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Guild Workshop

# A 'SWEETE' BAG

with... **Di Magro**

**Thu 15<sup>th</sup> – Fri 16<sup>th</sup> September 2022**

**Two Day Workshop**

'Sweete' Bags appeared during the Elizabethan period and often given as a gift to societal leaders. 'Sweete' bags carried gold, or perfumed powder, herbs, spices and flowers emitting a desirable fragrance. They were regarded as a status symbol. These days many are found in museums and private collections.

Di Magro has designed this elegant and unique 'Sweete' Bag which was inspired by an embroidered piece from the Embroiderers' Guild Collection.

In this workshop, you will embroider this original, designed silk bag and pincushion.

Investigate a number of stitch variations such as buttonhole stitch while using silk threads and surface stitchery techniques.

This "Sweete" Bag and pincushion is further embellished and completed with handmade cords, buttonhole rings, beads and tassels.

Choose to follow Di's colour palette or use you own stash and colour selections.

A gorgeous and sweet bag!

*10.00 am to 3.30 pm with ½ hour Lunch break*

*This workshop will suit levels of skill  
...with some stitching experience*



**\$220 EGNWS Member  
\$280 Standard**