## INTRODUCTION to BORO/SASHIKO WORKSHOP

**Dates:** please refer to: <a href="https://ticketstripe.com/events/1032649">https://ticketstripe.com/events/1032649</a>

**Time:** 9AM to 1PM

Where: 4Ever Blue Studio, Mezzanine Level,

Unit 3, 11 Forge Close, Sumner Park 4074

**Cost:** \$99.00 per person including morning tea/coffee and a tasty snack

## (Group Bookings, min 4 max 6 participants can be arranged for another day/time of your choice)

Create your very own and bespoke Boro (Japanese patchwork) drawstring pouch or zipper bag using Sashiko (straight stitch embroidery) and learn all about visible mending at this unique class in Sumner.

Choose a background colour (beige, blue or yarn dyed black linen), followed by embellishing patches from my collection of vintage and new Japanese cotton, Kimono silk and linen fabrics to match or contrast your background.

Learn about the Japanese technique of Sashiko stitching while being aware of principles such as up-cycling, respect for the discarded and slow stitching process to practice mindfulness and relaxation.

A complete kit to make either make a zipper bag or a drawstring pouch is included in your class cost, option to purchase extra kits (including cushion covers) available at my Studio.

The hand-stitching in class is beginner-friendly, both projects come with detailed printed instructions so that they can easily be completed at home, preferably with a sewing machine.





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**Please note:** Public dates for this class require at least 2 guests to run. In the unlikely event that we don't reach this number, we'll cancel the class; in this case we'll inform you and allow you to get a refund or reschedule, so please watch your email/SMS at least one day prior to the class.

**Zipper Bag Kit:** consists of two pieces of outer fabric (linen or cotton/blend base), your choice of new and vintage fabric patches, embroidery thread, Sashiko needles, lining, two different types of fusible interfacing and a metal zipper with a leather zipper pull.

**Drawstring Pouch Kit:** consists of two pieces of outer fabric (linen or cotton/blend base), your choice of new and vintage fabric patches, embroidery thread, Sashiko needles, lining, fusible light weft interfacing and drawstring cord.

## IMPORTANT:

Please bring sharp scissors and your own pins. If you have any fabric scraps you might want to incorporate, bring them too.

Only basic hand-stitching (Sashiko straight stitch) will be used in this project in class. The time allocated will not be sufficient to finish off your project, this will have to be done in your own time. Both projects will need to be sewn together using a sewing machine, once you have finished the stitching. Notes will be provided.

To secure your spot (various dates available) please click on the ticket stripe link below: https://ticketstripe.com/events/1032649

Please also advise which kit you would like me to prepare for you, and in which colour.

For further information please contact Nicole on <a href="mailto:nicole@4everblue.com.au">nicole@4everblue.com.au</a> or on 0402 860 749





