

Chesapeake Region Lace Guild

Where lacemaking lives on



Happy Holidays to Each and Everyone!
With the dawning of 2018, the CRLG Board wishes everyone peace and goodwill. As you reflect on 2017, may you have many pleasant memories to treasure. As you look ahead to 2018, may you have many happy hours making lace!

SPRING LACE DAY and OUR 40th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Mark your calendars! Saturday, April 28, 2018 will be our Chapter's 40th Anniversary Celebration and our Spring Lace Day. Plans are underway for a catered lunch, a vendor on site, and possibly some delightful surprises. More details will be available after the first of the year.



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CRLG Members at IOLI Convention 2017

The Chesapeake Region Lace Guild was well represented at the annual IOLI Convention this past summer. Lace makers from across the country gathered in Philadelphia for learning, visiting, and celebrating the art of making lace.

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CRLG Members Share the Love of Lace



Linda Kay Benning demonstrating Bobbin Lace with a "try me" pillow at the Textile Museum at George Washington University earlier this fall. CRLG members demonstrate many times and places during a year helping to keep the art of hand-made lace alive and vibrant.



In observance of 100 years since the start of World War I, the Renwick Gallery in Washington D.C. hosted an evening of traditional crafts. Karen H. Thompson (pictured above) organized several lace-makers to demonstrate bobbin lace, needle lace, and tatting.

2017 also saw the publication of Karen H. Thompson's book, "The Lace Samples from Ipswich, Massachusetts, 1789-1790: History, Patterns, and Working Diagrams for 22 Lace Samples Preserved at the Library of Congress."

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Remember to mark your calendar for April 28, 2018 for the CRLG 40th Anniversary Celebration

Don't forget your annual membership dues!

