



OCTOBER NEWSLETTER

Greetings

Happy Fall Y-all!

Halloween is just around the corner. I hope you have those cameras ready for those, "oh so cute," costumes!

And don't forget to take a few of the fall colors, they make beautiful pictures and layouts.

I am looking forward to the semi-annual scrapbook retreat in Aledo! We have two new people coming with us and I hope they enjoy it as much as I do.

Registration is not open for the November All Day Scrap-N-Stamp Extravaganza. This event fills up quickly, so register ASAP. See below for more information.

And if your looking for more scrapbooking time, the SCRAP Guild of Northern Illinois is having their annual All Day Autumn Crop on October 17th, see below for more information.

Happy Creating!

Bridgette

October 2009

Upcoming Events

| <u>October</u> | |
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| 9th | Midnight Crop |
| 17th | Scrap Guild All Day Crop |
| 23rd-25th | Slammer Retreat, Aledo, IL |

| <u>November</u> | |
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| 21st | All Day Scrap-N-Stamp Extravaganza |

October Birthdays

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| 2nd | Cheryl Figgins |
| 4th | Jennifer Slusser |
| 29th | Cathy Lay |
| 30th | Jenny Schenck |

Fundraiser Winner

I would like to congratulate Catherin Finn for winning a fabulous Fall Scrapbook Kit and a FREE \$10.00 Crop for donating to Histio Heroes.

Please contact me so I can drop off your prize!

October Midnight Crop Schedule



Do you need time to scrapbook without your child picking up your pretty scissors or unrolling all your adhesive? Do you just want to get out and have some fun?

Sign up now for an upcoming crop! Seats are still available.

Friday, October 9th, 6pm to Midnight

Cost: \$10* includes dinner, beverages, use of my tools, prizes and a lot of fun!

Contact Bridgette at 815-758-0979 or bridgette_scraps@comcast.net to reserve your spot today.

*see registration policy

All Day Scrap-N-Stamp Extravaganza—November 21st—Register Now!

I know many of you have been waiting patiently for our next All Day Extravaganza, well wait no longer! Join us for a full day of scrapbooking and stamping fun, November 21st, 10AM—10PM.

The cost is \$35.00* per person. Includes lunch, dinner, snacks, beverages, 4ft of scrap-booking space, use of my tools, prizes and fun!

Registration is now open at [Creative Escape Meetup.com](http://CreativeEscapeMeetup.com). Our Extravaganza's fill up quickly, so sign-up now to reserve your seat. And if you can't get in right away, get on the waiting list, a seat may open up or I may open more seats.

The new registration policy will be in effect (see above).

***Register by 11/14/09 to received \$5 off your registration.**

Scrap Guild All Day Crop—October 17th

The SCRAP Guild of Northern Illinois is having their annual All Day Crop at the Sycamore Library, Saturday, October 17th, from 9am to 4pm. The cost is free to members and only \$5.00 to non-members. Only a few spots remain.

Please contact me if you would like to attend.

Registration Policy

All registration fees must be paid within 48 hours after you register for an event.

Registration fees can be made via Cash, Check (payable to Bridgette Anderson), or [Pay-Pal](https://www.paypal.com): bridgette_scraps@comcast.net.

If you send me your payment through the mail, please contact me so I can look for it.

Events are refundable up to 48 hours in the form of store credit. No refunds on cancellations with less than 48 hours notice.

Private group events can be arranged for parties of 6 to 12 people.

Meetup.com

Are you a member of Meetup.com? If not, please check it out. Meetup.com is an event finder and is free for you to use. I post all my events on Meetup.com. This is how I keep track of who is coming to an event and how many spots are still available.

Benefits to being a member of my Meetup Group:

1. You will be among the first to know when upcoming events are scheduled.
2. You can register for events right on the website.
3. You can pay for the event using PayPal on the website.
4. The website is FREE.

Check it out at: [Creative Escape Meetup.com](http://CreativeEscapeMeetup.com).

Did You Know!

You can easily sign up for a crop on-line at: [Creative Escape Meetup.com](http://CreativeEscapeMeetup.com)

You will also receive up to the minute details on upcoming crops, reminders of any crops in the near future and the ability to post comments about the crops you attend. Check it out!

To remove your name from our mailing list, please send me an e-mail.

Questions or comments? E-mail us at bridgette_scraps@comcast.net or call 815-758-0979