

THSG is an open, welcoming, and inclusive organization where anyone interested in the fiber arts can find a home.

## MEMBERS - HELPING - MEMBERS MINI WORKSHOPS

### DYEING WITH COCHINEAL

with Andrew Lettes

**DATE:** October 29, 2024

**LOCATION:** Private home in northwest Tucson

**TIME:** 10–noon

**COST:** \$10 to cover materials, payable day of workshop

**MAX NUMBER OF STUDENTS:** 6

**SKILL LEVEL:** Beginner



**Cochineal, an insect found on the Prickly Pear cactus, produces a natural brilliant red/purple dye that has been used for thousands of years.** You will learn how to treat wool for dyeing, prepare a cochineal dye bath, and dye the wool in different conditions to demonstrate the wide range of colors that may be obtained. This is a beginner's workshop, and we will work with cochineal, an insect.

### BOSH CLOTH

with Jane Gilbreath

**DATE:** January 28, 2025

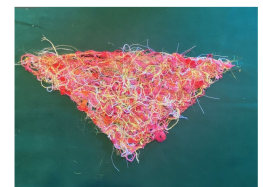
**LOCATION:** Weeks Room, Grace St Paul's Episcopal Church

**TIME:** 1–4pm

**COST:** \$5 to cover materials, payable day of workshop

**MAX NUMBER OF STUDENTS:** 12

**SKILL LEVEL:** All



**Learn to create fabric by stitching bits and pieces of yarn, trimming, and scraps of "silk" onto dissolvable material that then disappears!**

Bring scraps of materials, yarn, "silk" scarves cut into pieces, pins, scissors, sewing machine if it's portable (sharing is an option) and your imagination!

**THESE WORKSHOPS ARE FREE, BUT YOU MUST SIGN UP AT  
[www.thsg.org](http://www.thsg.org) – workshops. Space is limited!**