

Los Angeles Basketry Guild and Misti Washington Gourd & Basket Guild  
Proudly Present Marsha Orr Special Classes

October 18 & 19, 2025

Two 1-day workshops; 8-hour Sat; 9-hour Sunday (includes lunch break)

*Marsha Orr made her first basket in 1987, and she has been hooked on basketry ever since. After 17 years of teaching at CSU, Fullerton, Marsha began teaching basketry through Fullerton Parks and Recreation's Community classes. She taught there for three years before retiring to Menifee. She says, "I find joy in teaching and practicing this ancient art and seeing the look of discovery and satisfaction as my students create their own basketry art." She has been regularly teaching at the Fallbrook School of the Arts, the San Diego Craft Collective, as well as her home studio.*

REGISTRATION NOW OPEN! Classes are for all levels of basketry experience. Price covers class fee, teacher expenses and materials, most of which are hand-prepared by the teacher.

Teacher will provide materials, basins, spray bottles, measuring tapes, pencils and some tools to share. **Tools to bring:** sturdy scissors and a towel. Students who have standard basketry tools, are encouraged to bring them.

Make check payable to MWGBG. When mailing your check, include a note with your name, email address, phone number, and class choice(s) and mail to: MWGBG, c/o Willie Ziegler, 1120 Pepper Drive, Spc. 159, El Cajon, CA, 92021. Email Willie Ziegler ([wznvrhpn@aol.com](mailto:wznvrhpn@aol.com)) and let her know you've mailed a check, what classes you want to register for and if you have any questions. Exact location of classes will be shared after registration is confirmed. Registration Deadline: October 15, 2025. \$25.00 fee for cancellations before October 12 and no refunds after October 12, 2025.



**SATURDAY, 10/18:**  
**All My Xs Tote - \$60**

Students will create a lovely basket and learn a variety of techniques. These include: making a filled woven base with chicken feet, over-under interrupted, triple twining, and attaching a 7" wooden notched handle, lashed on rim, using dyed cane embellishment.

Materials are superior quality natural reed, and the dyed material is color retaining. Students will choose accent and the Xs color during class.

Project Size: 10 x 7 x 9", 7" notched handle.  
Max 12 students.

Two Classes in San Diego Area  
(El Cajon, CA 92021)  
Saturday October 18: 9:00am - 5:00pm  
Sunday, October 19: 9:00am - 6:00pm



**SUNDAY, 10/19:**  
**Bushel Basket with Leather Handles - \$75**

Students will create a beautiful basket on a 10" wooden slotted base. Techniques taught include twining, over-under interrupted weave, making Cherokee wheel embellishments, lashing on a rim and attaching leather handles.

After registering, students will be asked to choose forest green or navy blue for the main basket accent color. Students will choose embellishment color during class.

Project Size: 11" base x 10" high  
Max 12 students