

# The Country Seat Courier

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Don't miss out on these great stocking stuffers. Put everyone in the Holiday spirit with our December Sale patterns!



**PLEASE NOTE:**

Due to rising costs, prices have been increasing on products without notice. We can not always absorb these increases. Please watch the newsletters & on-line catalog for product price changes.

## December Specials

Sale ends noon EST, Thurs, Dec 31st  
*These are the same top quality products we always sell, we never bring in a lesser grade for sales!*

**KIT SALE:**

**Jadvick Quill Basket Kit**

~~SALE \$4.76 each~~  
 3-1/2" diameter x 5-1/2" H  
 Round wall basket woven in flat reed with a handle wrapped with flat reed.  
 Also called a Match Basket



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x 1-1/8" W  
 Dovetailed style – Steam bent pieces of wood w/jointed ends, attached to separate bottom piece,



dovetailed corners are glued & secured with a tiny nail. (regularly \$7.74 each)

**WIRE SALE:**

~~SALE \$2.02 each~~  
 (regularly \$2.89 each)

**#97 Carousel Horse**  
 7" wide x 8" high



**PATTERN SALE:**

~~SALE \$2.40 each~~  
 (regularly \$3.00 each)

**Christmas Candle Pattern**

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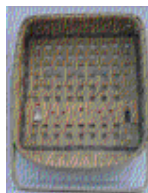
**Christmas Card Plaid Basket**

Pattern by Seibert  
 11-1/2" x 9-1/2" x 5-1/2" (not including optional heavy duty bushel basket handle with 5 - 6" spread)  
 natural & dyed flat reed plaid design. 4 pages



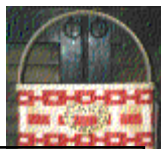
**Towel Bar Basket Pattern**

by Rains  
 10" x 10" Sq. x 2" deep, flat reed with dyed round reed twinned accent & 2" accent strip woven inside of a 10" x 14" rectangle hoop. Hangs with handle extension down to hold towels. 3 pages



**Towel Bar w/Pegs & Slotted Heart Basket Pattern**

by Wagner  
 1-1/8" x 10" x 6-1/2" H (14" including handle), natural & dyed flat & flat



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**8" Towel Basket Pattern**

by K. Smith  
 1-1/8" x 8" x 3-3/4" H (not including handle)  
 natural & dyed flat & flat oval with 2" ash accent strip woven on an 8" towel bar D handle. 2 pages



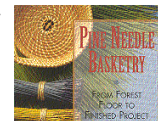
*Quantities may be limited on some items. No additional discounts Limited to stock on hand - No back orders*

**BOOK SALE:**

~~SALE \$13.27 each~~  
 (regularly \$18.95 each)

**Pine Needle Basketry**

By Judy Mallow 112 pgs. HARDCOVER - Step-by-step instructions along



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**TOOL SALE:**

~~SALE \$2.75 each~~  
 (regularly \$3.50 each)

**5-1/4" Heavy Duty Awl**

2" plastic handled awl with 3-1/2" pointed metal tip. Heavy shank is ideal for round reed or willow work.



~ Still on Sale ~

Last chance to get these great items for the holidays! Great gifts ideas.

**BOOK SALE:**

~ SALE \$12.57 each  
 (regularly \$17.95 each)

**Country Baskets Techniques & Projects**

by Romanelli  
 First published in Italy, this translation includes 160 color pages full of a variety of weaving ideas, techniques



~ SALE \$19.57 each  
 (regularly \$27.95 each)

**Making the New Baskets**

Alternative Materials - Traditional Techniques by LaFerla HARDCOVER



**BASKET SOAP SALE:**

~ SALE \$2.77 each  
 (regularly \$3.95 each)  
 The design doesn't wash off!



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## CLASSES

See the Classes Page on-line for complete info & registration.

**Saturday,  
December 5th  
- Marbling  
Workshop  
\$35**



Explore the ancient art of marbling (floating paints on the surface of a liquid). We will float light-fast acrylic textile paints on a methycelulouse solution. Use rakes or bamboo skewers to create patterns.

