



THE JAPAN-AMERICA SOCIETY OF WASHINGTON DC

Edo Tsumami Kanzashi Monthly Workshop

Beginner 4: Celebrate New Year with Shou-Chiku-Bai ~ Pine&Bamboo Brooches&Two Level Plum Blossom Keychain~



Wed, January 30, 2013 6:00PM to 9:15PM

JASW Office

\$70 for JASW Members

\$80 for Non-members

Prerequisite: Beginner 1, 2, 3

New Students can start from Beginner 1

Please RSVP by Friday, January 28th at 3PM.

Space is limited. Please register online at

<http://www.jaswdc.org>



Learn how to make Edo Tsumami Kanzashi from the only authentic Edo Tsumami Kanzashi artisan in the U.S.!

Kanzashi is an ornamental hairpin and its history goes back as far as 3000 years. Among many types of Kanzashi, Edo Tsumami Kanzashi was developed during the Edo period when the technique of Hana-kanzashi worn by apprentice Geisha in Kyoto was brought over to Edo (Tokyo of today). It is a designated traditional handicraft in Tokyo and Chiba prefecture today. It is a disappearing art due to decreased Kimono- wearing population. However, it is becoming very popular among non-Japanese incorporating it into Western attire, such as Katy Perry wearing it at the MTV Music Awards ceremony.

In this workshop, you will make a set of Shou-Chiku-Bai; Pine&Bamboo Brooches and Two level Plum Blossom Keychain as shown above (picture-left), improve more on "altered round pinching", "Hashikiri (cutting off the bottom) sword pinching" and learn the challenging "two level plum blossom". The class fee includes all materials. You can separately purchase the "home practice kit of four Plum Blossom Bobby pin set" for \$20. Please make the payment when you sign up for the workshop. Your practice pieces will be reviewed by the instructor the following month for constructive criticism.

Students who complete Beginner 4 can proceed to Beginner 5 the following workshop to learn new technique/design. You will be able to make many types of Edo Tsumami Kanzashi throughout the year, as the workshop offers the higher level every month. Students may repeat the same level if they feel that they are not ready to proceed. **New students are always welcome every month but they will start from Level 1: Four Single layer Plum Blossom Bobby Pins (Click [here](#) for workshop material).** New Students will learn about history/types/materials/motifs/artisanship of the Edo Tsumami Kanzashi.

*The workshop is for hobby purpose only. By signing up to this workshop, you agree to not to sell the completed items or reveal class materials for business purposes.

Instructor: Kuniko Kanawa -(Edo Tsumami Kanzashi artisan/Certified Kimono Consultant/Kimono model)

For her full profile, please visit <http://www.atelierkanawa.com>

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___ JASW Member \$70

___ Non-Member \$80

___ Home Practice Kit \$20

Total amount enclosed: \$_____

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If you have any questions, please call us at (202) 833-2210 or jaswdc@us-japan.org.

Mail registration with payment to: JASW, 1819 L Street, NW, 1B Level, Washington, DC 20036 or

fax to (202) 833-2456 or register on-line at www.us-japan.org/dc.

****Cancellations must be made by a week before each class.**

Multiple session registrations cannot be cancelled after the deadline.

Refunds will not be given to cancellations after this date and no shows.