



March 2018 Newsletter

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The Big Move

By the time you read this, our shop at Basepoint will be approaching its end, and our move will be getting underway. Our last day at Basepoint is Wednesday 28th February and we will re-open again on Tuesday 6th March in our new premises in The Beresford Centre.

Our new address will be:

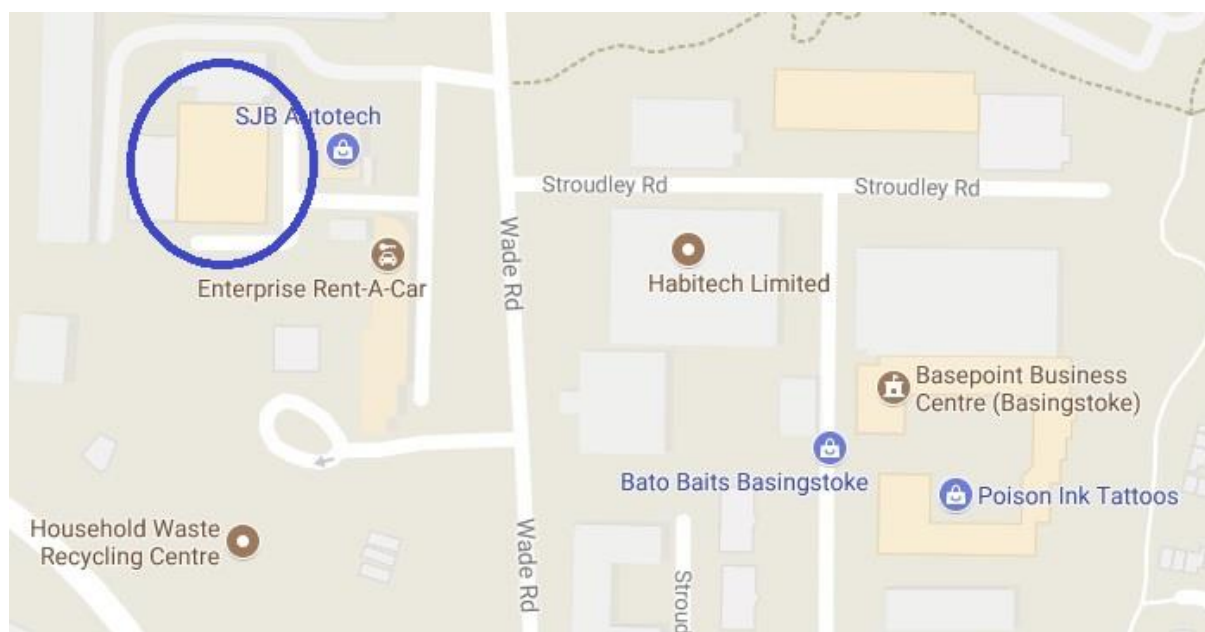
Unit 7

The Beresford Centre

Wade Road

Basingstoke

RG24 8FA



We will be operating on our mobile telephone number until our landline is installed, which should be very soon.

We are still trying to figure out the disabled access. If you have a wheelchair or mobility scooter and need access to a ramp, there is access around the back of the building. Please give us a call before your visit, and we can ensure that the roller shutter to the ramp is open. There are two disabled parking spaces in the rear carpark, close to the ramp. We will endeavour to put signage up pointing the way to our unit as well.

Please keep monitoring our Facebook page as that is where we will post updates of the move.

Please also note that some of our April classes do not have full samples to show due to time constraints.

Bead and Banter

This is a friendly group meeting on the last Wednesday of every month, commencing at normal shop closing, where you can bring your work along, bead and chat to like-minded enthusiasts. Tea or coffee is provided, and occasionally the odd cake or biscuit. There is a £2 fee for the evening.

The dates for the next Bead and Banters are:

Wednesday 28th March **6-9pm** (At No. 7, The Beresford Centre)

Wednesday 25th April **6-9pm**

Saturday morning classes

We are leaving Saturday mornings free (except on full day courses) should anyone want to come in and give one of our beginner techniques a try (including Peyote Stitch, Brick stitch, St. Petersburg stitch, Chevron chain, Macramé and more). These classes would take place at 10.30-12.30pm at a cost of £12 plus beads.

If you would like to give something a try then call us and we can sort out a Saturday morning to suit you. Please leave a contact number with Sue, Holly, or Jackie when booking classes.

Please can I also remind you that we are very good at multitasking so if there is a class you wish to attend, but your dates don't match with ours, it is always worth calling to see if we have vacancies on a day that you can manage. Also look out for our Bring out your Dead days where you can bring along unfinished projects or projects where you may be a little stuck and need a bit of help.

Table space availability

If you wish to come and bead at the table, please see our chart below for available times.

	<u>Tuesday</u>	<u>Wednesday</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>Friday</u>	<u>Saturday</u>
10am	10am-1pm	10am-6pm	10.30am-11.30am	10.30am-11.30am	10.30am-12.30pm
11am	Free morning	Free all day	Farnborough Day Service	Community Link	Morning classes
12pm			12pm-6pm		
1pm	1.30-2.30pm		A predominantly free afternoon but we reserve the right to use this time for extra classes if needed	1.30pm-5.30pm	1pm-5pm
2pm	Community Link			Afternoon classes	Afternoon classes
3pm	3pm-6pm				
4pm	Free afternoon				
5pm					
6pm			6.30pm-9pm		
7pm			Evening classes		

Classes

Friday 9th March – Missed Project Afternoon

1.30pm £15

Any workshop that you may have missed due to illness over the winter, come on in and do it today! Helen is very good at multi-tasking!

