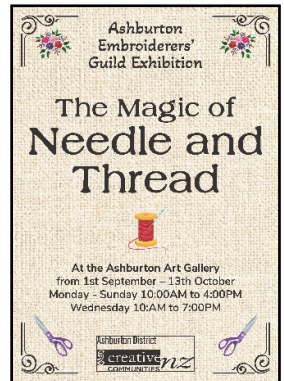


## Canterbury Regional Report September 2024

It seems the wind has stopped this week but we have had a slight dusting of snow just to remind us of the elements.

I had the pleasure of attending the opening of Ashburton Embroidery Guild's "The Magic of Thread Exhibition". Congratulations on a well presented and diverse exhibition. If you have the opportunity to view the exhibition I am sure you will enjoy it as well.

Thank you to all Guilds for paying the ANZEG Capitation fee. We are eagerly awaiting the October issue of Threads and look forward to seeing what our new Editor, Margaret Rietema, has for us this issue.



It is also exciting to announce Christchurch Needlework Guild have offered to host a Regional Day, 22 March 2025, at the Risingholme Hall, Opawa. At this day there will be a Regional Meeting where I hope 2 delegates from each Guild are able to attend.

On the ANZEG website the Conference Exhibition is now available to view. For those who were unable to visit Dunedin and see in person it is certainly an excellent opportunity to see the exhibition <https://www.embroiderynz.co.nz/gallery>

Thank you also for sending your Guild Newsletters through. This is a great way to then keep others informed of what is happening.

### Upcoming Events

15Sep-13 Oct Ashburton Guild Exhibition


20-22 September Canterbury Display of Work, CHCH Arts Centre

22 March 2025 Canterbury Regional Day, Christchurch

Embroidery brings people together, giving us a way to connect through our shared love of the craft.....this was certainly true for those who attended the recent Ashburton Friendship Day as well as Stitching in Tekapo weekend retreat.

*Jane*

Canterbury Regional Rep

 Canterbury Embroiderers' Guild

**"Embroidery Matters"**

- Friday 20<sup>th</sup> – Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> September 2024
- 10am – 4pm, entry FREE.
- Makers Workshop, School of Art, Christchurch Arts Centre, corner Rolleston Ave and Hereford St.


The Canterbury Embroiderers' Guild Inc is holding their biennial Display of Work showcasing a variety of contemporary and traditional pieces of embroidery.

We also have an extensions group who are exploring new ideas using needles, thread and textiles to create original works.

**On sale**

Small items for sale – stitched by members of our Guild

**Raffles** \$2 each or 3 for \$5  
Cash or bank transfer payments only.  
No EFTPOS.



Hand printed, pieced and embellished fabric vase on display at this year's display of work

