

North Kent Embroiderers



Our last meeting was the AGM with a chance to show other members what we had been working on recently.

Many of the 'Show and Tell' pieces were also going to be exhibits in the

Gravesham Fringe Festival. This will probably be over by the time you read this but I hope many of you will have been able to visit the St. George's Arts Centre in Gravesend to see not only our work but also that of other local people. Everyone is so excited for this year's event as last year there was no funding from The Arts Council so the event couldn't go ahead. After much hard work by local people the bid was submitted for this year and to our great delight it was successful. The festival provides such a valuable platform for local artists of all sorts.



You can see here just a few pieces that we have put forward for display. The one top left shows a pretty example of ribbon work which involves the threading of delicate silk ribbon through linen fabric to give the lovely 3D effect that you can see here.

Below left is a stunning silk covered lidded box with a beaded tassel and an appliquéd butterfly. The final piece shown here below right is an example of beadwork using beads and sequins to adorn this encrusted shell.

If you or someone you know would maybe like to start a new hobby and to join our group or



would just like to find out a bit more about us then please pay us a visit - look at our website:

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Karen

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