Saturday 10th March - Cali Herringbone Bangle

From a design by Renata Patek Robinson, taught by Helen

1.00pm £15

Class requirements:

- Approx. 150 Cali beads
- Approx. 350 3mm beads
- Size 15^o seed beads
- Clasp if you want to make this into a bracelet
- Nymo or similar beading thread



Friday 16th March - Red Sky Tassel

Designed by Helena Chmelíková. Taught by Helen.

1.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Candy beads
- Size 11^o seed beads
- Size 8^o seed beads
- 1 Eyepin, Clasp and chain.
- A selection of small beads for a tassel
- Nymo or similar beading thread



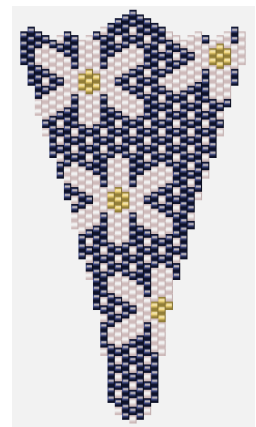
Saturday 17th March - Design your own Scissor case

10.30 - 4.30pm £20

This piece is worked in brick stitch. For those of you unsure about a 'design your own' class, Holly has designed some already that you are welcome to choose from! We can also supply blank pattern sheets for those who would like to design their scissor case in advance.

Class requirements:

- Delicas in several colours
- Nymo or similar beading thread and a beading needle



Friday 23rd March – Trilogy Necklace

Designed by Holly, taught by Helen

1.30pm-4.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Size 11^o seed beads
- 6mm round beads
- 3mm bicone crystals
- Superduos or twin hole beads
- Clasp
- Nymo or similar beading thread and a beading needle



Saturday 24th March - Crochet with beads

Taught by Helen

10.30am-4.30pm £20

Learn to make a beautiful beaded rope.

Class requirements:

- S-Lon beading thread
- Size 8^o seed beads
- Clasp

Saturday 31st March - Henrietta the Easter Chick

Designed and taught by Holly

10.30am-4.30pm £20

Class requirements:

- Delicas beads:
 - Yellow
 - Orange
 - Light Cream
 - Black
 - White
 - Light Brown
- Nymo or similar beading thread
- Beading needle
- Wadding for stuffing



Thursday 5th April - Illusion necklace

Designed and taught by Sue

1.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Beads in various sizes from 4mm-8mm
- Tiger tail
- Crimpable ends
- Clasp

Friday 6th April – Waterwheel Bracelet

Designed and taught by Sue

1.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Gem or Diamonduos
- Pellet beads
- 4mm Fire-polished crystals
- Size 11^o seed beads
- Nymo or similar beading thread
- Clasp



Saturday 7th April – Archways Bracelet

Designed by Phyllis Dintenfass, taught by Jackie

1pm £15

Class requirements:

- 2 colours of MiniDuos
- Size 11^o seed beads
- Size 15^o seed beads
- 3mm beads
- Nymo or similar beading thread
- Clasp



Thursday 12th April -Bring out your dead!

1.30pm £2

The perfect opportunity to come in and finish off projects and ask for help where needed.

Friday 13th April - Insignia bracelet/bangle

Designed by Nichole Starman, taught by Holly

1.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Gem or Diamonduos
- Czechmate Diamonds/Bars
- 2mm round beads
- Size 11^o seed beads
- Clasp
- Nymo or similar beading thread

Saturday 14th April - Embroidered Hedgehog Brooch

Designed and taught by Emma Brinton

10.30am-4.30pm £20

Class requirements:

- Bits and pieces will be available to buy from Emma on the day
- You will also need a selection of seed beads, bugles, and small crystals for the embellishment
- Nymo or similar beading thread
- Brooch back



Friday 20th April - Plated peanuts Bracelet/necklace

Designed by Cynthia Newcomer Daniel, taught by Helen

1.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Peanut or berry beads in three colours
- Nymo or similar beading thread
- Clasp

Saturday 21st April - Geometric Triangle necklace

Designed by Holly, taught by Helen

1pm £15

Class requirements:

- 1 colour of Delica bead
- 1 colour of size 11^o seed beads
- 1 colour of size 15^o seed beads
- 1 colour of size 8^o seed beads
- Nymo or similar beading thread
- Clasp



Friday 27th April - African Helix Bracelet/necklace

Taught by Helen

1.30pm £15

Class requirements:

- Size 11^o seed beads in two colours
- Clasp
- Nymo or similar beading thread



Saturday 28th April - Star Drops Decoration

Designed by Holly, taught by Helen.

1pm £15

Class requirements:

- Delicas in two colours
- Nymo or similar beading thread

Class deposits are £10 for every class booked. If for any reason you have to cancel, *please* notify us within 7 days of the class date so that we may transfer your deposit to a future class, or refund it. Failure to do so will result in the forfeit of your deposit.

Please note all classes are subject to change should we have insufficient uptake, these changes will be published on our [Facebook](#) page.