

SWAP MEET



Date: Saturday, April 13th
 Time: 1:00pm - 6:30pm
 Location: Pratt Annex (one block away from the main Pratt facility on the corner of Jackson and 20th South)

The **Swap Meet** is coming! The **Swap Meet** is coming! This is an exciting event! You never know what you'll find. Bring in that shop equipment you don't use anymore. Bring in those stones you've been contemplating for 10 years. It may not be working for you, but it may be perfect for someone else, and they may have something perfect for you! Participation is open and free to SMG members as well as invited professionals.

Please call Patty Cokus at (206) 860-2072 if you are a professional vendor wishing to be included.

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WORKSHOPS

Graver Tricks: A Two-Day Workshop With Joan Tenenbaum

Date: Sat & Sun, March 23 & 24, 2002
 Time: 10am-4pm
 Location: Pratt Fine Arts Center
 Cost: \$115.00
 Deadline: February 18, 2002

FREE Lecture: Friday, March 22, at 6:30pm
 Location: UW, Gowan Hall, Room 201

Everyone reads in jewelry books how useful gravers are, for making grooves, trimming around stones, raising stitches to hold pieces in place while soldering, even setting stones. But gravers as they come from jewelry supply companies are completely useless! All of us may not be committed to spending the next ten years mastering the art of engraving, but most of us would like to have at least one useable graver and know how to use it.

This two-day workshop will teach students how to make a graver: how to shorten, customize, attach a handle and sharpen gravers and will also teach the beginning steps of how to use them.

Demos will include engraving, using gravers in stone-setting, pave and star setting, raising stitches, and other tricks useful in soldering, setting and clean-up.



Joan took her first jewelry class in high school. Much of her jewelry study was on the side while she was getting her academic credentials. She received her Bachelor of Arts degree from The University of Michigan and her Ph.D. in Linguistics and Anthropology from Columbia University. After her doctoral studies, Joan moved to Alaska to live with Athabaskan Indians and then Yup'ik and

Iñupiaq Eskimos. Now along with precious metal and gemstones, she uses fossil ivory, fur, feathers and other materials unusual in jewelry to pay homage to some of the last remaining hunting societies, which she feels have been kept alive by their deep connection with the Arctic land and animals that support them.

Joan lives now in Washington state on the Olympic Peninsula. She shows in galleries nationwide, and locally at Stonington Gallery and Goldman's Jewelers.

For more information contact Sarah Hennessey at (360) 943-6529 or Hometwist@earthlink.net

We need to borrow your bench grinders!!

We will need to borrow extra bench grinders for Joan Tenenbaum's workshop at Pratt March 23 & 24, 2002. Please give Sarah Hennessey a call if you can help out.

