

Creative Fabric Recycling with Joan Sichel

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Thursdays, 9:30-11:30am in Moncton Lions Centre

6 weeks starting on Jan 20, 2011

Maximum 14

Storm Policy: No classes when schools are closed in Moncton

This course will involve sharing creative ideas about what interesting items can be created from recycled fabric materials, and working on projects of your choice.

Some of the rescued treasures we will use include shrunken wool sweaters, wool coats, fleece sweatshirts, linens, cotton sun dresses, denims, skirts, overalls, jeans, draperies, old quilts, and whatever you come up with.

Students will be asked to bring in interesting pieces they have made or found, patterns for ideas they have and items they'd like to use as samples of what they'd like to create.

I have been sewing and creating since my teens, using whatever materials serendipity brought me.

I will show some of the hats, mitts, dishtowels, blankets, purses and bags, pillows, dog blankets, sweaters and dog toys, toys for kids, as well as projects in process, and especially materials from my stash waiting to be repurposed. Please bring your ideas and samples, to trigger creativity in all of us.

Instructor Bio:

Joan Sichel is retired from UNB administration. She has taught this and other courses previously at TSC. Joan has been sewing and creating from recycled materials since she was a teenager.

Some people are very sensitive to perfumes and other scents. Please respect a scent free environment by not using scented products. Thank you.

A note to seniors about class attendance and absenteeism....

As you know, our instructors are all volunteers, who work very hard at putting courses together. Your cooperation is appreciated in letting them know if you are unable to attend any of the classes as most instructors plan weekly classes that are appropriate to the number of registered students in the course.

If circumstances change between registration and the first class, or if you decide to withdraw after the first or second class, please email tsccordinator@nbnet.nb.ca or call 364-2780. Many courses have a wait list and this could allow someone else to take your place. Sometimes, seniors have travel plans or medical appointments made in advance. It would help instructors to know this at registration, if possible, so that class material may be adjusted accordingly. Illness, as well as other unanticipated and unavoidable conflicts can occur. If you are able, please let your instructor know as soon as possible if you will miss a class.

Thank you!