

2023 VF Spring Braid Conference Schedule

	March 30	March 31	April 1	April 2
	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
8 am		Breakfast, Welcome, & Announcements	Breakfast	Breakfast
Morning Session: 9 am to 11:45 am		Flip Flop Rug with Cathy Winship & Asst. Pam Rowan, Pt. 1; <i>Basic</i> Butted Hexagon with Bobbi Mahler & Asst. Christine Manges, Pt. 1; <i>Intermediate</i> Kitty Cat Rug with Deb Weinhold, Pt. 1, <i>Basic</i> Beginner Braided Oval with Mary Hibbard, Pt. 1, <i>Basic</i>	Flip Flop Rug with Cathy Winship & Asst. Pam Rowan, Pt. 2; <i>Basic</i> Butted Hexagon with Bobbi Mahler & Asst. Christine Manges, Pt. 2; <i>Intermediate</i> Kitty Cat Rug with Deb Weinhold, Pt. 2, <i>Basic</i> Beginner Braided Oval with Mary Hibbard, Pt. 2, <i>Basic</i>	Braid & Butt the Double-Double Border with Cathy Winship and Asst. Pam Rowan, <i>Basic</i> Multistrand Heart Border with Christine Manges and Asst. Peggyann Watts, Pt. 1, <i>Advanced</i> Beginner Braided Oval with Mary Hibbard, Pt. 3, <i>Basic</i>
11:45 am			Group Photo	
12 Noon		Lunch	Lunch	Lunch
PM 1 Session: 1 pm to 3 pm	Braiders begin to arrive after 1 pm	Basic Techniques Review – (shoe-lacing, e-lacing, tapering, butting, lacing corners, etc.) (No need to register for this informal session)	Proddy Sunflower w Mary Bird, Pt. 1, <i>Non-Braiding</i> Continuous Braided Heart with Christine Manges and Asst Pam Rowan, Pt. 2, <i>Intermediate</i> After Hooking/Punching/Felting ...Comes the Braiding with Kris McDermet, Pt 1, <i>Intermediate</i>	Multistrand Heart Border with Christine Manges and Assistant Peggyann Watts, Pt. 2, <i>Advanced</i> After Hooking/Punching/Felting ...Comes the Braiding with Kris McDermet, Pt. 2, <i>Intermediate</i>
PM 2 Session: 3 pm to 5 pm	Braiders arriving	Continuous Braided Heart with Christine Manges and Asst Pam Rowan, Pt. 1, <i>Intermediate</i> 2-Braid Tote with Mystery Braid Leather Handles with Peggyann Watts, Pt. 1, <i>Basic</i>	Proddy Sunflower with Mary Bird, Pt. 2, <i>Non-Braiding</i> 2-Braid Tote with Mystery Braid Leather Handles with Peggyann Watts, Pt. 2, <i>Basic</i> Quillies with Jenn Kiarsis, <i>Non-Braiding</i>	Troubleshooting problems and finishing up projects 5pm: Farewell!
6 pm	Dinner	Dinner	Dinner	
Evening Programs start 7 pm	Demo: Loom-Braided Square with Pam Rowan	Teacher Training: Setting Up Zoom – for online classes or committees Demo: Strip Rug Finishing Technique with Jenn Kiarsis Tea-Cup Auction	Teacher Training: Equipment & Set-Up for teaching online Rug Challenge: Braided Bugs! Show & Tell	Option to stay over Sunday night – no dinner provided