

Jan Maier
Pittsburgh, PA



The seminar leader for the retreat is Jan Maier from Pittsburgh, PA. Jan has owned embroidery machines since the 90's and has been sewing her entire life. She has worked in graphic design and the sewing industry for many years and has taught sewing, embroidery and embroidery software classes for machine dealers who sell various brands of machines. She is a long time garment sewer, costume designer, and quilter who has added machine embroidery to all types of creative endeavors over the years. She is a retired human resource administrator with degrees in theater arts and business. Jan is a certified Martha Pullen and Jenny Haskins instructor. She is also a proud cottage owner at Mahaffey Camp.

Mahaffey Camp and Conference Center is located on Route 219 between Mahaffey and Grampian. When entering the campground, registrants should turn right after passing through the main gate. The retreat will be held in the Dining Hall, which is the large cream building with a green roof that is immediately to your left.

Address for GPS:
1559 Mahaffey Grampian Highway
Mahaffey, PA 15757

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"A Christian Center for Spiritual Growth"
P O Box 277
Mahaffey, PA 15757
Email: office@mahaffeycamp.com
Extra brochures can be obtained at our website:

Machine Embroidery Retreat **Wednesday - Saturday** **March 20 - 23, 2024**

Wednesday, March 20

11:00 am - Registration Opens for Retreat
Bring a sack lunch - beverages provided
Open sew / embroidery (work on your own)
5:30 pm - Dinner
6:00 pm - Open sew / embroidery (work on your own)

Thursday, March 21

8:00 am - Early Morning Sew
8:00 - 10:00 am - Continental Breakfast
10:00 am - Project/Demo
Noon - Lunch
2:00 pm - Project/Demo
5:00 pm - Dinner
6:00 pm - Project/Demo

Friday, March 22

8:00 am - Early Morning Sew
8:00- 10:00 am - Continental Breakfast
10:00 am - Project/Demo
Noon - Lunch
2:00 pm - Project/Demo
5:00 pm - Dinner
6:00 pm - Project/Demo

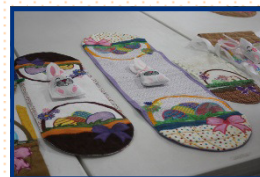
Saturday, March 23

8:00 am - Early Morning Sew
8:00- 10:00 am - Continental Breakfast
10:00 am - Project/Demo
Noon - Lunch
3:00 pm - Retreat Concludes

For additional retreat information
please contact: Nancy Depp

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The Machine Embroidery Retreat at Mahaffey is a great retreat offered for owners of



computerized embroidery machines. This retreat will give you the opportunity to do embroidery projects with your own embroidery equipment and learn your machine's capabilities while you make a variety of projects, and have fun too. You will be using your own supplies for most projects and will be sent a materials list after your registration fee is received. Project designs and most supply costs are included in the price of the retreat and those designs and materials will be provided for you when you arrive.

The cost of the retreat also includes meals and demos. You will have your own 8 foot table for work space. The building where we will embroider is secure 24 hours a day, so your equipment will be safe at all times. Each attendee has their own work table. Meals are served in a separate area of the same building.

Registration is limited so don't delay.



What to Bring To The Retreat

Bring your embroidery machine, hoops, and a variety of embroidery threads. Bring your stabilizers, including cutaway, tearaway, water soluble and any types that you have purchased and forgotten how to use. **Please also bring an instruction manual for your machine.**

If you load designs into your embroidery machine through a memory card, please bring the card, the box and the computer with your embroidery software to load your designs. If you load through a USB stick, please bring a stick for the designs we will use at the retreat.

Bring a small lamp for detail work, a surge protector power strip—specific for electronic use and a minimum 14 gauge heavy duty extension cord at least 25 ft or longer for your machine. Limited shared irons and ironing boards are available, as are large layout tables.

Some of the projects will require a sewing machine for assembly after the embroidery is complete, so if your machine is embroidery only, please also bring a machine that will sew. You may also want to sew on a different project while your embroidery machine is running.

A complete outline of projects and a supply list will be available prior to the retreat and sent to each registrant in a confirmation letter that will be emailed 10 days before the retreat.

Accommodations for those participating in the retreat will be available in Dorm 5. This renovated facility is located nearby the Dining Hall. Please bring bedding for a single bed, toiletries, towels and a fan. Rooming is double occupancy. Single rooms are available upon request at an additional charge per night.

Sorry no refunds once registration is received; however, you may transfer your registration to a friend in the event of a cancellation.

Machine Embroidery Retreat Registration Form Wednesday - Saturday March 20-23, 2024

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

(Required for Confirmation)

Model and Make of Embroidery Machine

Largest hoop size that you own for your machine

4 Day Retreat - \$310.00

with lodging, including meals, free demos, embroidery designs and some materials

Roommate _____

4 Day Retreat - \$270.00

including meals, free demos, embroidery designs and some materials with *no accommodations*

(Staying in own cottage or commuting. If staying in RV overnight rates apply.)

Early registration is encouraged. A \$100 deposit is required by February 25 to secure your spot. After February 25, the deposit is \$110.00 and the cost of the retreat increases \$10.

Single rooms are available for a cost of \$20. additional per night. Single room requested _____

*****Please enclose a note with registration if you require a first floor room. Availability subject to date received.**

Check enclosed in the amount of: _____

Registration with a deposit of \$100 is due by February 25. After February 25, the deposit is \$110. Balance is due at check in on March 20.

Make checks payable to Mahaffey Camp
Payment must accompany registration.

Mail to: Mahaffey Camp
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Mahaffey, PA 15757-0277
Attention: Retreat Registration