



Bluegrass Area Basketmakers Seminar
Carrollton, Kentucky
June 9-13, 2026

Dear Potential Teacher,

The Bluegrass Area Basketmakers Seminar will hold its 30th Annual event June, 9-13, 2026 at the General Butler Resort State Park in Carrollton, Kentucky. This is promoted as a quality workshop with professional teachers, quality materials, and baskets. We hope that you will consider submitting to teach at this very special basket weaving seminar. **Please submit no less than 5 and no more than 10 baskets to teach. Please do not submit any classes that you have already taught or plan to teach at another convention/retreat in Kentucky during the year 2026.**

Classes will begin on Tuesday afternoon June 9th at 1:00 p.m. Eastern time and will continue through Saturday afternoon.

We accept **on-line submissions** as well as hard copy mail in proposals. On-line submissions do not require you to make copies of the form, only that you fill in the on-line submission form for each basket you submit. See detailed instructions at www.babasketmakers.org.

If you choose to submit by hard copy mail-in submissions please visit our website and print copies of the complete submission forms for each of the classes you wish to teach. You will need a separate form for each class proposed. Note that the form requires a detailed description of your basket (i.e., size, price, length of class, and any special tools needed.) Please note on the form whether you wish to teach part time or every day, and how late you are willing to teach. We also need a photograph (digital photo preferred) of each basket you submit. Please do not email copies of the mail in submission forms.

The deadline for submissions is **October 1, 2025**. Baskets will be juried at our October meeting. All teachers that are accepted will be notified in November once the class schedule has been made. There has been a lot in interest shown by both teachers and students, so please respond as soon as possible. Because of limited teaching spaces and in order to facilitate full classes for our teachers, we will be accepting 10 or fewer teachers for 2026. Priority will be given to teachers willing to teach all five days. Each teacher selected, and teaches all five days, will receive a \$200 stipend from the committee to help cover rooming expenses.

The Bluegrass Area Basketmakers committee would like to thank all our teachers for the continued support and promotion of our Seminar. We couldn't have this wonderful event without you. Thank you.

If you have any questions, you may contact us at:

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