

North Kent Embroiderers

Hello Everyone,

During the summer we didn't waste our time. Louise travelled to West Dean College in Chichester for an art summer school. Sue was busy at the Lace Guild summer school learning about Ruskin Lace and I went to Shropshire to stay with a friend who was teaching a day school. My piece was using the 'crewelwork' method of embroidery. Some of us stayed closer to home and took part in an embroidery workshop in St George's Arts Centre run by Callisto Searle, who is coming to speak to our group next year.

Some of us visited the excellent 'Threads through Creation' exhibition at Rochester Cathedral. This was a series of twelve huge panels designed and executed by textile artist Jacqui Parkinson. The effect of these fabulous pieces was breathtaking, especially considering that they were completed in just three years.



If you would like 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

<https://northkentembroiderers.co.uk/>

or email us at: info@northkentembroiderers.co.uk

or contact our Chairman, Eileen on 01474 324734

Happy stitching, Karen



Many of us were busy working on the postcard challenge that I mentioned last month. At the time of writing most of these are yet to be revealed! This month's theme is 'Holiday Memories'. Here is one to give you a taste of what is to come.

Our next speaker is Beth Power

<https://www.dottytextiles.com/> who will be talking about 'The Art of 'Stitchscaping' - hand embroidered landscapes. See our programme on our website.