You will have your choice of different basket weaving materials such as various widths of veneer cut maple strips or marble on silk scarves and paper. The possibilities are endless!

**Saturday, January 9th ~ V-Twill  
\$35**

Fun & easy twill woven on a 6" square slotted oak base. Rim is lashed with 4-ply waxed linen



**Saturday, February 6th ~  
Random Weave  
\$35**

Learn to loosen up with Random Weave. Weave a structured or very freeform basket.



Random weave begins with a frame & then the weavers are looped & woven back & forth in a random manner (Think of a bird's nest). The resulting basket can



have a very open weave or be very tightly woven with almost no spaces remaining. We will be using materials such as: red osier dogwood, willow, round & flat reed. Your choice of working on a gourd or making a basket. Please specify basket or gourd when registering for class.

## OPEN WEAVE DATES

December 11<sup>th</sup>      January 22<sup>nd</sup>  
February 12<sup>th</sup>      March 5<sup>th</sup>

Open Weave runs between 11 & 3.

Bring your questions or that pattern you just can't figure out. We'll do our best to get you on the right track

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## NEW PATTERNS

by Anne Bowers

### Anne's Picnic Basket - \$4.00

Two sizes:

**Large:** 21" L  
x 11-3/4" W  
- uses TWO  
12" x 16"



Round-top

Swing "D" handles. **Medium:** 17" L x 9-3/4" W - uses TWO 10" x 14" Round-top Swing "D" handles. Both woven w/flat reed & round reed. 2 pages

### Butternut Squash - \$4.00

Woven on a 6" x 13"

Oriole frame -many colors of dyed flat, flat oval & round reed as well as #000 & #0 seagrass, narrow medium cane & accents such as philodendron sheaths, yarn, etc. 4 pages



### Cabbage Kale Kohlrabi - \$5.00

Woven on TWO

10" x 10" Square hoop- many colors of dyed flat, flat oval & round reed as well as narrow medium cane & accents such as yarn, etc. 5 pages



### Japanese Top Knot - \$4.00

4" x 4" square natural & dyed flat & round reed with natural cane & dyed reed wrapped handle. Uses TWO 4" square hoops. 3 pages



### One More Tine - \$4.00

Woven on a small antler, uses small amounts of dyed flat oval & round reed as well as #000 - #1 seagrass & accents such as twine, yarn, etc. 3 pages



## SPRING CLASSES

Vladimir Yarish is tentatively scheduled for the week of March 22 - 27<sup>th</sup>, 2010. Mark your calendars - don't miss a chance to learn Russian diagonally plaited & double woven birch bark. More information will be posted as soon as it is available.



2009 Special Hours  
& Vacation Dates

- ◆ Closing at NOON December 24th
- ◆ CLOSED December 25th & 26th
- ◆ Closing at NOON December 31st
- ◆ CLOSED January 1st & 2nd
- ◆ CLOSED Feb 20th - 27th

## DISCOUNTS

- 30% discount on mixed size orders of 100 pounds or more. Ordering 100 pounds or more of natural Flat Reed would drop the price to: \$4.87 per coil (also available for Flat Oval or Round Reed). This new discount will not show when ordering via the on-line catalog, but will be adjusted during invoicing. Great for Guilds & teachers! Check out the new discounted price for **Weavers Stain. Now get a mixed color case (6 cans) for \$39.00.** A case of 6 of the same color is still \$36.00.

## E-MAIL LISTS

We recovered almost all of our information after our server died in July, but we were NOT able to recover our e-mails lists. We are starting from scratch. If you would like to receive the monthly Specials e-mail, please send us an e-mail with your full name, to:

[newsletter@countryseat.com](mailto:newsletter@countryseat.com).

If you would like to receive notification of upcoming classes, please send us an e-mail, with your full name, to:

[classes@countryseat.com](mailto:classes@countryseat.com).

If you go to the home page of our website, you can click on the e-mails.

## FACE BOOK PAGE

Yep, The Country Seat is on Face Book. If you want to become a fan of our page, just search on Country Seat and you'll find us.

## NEW OAK BASE

10" X 14" Oblong Slotted Oval  
\$12.25 each, \$132.36 dozen



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