

**Yes, the Crafts Center's SPRING 2012 brochure is out and online!!!** Escape the cold and dreary days of winter and experience the challenge of craft by taking one of our great classes. The Crafts Center really is the perfect place to warm your spirit, make new friends, and have fun putting new skills to work. Take a moment to browse our spring brochure and plan ahead, as classes surely will fill quickly!

Speaking of classes, the Crafts Center is now offering calligraphy, digital photography, and even a workshop aimed at making you a more successful artist. For jewelry studio users and class participants alike, Sissy Marshall will be available on six different evenings to give that little extra help needed to complete project work.

Make sure to join us for special presentations by renowned jeweler Jayne Redman and a special surprise guest at this year's Lie-Nielson Tool Event. And presented by the Triangle Potter's Guild, join us for an evening with noted potter Ben Owen.

Act soon as **NC State students have priority in registration starting November 28 through December 11.** Come as you are, or grab a friend and sign up for a class together. Give yourselves a little quality "we" time sharing in the fun of learning a new craft. Whether taken for pleasure or in support of personal artistic aspirations, our classes are healthy in providing a 'warm' respite from the demands of academic life.

If you are not an NC State student, keep in mind that **registration for everyone else begins on Monday, December 12.**

**How to Register.** A copy of the brochure has been emailed to you and classes are now listed on our website [www.ncsu.edu/crafts](http://www.ncsu.edu/crafts). The website includes printable copies of the registration form. You can mail in your registration or drop it in our "drop box" located in the gray door to the right of the main entrance. Remember, fees must be paid by cash or check only; we cannot accept credit cards.

**Studio Passes.** Those who've previously held passes can renew for spring semester while registering for classes. Simply fill out the appropriate information on the registration form. For others who have not previously had studio access, passes can be obtained following a brief orientation after we reopen in January.

**Planning your Studio Time.** Before leaving home, work or class, go online to see if your studio space is available. The schedule of all Crafts Center classes and events can be found on a Google calendar linked from our calendar page.

A special thanks goes out to the many participants, donors, and volunteers who will make this semester a huge success.

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