

Newsletter



Dallas Bead Society
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For the love of beads...

Next Meeting:

March 6, 2021, 10:30 am

Via Zoom – watch your email

Or contact the President for link

Meeting link opens at 10:15

The Point at CCYoung

4847 W Lawther Dr, Dallas, TX 75214

2021 Monthly DBS Evens

Saturday Mar 6, 10:30am via Zoom	Monthly Meeting – Ox Box (aka “Putting a Lid on 2020” box) instruction walkthrough – Cindy Vaughn
Saturday, March 20, 7:00pm via Zoom	Evening Bead/Pajama Party (Working on Ox Box optional)
Saturday Apr 3, 10:30am via Zoom	Monthly Meeting – Working with Starter Strips – Teresa Salas
Saturday, April 17, 7:00pm Via Zoom	Evening Bead/Pajama Party
Saturday May 1, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting – Ox Box Wrap-up (questions, bead-a-long) – Cindy Vaughn
Saturday May 15, 7:00pm	Evening Bead/Pajama Party
Saturday June 5, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - tba
Saturday May 15, 7:00pm	Evening Bead/Pajama Party
Saturday July 3, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - tba
Saturday Aug 7, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - tba
Saturday Sep 4, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - tba
Saturday Oct 2, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - tba
Saturday Nov 6, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - tba
Saturday Dec 4, 10:30am	Monthly Meeting - Holiday Party



Teresa Salas

Ida Williams

Belated wishes to these
from January & February

Alicia McAlister (Jan)

Joyce Standige (Feb)

Spring Can't Be Far Away, Can It?

Top o the morning to you!

As if 2020 wasn't a bad enough year (that STILL isn't really over), along comes February 2021. How **IS** everyone doing? I know that most of us are OK now, but Valentine's week was one for the record books and I, for one, would be just as happy to never have another week like that again, and there really were no significant problems in my household. But for my friends...

But the temperature is creeping up and we're not quite out of the woods in so far as being able to go out and meet up with all of our friends. In the meantime, we, DBS, are gearing up with a number of project options and always happy to see the projects you've found on your own. How about sharing them on our Facebook page?

Speaking of people who suffered pretty much the worst of what any of us had in mid-February, Cindy Vaughn has still managed to work at putting together directions for her "Ox Box", initially dubbed "Putting a Lid on 2020". The supply list appears on the next page, and we'll be walking through the steps to bead this awesome creation of Cindy's. If anyone's interested, we can work on this during our Saturday evening stitch this month.

Maybe we can find some pots of beads at the ends of our rainbows!

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Sue Cathcart

President

Ox Box (aka “Putting a Lid on 2020”) by Cindy Vaughn

Technique: Tubular Peyote – box; Circular Peyote- box bottom and lid

Level: Advanced Beginner/Intermediate

To be learned/strengthened:

- Starting tubular peyote
- Box formation
- Attaching beaded pieces

2021 in the Chinese calendar is the “Year of the Ox”, so this box was created as a receptacle to tuck away our reminders of 2020, the “Year of the Rat”, toilet paper and all! There are three colorways offered, but you are always welcome to choose your own color combinations:

Pink and Gold	Teal and Copper	2021 Pantone Colors
		

The ox head attached to this box comes from a pattern available for download and is truly necessary to make this box. It is \$2 and a link for it appears in the supply chart below. The box may be made with mementos of 2020 dangling from it

Supplies:

Chart Letter	Where Used	Pink Colorway	Teal Colorway	New 2021 Pantone Colors	Quantity
A	Box body ACCENT COLOR	DB42	DB612	DB306	10 – 11 grams
B	Box MAIN COLOR	DB247	DB79	DB160	19 – 20 grams
C	FLOWERS; “2021”	DB149	DB74	DB149	2 – 3 grams
D	FLOWER CENTERS	DB1521	DB1521	DB161	40 beads
E	OX BODY and 3D HEAD	DB351	DB351	DB351	5 grams
F	OX body ACCENT COLOR	DB630	DB630	DB630	100 beads
G	LEAVES around flowers and neck garland	DB786	DB786	DB786	80 beads
H	OX EYES, NOSE, and HOOVES	DB10	DB10	DB10	30 beads
I	2 nd FLOWER and GARLAND around neck	DB1347	DB757	DB1347	140 beads
Ox Head Embellishment					
	3D OX HEAD HORNS	DB65	DB65	DB65	100 beads
	NOSE RINGS	Open Jump Rings – gold	Open Jump Rings – copper	Open Jump Rings – gunmetal	2
Dangles/Charms Inside Box Lid					
Toilet Paper Roll					
	TP ROLL CORE	DB65			45 beads
	TOILET PAPER	DB200			1 ½ grams
	TP HANGER	2 – 3” eye pin	OR 20 guage wire		
2020 Tag					
	“2020”	DB149			45 beads
	BACKGROUND	DB247			100 beads
Additional Items for Lid Charms					
	Open jump ring				1 per charm
	Closed jump ring				1 per charm
	Fine chain to hang charms				4”
PURCHASED PORTIONS					
	REQUIRED (bead quantities included above)	From	Link	Price	
	Ox Head	Patterns by Bread Crumbs!	Beading PATTERN Brick Stitch Ox, Chinese Lunar New Year Animal Charm, PDF Digital Download (beadcrumbshawaii.com)	\$2.00	
“RAT” OPTIONS – since 2020 was the Year of the Rat (bead quantities NOT included above)					
	Flat mouse (with cat)	Patterns by Bread Crumbs!	Cat and Mouse Brick Stitch Bead Pattern, DIY Beading Craft, PDF Digital Download (beadcrumbshawaii.com)	\$1.75	
	Devil Mouse Earrings	ThreadABead	Devil Mouse Earring Bead Pattern By ThreadABead	\$3.00	
	3D Mouse w/ cheese	BeadingWithSmile (Etsy)	Beadwork mouse and cheese figurine bead weave tutorial how to Etsy	\$8.00	

BEADING EVENT CALENDAR

Date(s) / Time	Event	Location / Notes
April 22 – 25	Virtual 2021 Coastal Maine Bead Retreat, week 1	Zoom Virtual Coastal Maine 2021 socialbeadia
April 29 – May 2	Virtual 2021 Coastal Maine Bead Retreat, week 2	Zoom Virtual Coastal Maine 2021 socialbeadia
June 24 – 27	Heart of Texas Bead Retreat	Grapevine, TX, but subject to going Zoom Summer 2021 Workshops - Heart of Texas Bead Retreat

** Help us grow this calendar!*

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Other Info to Share

Know any of the following? Please let us know so that we can also share with our membership!

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- *Accomplishments, awards, etc. of members*
 - *Class sources*
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