

Hello Stitchers,

Registration is now open for the West Coast Stitching Weekend 2024!! The dates are May 3 - 5, 2024 so save these dates in your calendar. The stitching weekend will again be held at the Hilton Sacramento Arden Way. WCS for 2024 will be in the Folsom Room and the maximum number of attendees is 75. The registration fees are \$360.

Please remember I do not host this event to make money. The fees charged are to cover the various expenses in hosting the stitching weekend.

Listed below is an outline of what is included in the registration fees. I am still working on additional activities and will send out updates once I have confirmation for all activities.

- Friday 8:00 am - 10:00 am Check in and receive Welcome Packet
- Stitching room open 8:00 am - 10:30 pm daily (except 2-hrs on Friday for dinner break)
- Breakfast and lunch all 3 days
- Banquet dinner Saturday night
- Stitchers Showcase on Saturday night
- Optional 3-hour class on Friday: cross stitch or needlepoint (additional fees) - additional information will be sent out at a later date
- Vendors on Saturday
- Lots of fun making new stitching friends

Attached to this email announcement is the WCS Registration Form for 2024. You may scan and email the completed Registration form or mail the form to me along with the registration fees to:

Kate Matthews - 4415 Hydra Way, Elk Grove, CA 95758  
Phone 916-718-8605  
Email address: [wcstitchers@yahoo.com](mailto:wcstitchers@yahoo.com)

For 2024 PayPal is an additional option to pay the registration fees. Be sure to select "friends and families" so no fees are charged to use PayPal. Attendees are responsible for any PayPal fees.

I have negotiated a discounted hotel room rate at the Hilton Arden Way of \$139/night plus taxes. There are a total of 105 room nights in the WCS Group Block. If the 105 room nights have been met and there are more attendees that want to stay at the hotel, I cannot guarantee I can get you the discounted room rate, but I will try. If the Group Block is full, please contact me. The additional hotel room nights will be on a case-by-case basis. I highly suggest you make your hotel reservations as soon as possible.

You need to make your own hotel reservations and pay the room fees to the Hilton. You are not required to stay at the hotel, but in order for WCS to receive the discounted room rate I am required to guarantee reservations for 90 room nights (not individual reservations). If we do not meet the goal of 90 room nights, I will personally be required to pay for the balance of unreserved rooms.

Please remember you are responsible for your own hotel room fees. Hotel Reservations for 2024 can be made by using either option A or B:

A) You can call the hotel direct at: 916-922-4700 ext #1 and the Group Code is: 975

B) Click on the following link: <https://tinyurl.com/3ft3f8fw>

If you have any additional questions regarding WCS 2024 you can email or call me anytime. Please note the email address for WCS: [wcstitchers@yahoo.com](mailto:wcstitchers@yahoo.com).

Regards,  
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PS: Sometimes the budget is tight, it is ok to make multiple payments for the deposit and balance due fees. Just give me a heads-up on your payment plans. Kate