

DAFA SEPTEMBER WORKSHOP

Painted Cheesecloth Technique and Sunflower Art Quilt

Last year, when Jules Rushing showed DAFA mini-workshop participants the effects that can be obtained with painted cheesecloth, many of you asked for more. Next month Jules will teach a one-day, DAFA-sponsored workshop that incorporates painted cheesecloth and fused fabric into a 12" x 12" Sunflower Art Quilt.



Jules says, "Cheesecloth is a pliable texture to add to your art quilts or fiber projects. You can dye it, paint it, rough it up, and create holes in it, whatever and however you want to. This is a fun and versatile technique!"

Date: Saturday, Sept. 17, 2011

Time: 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.

Place: The Point – Fitness Center Classroom (not the auditorium where DAFA usually meets)

Cost: \$35 DAFA members; \$40 non-members (open to non-members after Sept. 10)

Kit Fee: \$7 (payable to Jules Rushing)

The workshop application and supply list can be found in DAFA's Yahoo! group Files section and on the website, www.dallasfiberartists.org. You can also find the supply list and class description on Jules's blog, www.julesrushing.blogspot.com. You can register during DAFA's August meeting at The Point; just give your application and check to Linda Disosway between 5:30 and 9 p.m. Otherwise, mail your application and check to: DAFA – Workshop, P. O. Box 671036, Dallas, TX 75367-1036.



SUPPLY LIST

- Fabrics for the 12" x 12" quilt – Bring a good background fabric and fabrics for the sunflower.
- Backing fabric and batting.
- Textile and/or acrylic paints – Small bottles or tubes; colors are up to you!
- Latex gloves
- 1 - 2 yards of Mistyfuse™ or other fusible. Jules will have Mistyfuse™ on hand for you to purchase.
- Parchment paper – 1 yard
- Freezer paper – 1 yard
- Blue painter's tape
- Ironing mat or thick towel
- Iron
- Appliqué press sheet – If you don't have one, bring extra parchment paper.
- Rotary cutter – The best size for this project is 18mm. (Jules uses one for fabric and one for paper.)
- Scissors for paper and fabric
- Awl or metal stylus (used for lifting the edge of your fused pieces)
- Sewing machine – You will need your machine for thread painting and/or quilting your project.
- Thread for thread painting/quilting and embellishing
- Beads and other embellishments

Jules lists "enthusiastic attitude" as the final supply, "because we are going to have FUN! This process is fun, quick and messy. So let's get messy!" Questions? Call Jules Rushing at 214-316-8078. ❖

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PAINTED CHEESECLOTH TECHNIQUE AND SUNFLOWER ART QUILT WORKSHOP

Led by Jules Rushing

Workshop Leader: Several years ago Jules became interested in quilts and fiber arts. She occasionally creates items with traditional piecing, but her heart is with Art Quilts and Mixed Media. Over the past few years Jules has learned more and more about painting and dyeing fabric and incorporating other mixed media techniques. In this workshop, Jules will share her knowledge and her experience and her unique style of creating art quilts with mixed media

When: Saturday September 17, 2011- 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Where: The Point Center for Arts and Education in the Fitness Center Classroom located at 4847 West Lawther Drive Dallas, Texas 75214

Cost: \$35.00 for DAFA Members payable to DAFA, \$40.00 for non-members payable to DAFA after September 10, 2011 providing the workshop is not filled. Space is limited to 20 participants. Kit Fee: \$7.00 for all participants payable to the instructor. No refunds for cancellations less than 14 days before the workshop; \$10.00 handling fee for all refunds before the 14-day window. Mail-in registration starts August 10, 2011. Placement in the workshop will be determined by postmark! *First Paid, First Served!*

Two Ways to Register: 1.) Mail your check and the workshop enrollment form to P.O. Box 671036 / Dallas, Texas 75367-1036 2.) Register at DAFA's August Meeting at the Point. Please see Linda Disosway from 5:30 pm to 9:00 pm. Bring your check and your enrollment form.

Other Questions? Call or email Linda Disosway, 972-841-2087 or disosway2@yahoo.com and Jules Rushing at 214-316-8078 and jules@studiojulesart.com.

DALLAS AREA FIBER ARTISTS (DAFA) WORKSHOP Enrollment Form Painted Cheesecloth Technique and Sunflower Art Quilt Saturday, September 17, 2011

Date _____
Name _____
Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____
E-mail _____
Home Phone _____ Cell Phone _____
Check # _____ Amount of the Check _____ (\$35.00 for current active DAFA members; \$40.00 for non-members) Make check payable to "DAFA".
Member of DAFA? Yes _____ No _____
No refund for cancellation less than 14 days before workshop, but you may substitute a friend if you are unable to attend and if you notify us ahead of the workshop date.
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