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Thursday, Friday, May 17 and 18, 2018

Jennifer returns to us from western Massachusetts. She is of Narragansett & Pequot Ancestry, and an independent student of American Indian history and culture.



She incorporates many aspects of Northeast Woodland Life-Ways in her daily life. Jennifer is a re-enactor portraying an Algonkian woman of the 1750 era; a singer; a historical story teller, and a fancy shawl dancer. Jennifer's work goal is to dispel old stereotypes and increase awareness of present day Native Americans.

Trees used in these exquisite baskets are often shading a garden. Since they are going to be taken down, they are debarked in spring before felling. After being debarked, the wood is used for lumber or firewood. All baskets are made from a single piece of bark, folded to create the desired shape. The bark is sewn with spruce root and rimmed with Arrowwood or Red Osier Dogwood. All of the materials are self-harvested in the Northern Berkshire Mountains of Massachusetts.

She will discuss the harvesting of bark as she teaches the techniques of hand stitching with spruce root and then rimmed with Arrowwood or Dogwood.



Medium ash Mokuk
 9" x 5" x 6"
 \$85



Ash Bark Purse
 10" x 10" x 5"
 \$75



Ash Bark Bucket
 10" x 12" x 5"
 \$85

Let her teach you a few techniques of Native American basketry and also learn more about the respectful way to harvest bark.

Payment is due immediately. Make checks payable to **Jennifer Lee** and mail to Jean Reed, Murray Hill Weaving, 685 Murray Hill Road, Hill, NH 03243

Email Jean at MurrayHillWeaving@gmail.com or call 978-621-9872 or 603-744-9737 with questions. Visit Jennifer at www.barkbasketsbyjlee.com

A brown bag lunch is recommended. Wear work clothes and plan to get your hands dirty. Aprons and hats are recommended.

Due to the high cost of materials, extensive hours of preparation, and travel expense, we appreciate that every effort is made to attend class and be on time.

REGISTRATION FORM FOR JENNIFER LEE - 2018

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

PHONE(s) _____

EMAIL _____

_____ Register me the Thursday, May 17

_____ Register me for Friday, May 18

Indicate choice:

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