

## Garden Gatherings Eugene 2017

### Group Requirements.

- Urn/Kettle
- 6 large dye pots with lids or more
- 6 burners or cooktops (Your dye lab is perfect)
- Steamer (or something to put in pot to make a steamer. e.g. cake cooler)
- Vinegar 4 litres
- Glass Jar of rusty objects soaking in Vinegar.
- Lighter
- Glass jar of copper bits soaking in vinegar and water 50/50 (at least 2 weeks before)
- Sinks/ water access
- Iron and board.
- Natural dyes. Indigo bio, (soda ash, Sodium Hyrosulphite,)
  - Weld
  - Fustic
  - Logwood
  - Madder
  - Potash Alum
  - Alum acetate.
  - Tannin.

### Individual Student Requirements

Materials fee \$15

- White/cream fabric. Cotton, silk or wool. Some large, some smaller. This can be woven or knit. Think samples. Experimentation.
- Sticks or dowel x 6 or more ( about 6 to 8 inches long x 1-3cm diam)
- Resist blocks in pairs/ Clamps / rubber bands
- Strong string, warp thread is good. or kevlar kite line
- Normal cotton, needles / pins
- Silk or cotton thread (to dye for stitching embellishment) variety.
- old towel
- plastic jug 1 litre
- Paper and pencil, camera.
- Sharp scissors
- Bead, button or shells to identify your work.
- Metal (iron or steel) scraps ( nails, pieces etc)
- Plant material. ( we will need a lot as we are dyeing most days) Flatten what you can beforehand in newspaper. Some suggestions below  
Eucalyptus if you can get it

Geranium,  
Cotinus  
sumac  
Tree of heaven  
Strawberry.  
grape  
coreopsis  
Maple

anything else that looks good from the garden really. (Avoid anything you know is toxic)

- citric acid, cream of tartar and baking powder.
- Bucket/s
- assorted containers 4 litre
- 1 glass jar with a lid small
- 1 Tyvek envelope / permanent marker This is to mark process on the work.
- copper pipe
- Old sheet to be torn up (essential )
- 2 x packet of large oven bags (the kind you cook chicken in)
- apron
- Latex or rubber gloves
- dust mask
- tongs
- thin painters plastic. 1 pack
- teaspoons