

Embroider a Baseball

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10am-2pm
with Elaine O'Hanlon

What? Embroider on a baseball? Yes, it can be done! Come learn, as Elaine shows you how.

In this class you will learn how to disassemble a baseball, machine embroider a name or small design on the panel(s) and hand stitch the ball back together.

You must have an embroidery machine that will stitch at least a 4" x 8" design.



Supplies Needed

- One synthetic leather baseball. If you would like, you can purchase a ball from Elaine for \$3.00. Do not get a real leather baseball, as these are harder to stitch back together. No softballs, please, as these are much bigger than a baseball.
- Two curved upholstery needles ✓
- One skein embroidery floss in the color of your choice, or 6-10 yards of #10 crochet cotton in the color of your choice
- Embroidery thread in the color(s) of your choice ✓
- Pre-wound bobbin for embroidery ✓
- USB drive to load your embroidery file to your embroidery machine. (See note below) ✓
- Embroidery machine in good working condition, with embroidery module, power cord, embroidery foot ✓
- Leather 90/14 or Microtex 80/12 needle ✓
- Embroidery hoop large enough for at least a 4"x8" design ✓
- Tearaway stabilizer large enough for two hoopings of your embroidery hoop ✓
- Push pins
- Pliers (optional)
- Seam ripper ✓
- Thread Magic thread conditioner ✓

Note: If you do not have embroidery lettering and/or digitizing software, use the attached template to write down what you would like on each of the panels of your embroidery ball. If you have an embroidery design you would like to include, please bring that design on your USB drive. I will create your embroidery file for you during class. If you do have lettering and/or digitizing software and would like to digitize your own embroidery file, send an email to Elaine at dublinsewing@comcast.net and she will email you an embroidery file of the ball template. You will use that file to create your embroidery design. You WILL need to include that template in your design as a placement line.

✓ Denotes items available for purchase at Dublin Sewing Center. These items should always be purchased at Dublin Sewing Center to ensure that you have the correct product and to ensure that we can continue to teach these Classes at a low price. Please remember, though, that we only carry a few of each item at a time so it is best to purchase your items prior to the class (in person or by phone).