

Castellated Bezel Set Cabochon Ring

“As Bad as You Wanta Be”

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Name of class: Castellated Bezel Set Cabochon Ring

Skill Level: Beginner/Intermediate

Prerequisites: None

Type of workshop: Metalsmithing

Description: In this class I'll teach you how to use Jim Brandvik's fabulous tools to create uniform castellated bezels. You'll learn the secrets of making thick bezels that are uniform and consistent every time! Take the guess work out of the process and get consistent great results using these innovative and precision tools. De-mystify silver soldering and stone setting. This class will boost your confidence in using a torch and creating beautiful rings you can be proud of.

Length: All Day

Students will learn: Silver soldering, how to make a thick castellated bezel, bezel setting using a prong pusher, how to pick cabochons, sweat soldering, and finishing.

Project will be completed in class.

Kit Contents:

1 - 22 gauge sterling silver sheet ½" x 6"

6" 18 gauge Fine Silver bezel wire

22 gauge sterling silver sheet 2" x 2"

Kit Price: \$70

Student must bring:

Cabochon (Instructor will have some for sale at time of class)

Bench Block

Rawhide mallet

Files

Scribe (awl)

Straight edge

Jeweler's saw w/#2/0 blades

Sharpie

Bench Pin

Ring mandrel

Stamps

Ring Finger Gauge (sizer)

Burnisher (bezel pusher)

Solder set-up

Liver of Sulfur Gel

