

Embellishments - February 2026

St. John's Guild of Embroiderers

This verse of the Ode is appropriate:

When blinding storm gusts fret thy shore
And wild waves lash thy strand
Thro' spindrift swirl and tempest roar
We love thee wind-swept land
We love thee, we love thee,
We love thee wind-swept land.

February and March dates:

Feb 26: EDGE daytime 10-3 Torbay History House is an extra date because of last weeks storm.

Mar 5: EDGE evening 7 - 9 PM at CONA Room C209

Mar 13: Yarnival 12 - 3pm at CONA gym (see below for details)

Mar 19: EDGE daytime 10-3 Torbay History House

Mar 31: Guild meeting

Yarnival: The graduating class of the Textile Program are having an afternoon of workshops, local vendors, food, fun, and a bakesale on Saturday, March 13th from 12 to 3 in the gym of CONA on Prince Phillip Drive. A chance to see some of the things the students have created and try your hand at something new.

We will be having a table there to promote the guild. We want several stitchers to be there to stitch and chat with people. A limited number of cross stitch kits will be available to give out. Please sign up for an hour or so.

Workshops: See Krista about the wonderful beading workshops in June month.

Mixed Media Embroidery... That can mean using many different techniques, threads, other craft ideas to make a unique piece of embroidery. If this is something you would like to explore, contact KJ. She is willing to work with other stitchers who want to break out to try something new.

Help Needed: Past President Anne Rowlands will be beating the bushes looking for some people to help the executive and fill positions that need to be filled at the end of the year. Right now, we are looking for assistants for workshops and the library.

Carousel 2026: We would like to schedule another Carousel for the fall. This means that we would like to have 2 short classes for the morning and afternoon. If you can teach a small piece or technique, please have a chat with Krista. Past classes were crewel, beading, Christmas ornaments, lacing, etc.