyone is welcome! Learn a new technique or quick tip as you create two Thanksgiving themed cards. Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$10

Christmas Cards #2	Sat, Nov 25 1:30pm – 3:30 Fri, Nov 30 1:30pm – 3:30	Get ready for the holidays! We're offering THREE DIFFERENT Christmas Card classes, #1, #2 and #3! In each class you'll make beautiful Christmas cards and tags using different techniques, embellishments, stamps and papers. Your recipients will love them! Whether a beginner or more advanced crafter, you'll enjoy all three of these classes! Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$15
Beginning Scrapbooking	Tues, Nov 27 6:00pm – 8:00	In this class, you'll be introduced to the basic scrapbooking tools, learn about layouts and how to choose papers for your photographs. Please bring 8-10 related photographs. Cost: \$10
Stamping 101	Wed, Nov 28 10:30am – 12:30	Let us introduce you to the world of stamping! In this beginner's class you'll make two cards and learn the basics of stamping and heat embossing. All materials are provided. Cost: \$10
Christmas Cards #3	Sat, Dec 1 10:30am – 12:30 Fri, Dec 7 1:30pm – 3:30	Get ready for the holidays! We're offering THREE DIFFERENT Christmas Card classes, #1, #2 and #3! In each class you'll make beautiful Christmas cards and tags using different techniques, embellishments, stamps and papers. Your recipients will love them! Whether a beginner or more advanced crafter, you'll enjoy all three of these classes! Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$15
Wishful Thinking Monthly Card Class	Tues, Dec 11 1:30pm – 3:30	Join us for our monthly card class – everyone is welcome! Learn a new technique or quick tip as you create two Christmas themed card. Please bring your Basic Toolbox. Cost: \$10
Inky Fingers Annual Christmas Party and Playtime	Thurs, Dec 13 5:30pm – 9:00	It's time for our annual Christmas Party! <i>Everyone is invited</i> to stop in this evening for a make 'n take, refreshments and surprises, as well as the chance to meet fellow stamping and scrapping enthusiasts. Today will also be the kick-off for our 12 Days of Christmas Sale! This is a FREE event; we just ask that you call to let us know you're coming so we know how many chairs to put out! 812-988-7009
Stamping 101	Sat, Dec 15 10:30am – 12:30	Let us introduce you to the world of stamping! In this beginner's class you'll make two cards and learn the basics of stamping and heat embossing. All materials are provided. Cost: \$10

Your Basic Toolbox should include the following:

- Detail cutting, non-stick scissors
- Personal Cutter (ie, Fiskars 12" trimmer)
- 12" (or longer) metal edged ruler
- Pencil
- Bone Folder
- Tweezers
- Heat Gun
- Cutting Mat (6"x6" or 6"x8")
- Assorted Paint Brushes
- Scor Tape
- Adhesive Tape Runner

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