

Albuquerque Fiber Arts Fiesta (AFAF) 2024  
Guild-Sponsored Class

## Dorset Buttons

Sponsored by Las Aranas Spinners and Weavers Guild

**Saturday, April 13, 2024**  
**10:30 am – 2:30 pm, 4 Hours**  
**Classroom C**



**Description:** Students will learn to make a basic Dorset button. Students will begin a second button with embellishments including beads, metallic yarns, and embroidery floss to become a piece of jewelry. Dorset buttons are an appropriate addition to handmade garments and accessories or as jewelry.

**The Instructor: Myra Chang Thompson** is a professional educator with 50 years of weaving and fiber arts experience. She teaches at local, regional, international conferences. She is an enthusiastic and supportive teacher who focuses on student success. She is an active member of Handweavers Guild of America and Las Aranas Spinners and Weavers Guild.

**Level:** Open to all levels. Children 12 and older are welcome with a parent participating in the class.

**Class size:** Maximum 15 students

**Cost: \$35.00** includes materials

***This does not include EXPO parking fee or show entry fee.***

**Materials**

Students need to bring: Scissors, 2 blunt tapestry needles, Elmers Glue, note taking materials; (optional) magnifier and table top lighting.  
Instructor will provide: Plastic rings, embroidery floss, specialty yarns, beads, pin backs, felt backing, and samples of buttons.

**Registration and Payment**

Register at **myrachangt at gmail dot com** (address spelled out to avoid spammers).

Payment due in cash or check payable to Myra Chang Thompson at the door on April 13 at 10:30 a.m.