



Newsletter



May 2022

Barbara Powell-Jones a Day Workshop

18th June 10am to 4pm at Patcham Community Centre, Brighton BN1 8TA

Barbara will demonstrate two, Japanese textile, folded squares.

Cost, BEG Members £20.00. non-members £25.00. Limited spaces so book early. Email begwebmaster@btinternet.com to reserve a place and for bank transfer payment details



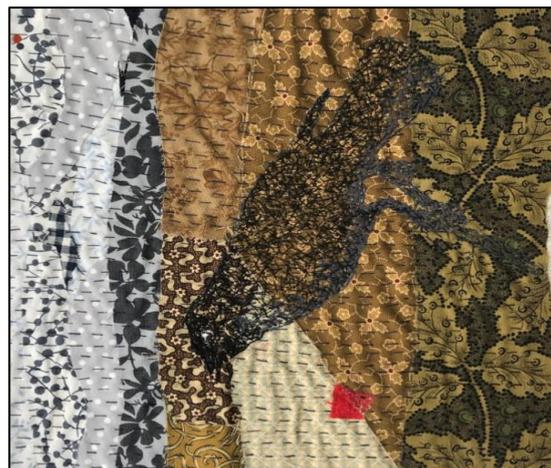
Barbara is an artist/maker working in textiles and based in East Sussex. She has a background in teaching and has years of experience running workshops with all ages and abilities.

During this workshop we will be making two samples of Japanese folded patchwork which can then be the basis of a larger project completed in your own time or made into a needle case during the session.

Her intention is to extend the project by asking participants to consider how they might incorporate other techniques into their work, for example Boro and Shashiko.

Barbara will provide a variety of fabrics and threads. You might like to use some of your own materials and threads though. Please bring basic sewing equipment, including tape measure, ruler and paper if possible. This is a hand stitching all day workshop, so you will also need needles and a selection of threads.

A peaceful 'slow stitch day' with time to stitch and learn.



Please note this workshop is 18th June due to the Queen's Platinum Jubilee and the Patcham Community Centre bookings.

Textile Sale 7th May 2022

The May sale was very successful. There was a very good atmosphere from the many people who attended and for over an hour we were very busy. There were plenty of textile related bargains and people of all ages attended, 'Young Stitchers', textile students from the University, quilters, embroiderers, textile tutors and BEG members. We raised well over £500.00, so our funds are looking much healthier. A donation has been made by Brighton Embroidery Group to the Multiple Sclerosis society in memory of Kath Barker.

A Reminder.

All friends and BEG members are invited to the following S.E. Region 'Stitch Together' event.

June Jamboree

Sunday 26th June 2022
10 am to 4 pm

Village Hall, Muntham Road, Barns Green
West Sussex RH13 0PT

Stitch Together Group looks forward to welcoming everyone to our June Jamboree - a lovely opportunity to meet up with friends from other groups. Invite your textile friends to join us.

Features include:

Showcases of member's work of some our groups

Traders including the Silk Route, Aztec Threads, Lacey Mays,
Fay Maxwell, Anita Bell & Search Press

Drop in workshops run by Anne Sillifant and Kay Dennis:
Make a little book with Anne, sketch a design
and stitch this with Kay using familiar and unusual stitches

Design inspiration can be found by walking up to the Arboretum,
around the premises or along the lane

Speaker at 2 pm: Zenzie Tinker from Zenzie Tinker Conservation

Raffle
Refreshments
Plenty of parking

Tickets £10.00

On Sale Through Eventbrite from 3rd May 2022

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/june-jamboree-tickets-328782456177>