

JAN MAIER

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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.

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Machine Embroidery Retreat

Thursday -Saturday March 27-29

Thursday, March 27

11:00 am - Registration Opens for Retreat at Dining Hall

Bring a sack lunch - beverages provided
Open sew/embroidery [work on your own]

5:30 pm - Dinner

6:30 pm - Project Demo

Friday, March 28

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 29

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



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THURSDAY - SATURDAY

MARCH 27-29, 2025



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The Machine Embroidery Retreat at Mahaffey Camp 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.

Project designs and some 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 includes meals and demos. You will have your own 8 foot table for work space. The dining hall is a secure location so your equipment will be safe at all times.



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 and make sure it is in good working order.**

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.

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

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

Sorry no refunds once registration is received and cashed; however, you may transfer your registration to a friend in the event of a cancellation. Refund available if event is cancelled due to lack of registration.

Machine Embroidery Retreat Registration Form

Thursday - Saturday March 27-29, 2025
In order to have this event, we must receive 10 registrations. If 10 registrations are not received, the event will be cancelled with a full refund.

Name _____

Address _____

City _____

State _____ Zip Code _____

Telephone _____

Email _____

****Model and Make of Embroidery Machine**

****Largest hoop size that you own for your machine**

[**Required for Confirmation]

3 Day Retreat - \$285.00

includes lodging, meals, free demos, embroidery designs and some materials

Roommate _____

3 Day Retreat - \$245.00

includes meals, free demos, embroidery designs and some materials with no accommodations. Staying in own cottage or commuting. If staying in RV overnight rates apply.

Single room requested

Single rooms are available for a cost of **\$24.00** additional per night. Please enclose a note with registration if you require a first floor room. Availability subject to date received.

Early registration is encouraged. A \$100 deposit is required by February 24 to secure your spot. After February 24, the deposit is \$110.00. Balance of payment is due at retreat check in.

Check enclosed in the amount of: _____

Make checks payable to Mahaffey Camp
 Payment must accompany registration.

Mail to: Mahaffey Camp
 PO Box 277
 Mahaffey, PA 15757

Attention: Retreat Registration