

Conquering Complements/Luscious Layers with Dianne Koppisch Hricko

Dates: May 14-16, 2017

Time and Location: Sunday - Tuesday, May 14-16, 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m., Clara Barton Neighborhood Recreation Center, 7425 MacArthur Boulevard, Cabin John, MD

Materials Fee: \$25 to cover

- MX and acid dyes, mordants
- Sodium alginate dye thickener
- Padding for table
- Dye tools
- Small sheet of plexiglass

Please have cash or a check payable to Dianne Koppisch Hricko ready at the beginning of the class to give to the hostess.

Supply List

- T-pins
- Sharp scissors
- 2 yards any color synthetic felt
- Partial roll of duct tape
- Several drop cloths (old sheets are great for this)
- Scoured silk: Any type you want to print on. If not too heavy the dyes will penetrate to both sides. Cotton or viscose may also be used but these fabrics cannot be overdyed with the acid dyes. Work tables will be about 3' x 6' , so your silk should be small enough to be stretched in that area.
- Sketchbook, notebook
- Blank silk screen and any photo silk screens/thermofax screens you like to work with. Screens can be ordered from Dick Blick or Pocono Mt. Screen Printing (<http://www.poconoscreen.com/16/home.htm>). A 20" x 24" 110 mesh sells for under \$20. Please e-mail me (dhricko27@gmail.com) if you are purchasing new screens so I will know how many of you will have to tape off screens. It is easy, but a little time consuming. Plan on at least an hour.
- Large Ziplock plastic bag to bring home wet work (it will be washed out at home at the end of the second day)
- Old credit cards to spread dye
- An assortment of foam brushes, from 1" – 4" (Home Depot/Lowes)
- Low-relief plastic items; anything you could take a rubbing from
- Dishwashing gloves or latex-free vinyl disposables
- 5-gallon bucket to rinse fabric in; white is preferable but not critical

- Plastic containers with lids to save dyes (yogurt containers are good or any plastic food storage containers)
- Thin plastic cutting sheets (Walmart or the like). We will be using them to roll out dye. They are a great studio tool (https://www.amazon.com/Norpro-Cut-N-Slice-Flexible-Cutting-Boards/dp/B0000VLU62?ie=UTF8&keywords=plastic%20cutting%20sheets&qid=1458685993&ref=sr_1_2&s=home-garden&sr=1-2)