

W Embroiderers' Guild EG Winchester Branch



Winchester Embroiderers' Guild was founded in 1963. It is affiliated to the internationally recognised Embroiderers' Guild, which embraces all areas of embroidery and is proud to be identified as a voice for raising the profile of textile and stitched art.

Don't let the "Guild" in our name put you off - there is nothing stuffy or exclusive about us! Textile art covers so much more than just fabric and thread and ours is a lively branch with over 60 members, who have a huge range of experience and skills. Their interests are just as varied, including all kinds of embroidery (traditional and contemporary), textiles and related subjects: mixed media, patchwork, lace, felt, beading and historical and ethnic work.

We welcome everyone from complete beginners to experienced textile artists. You can be a traditional hand-stitcher, a machine textile artist who enjoys working on bold and contemporary designs or anything in between. To join you needn't be a practising textile artist or have a stitching qualification - just having an interest in our subject suffices.

- ◆ Meetings (with guest speaker) 2pm- 4pm on the 2nd Wed of the month (except Aug)
- ◆ St Barnabas Church, Weeke, Winchester
- ◆ Regular workshops with visiting textile artists
- ◆ An active Young Embroiderers' Group meeting in the holidays
- ◆ Competitions, challenges, exhibitions and organised trips
- ◆ Visitors are most welcome at our meetings



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