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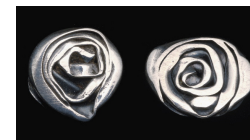
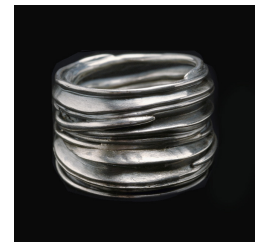
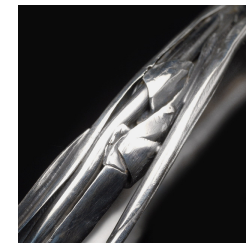
*Wendy Thurlow is an award winning jeweler / metalsmith who studied and perfected her craft in Philadelphia, at the University of the Arts. After graduating with a BFA in Metals, she continued her studies by taking on intense internships with well-known jewelers. Since then Wendy has been producing her own, one of a kind & limited edition jewelry. Her work is influenced by details and less noticeable aspects of nature such as: vines, fossils, rotting wood, bones, and patterns within rocks. Wendy has exhibited at numerous galleries in New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Boston, Florida, Martha's Vineyard, Oregon and California. She was recently awarded first place publication in the book: "Best of Artists & Artisans Book Series", by Kennedy Promotions. Her work is dynamic and always evolving into beautiful objects to wear and treasure for life. In addition to her studio work Wendy instructs various levels of jewelry-making classes at Art Center Manatee, Knot Awl Beads and privately in her home studio.  
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**Knot Awl Beads** proudly offers  
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classes offered at an introductory price  
of \$100.00 per class not including  
supplies.

### April - August 2009 Schedule

#### **Bangle Bracelets and Rings**

*Saturday, April 18, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Beginner / Intermediate*

In this fun filled workshop students will learn the basics of silver soldering with wire. We will create different surface texture on each bracelet and ring. Students will go home with a set of jewelry.

#### **Stone Setting**

*Saturday, May 2, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Beginner*

*\*\*\*No prior experience needed.*

Love cabochon stones? Then this class is for you! Learn the basics of silver jewelry design. Students will create a one of a kind pendant with a cabochon stone in this one-day class. You will be introduced to sawing, filing and bezel making.

#### **Hollow Forming with the Hydraulic Press**

*Saturday, May 16, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Beginner / Intermediate*

Learn to form with the Hydraulic press. Make unusual shapes for a pair of earrings and a pendant. We will cover forming, sawing filing and silver soldering.

#### **Guided Independent Study**

*Saturday, June 6, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Intermediate/Advance*

Are you stuck with an unfinished project or don't know the right way to start? In this class students determine their own project. Individual instruction will help each student reach his or her creative goal. Silver soldering experience required.

#### **Box Beads**

*Saturday, June 27, 2009*

*This is a fun project to learn the basics of silver soldering. We will create unique surface texture then construct a hollow bead or pendant out of sterling silver.*

#### **Solder, Solder, Solder!!!**

*Saturday, July 11, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Intermediate/Advance*

This class is for those who have basic silver soldering skills, with the need and want to enhance level of proficiency. Different fluxes will be introduced, different ways to set up and a variety of ways to solder and when to use them.

#### **Hoop and dangle earrings in a day!**

*Saturday, Aug 1, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Beginner*

In this class we will work with wire and silver sheet to make two different styles of earrings. Basic forging, texture, and silver soldering will be introduced.

#### **Jump Ring Charm Bracelet**

*Saturday, Aug 15, 2009*

*10:00 - 4:00 Beginner / Intermediate*

Learn to make, cut, texture and solder you own jump rings. Students will make their own clasp and a few charms to hang from the bracelet. This class will cover the basics of silver solder, sawing and forming.

#### *Payment & Cancellation Policy*

*-50% deposit is required for all classes to hold your spot. If you cancel 2 weeks prior to your class date(s) your money will be refunded. If you cancel within 2 weeks of the start of your class you will lose your deposit. Classes must be paid in full by the day of class.*



-For more of a one on one experience with **Wendy Thurlow** only four students per class.

-**Knot Awl Beads** provides each student with soldering benches, torches and most necessary tools.

-All supplies and materials are available at **Knot Awl Beads**.

-On the day of the class students receive **10% off** coupon. *\*\*\*Excludes Sterling Silver, con-signors work, books/magazines & classes.*

-Studio safety will be introduced at the beginning of each class.

-Soldering station rentals are available please inquire within.

Please see our complete "Class List" for all the classes offered at Knot Awl Beads including Jewelry Photography Classes.