

INTERNATIONAL SHOW OF THE ARTS OF THREAD

Pour l'Amour du Fil 12<sup>th</sup> edition

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Guest of honour country  
the British Isles



## Sue Ross

**THURSDAY, April 23rd**  
From 10:30am to 1:30pm

Title:  
Lady Chintz

**FRIDAY, April 24th**  
From 2:30pm to 5:30pm

Title:  
Fantasy Garden



**PLEASE NOTE: Payment for the classes is to be made in 2 installments.**

**1/ Classes:** Debit or credit card via the website upon your booking.

**2/ Project kit needed for the lessons/workshops:** In cash directly to the teacher at the beginning of your lesson/workshop.

TEACHERS WILL NOT ACCEPT DEBIT/CREDIT CARDS NOR CHECKS.

### Terms and Conditions:

- The tickets bought online are only valid the stated day/time of the workshop. They cannot be exchanged nor reimbursed.
- **Your attendance to any workshop is required at least 10 minutes before it starts. Make sure to scan your tickets at the « Info Cours et Ateliers » information desk 20 minutes before each workshop.**
- Should any ticket not be scanned before the workshop begins, the organizers retain all rights to put it up for sale again.
- **Notions/equipment: please check lesson/workshop description to make sure you have brought the adequate and necessary equipment with you (when stated).**



**TITLE:** Lady Chintz

**Duration:** 3 hours

**Description:** you will learn to look at fabrics, pick the best area of the fabric to cut for an oval "picture" and choose a fabric for the background.

**For this lesson, the students must bring:** You can bring a piece of fabric (patchwork, furnishing, a tapestry or an embroidery) to use as the centre and as a starting point for your own work. The size of your finished piece will depend on the size of the centre piece you chose to start with.

Bring fabrics that coordinate with our chosen centre. Otherwise bring a mixed selection of spots, stripes, plaids and a mixed selection of novelty prints such as dogs, rabbits, birds, flowers etc. old doilies.

You will need to bring a square of background fabric approximately 1.20 m. We will also look at adding EPP Hexagon rosettes, and stars etc.

Please bring also hand sewing equipment e.g. pins, needles, sewing cottons, scissors and paper cutting scissors.

Some centres will be available to purchase in the class if you don't have your own. These will be priced according to what they are.

**Kit (to pay to the artist at the beginning of the session): €10**

The kit contains: cardboard shapes, EPP shapes and some fabrics.



**TITLE: Fantasy Garden**

**Duration: 3 hours**

**Description:** This will encourage you to develop your own designs incorporating either raw edge or broderie perse appliqué and Kantha quilting. You will be encouraged to use your imagination and your own selection of fabrics to make a "picture" suitable for framing.

**Project size: 22" x 30"**

**Kit (to pay to the artist at the beginning of the session): between 5€ and 20€**

Sue Ross will bring shapes for vases, urns etc. in case you would like to use one of these and printed fabric urns, vases, birds. These will be priced according to size.

**For this lesson, the students must bring:**

- 1 metre of background fabric
- Assorted flowers, leaves and tree branches suitable for raw edge or broderie perse.
- Sharp scissors for cutting out fabric
- Cotton or glue for basting, a long needle is needed for thread basting
- Multi-coloured perle 8 thread for Kantha stitching and a chenille needle i.e. a tapestry needle with a point
- A piece of wadding 24" x 30". This can be polyester, cotton or wool.