



Programme of TALKS and WORKSHOPS 2019

All Talks and Workshops are held in All Hallows Centre, Greenhill Road, Liverpool L18 6JJ
Workshops £20/ £25 visitors and Talks £3/ £5 visitors (unless otherwise stated) To
book a Workshop place please contact coursebooking@megonline.co.uk

January 19th – **TALK 2pm-4pm** by Carolyn Richardson “**Embroidery of a Jacobean Lady**” – Come and find out what it was like to stitch in the 17th century from an expert in Jacobean life. **We also have Bring & Stitch and a Sales Table from 11am-1pm Visitors welcome!**

February 16th – **WORKSHOP 10am-4pm** with Gill Roberts “**The Art of Flowers**” – One of our talented members demonstrates various techniques to make decorative flowers from sheer fabrics and ribbons. **Visitors welcome but booking is essential.**

March 16th - **TALK 2pm-4pm** by Penny Vernon “**The Quaker Tapestry**” – A chance to find out about the history and recent development of this famous work, now housed in the Friends meeting House in Kendal. **We also have Bring & Stitch and a Sales Table from 11am-1pm. Visitors welcome!**

April 27th – **WORKSHOP 10am-4pm** with Ann Cornes “**From Plain to Printed: Techniques for adding Pattern to Fabric**” - A talented member from Glossop branch will show you how to make your own printing blocks and transform your plain fabrics, using a variety of techniques. **Visitors welcome but booking is essential.**

May 18th – **THE BEAUTY OF THE BEAD TALK am** by Bob Irwin on “**The Beauty of the Bead**”, followed by a **WORKSHOP pm** with Magie Relph “**Fabric Beadmaking**” - A whole day event, which is bound to be popular, and the bonus of the goodies from the African Fabric Shop. Book early to avoid disappointment! The **Colour Competition** will be judged today **Visitors welcome!**

June 15th – **TALK 2pm-4pm** by members of Chester Borders and Chester branch “**Sharing Good Practice**” - Three talented members will describe their embroidery journey, sharing their ideas and showing us their work. **We also have Bring & Stitch and a Sales Table from 11am-1pm Visitors welcome!**

July 20th – **WORKSHOP 10am-4pm** with Sheila Conchie “**Make a 5-sided Casket**” – We welcome another tutor from Glossop who will show how to make a fabulous piece to house your treasures. **Visitors welcome but booking is essential.**

August 17th- **TALK 2pm-4pm** by Judith Rowley “**My Creative Journey**” – A textile artist traces the journey from inspiration to exhibition with examples of her work and journals. **Visitors welcome!**

September 21st - **WORKSHOP 10am-4pm** with Nikki Parmenter “**Fantastic Fish**” – Have fun with mixed media on this workshop with a Cheshire-based textile artist. Don't forget your soldering iron! **Visitors welcome but booking is essential.**

October 19th – **AGM** then **TALK 2pm-4pm** by Ruby Porter “**Threading Dreams**” – Catch up with the latest on the projects at Sreepur in Bangladesh. The **Chair's Challenge Competition** will be judged today. **We also have Bring & Stitch and a Sales Table from 11am-1pm Visitors welcome!**

November 16th – **WORKSHOP 10am-4pm** with Wendy Bellman “**Textured Collage**” – Use up your small bits of fabric and trimmings (or even UFOs!) to make a unique piece. **Visitors welcome but booking essential.**

December 7th - **CHRISTMAS PARTY Our first at ALL HALLOWS.** Come and join in the activities and catch up with members over a mince pie and cup of tea. The **Traditional Stitch Competition** will be judged today. **Visitors welcome!**