Make a Felted Lamp Shade & Felted Light Sculpture

Date: Saturday 21 March 2026

Time: 10:00am - 4:00pm

Venue: Art & Textiles Studio
194 Dora Street, DORA CREEK NSW 2264 (near Morisset)

Cost: $140.00 (including workshop kit value of $30.00)

Participants will make a 20cm barrel lampshade and a illuminated felt sculpture. First you will create piece of flat, decorative felt with embellishments that add texture and interest to your lampshade. We will the go on to fit this to the lampshade material and then assemble the shade.

Secondly, we will create a hollow sculpture that can be illuminated with one of several interesting techniques that create interesting texture and depth to the sculpture.

A basic understanding of creating felt is required for this workshop.

Participant Material List

- Length of bubble wrap approx. 100cm x 70cm *(no need to go any larger)*
- Empty ice-cream or yogurt container or small bucket or bowl (water container)
- 2 x old towels (to soak up any excess water)
- Empty dishwashing liquid / shampoo bottle or empty, clean plastic 1 litre milk bottle with small holes punched into the lid (for wetting down the wool roving)
- Wool friendly soap, e.g. olive oil soap, baby soap, simple soap (avoid liquid soaps)
- Small lengths of interesting wool / yarns
- Small pair of scissors (embroidery scissors are great)
- Pen and note pad (some printed notes are provided)

Workshop Kit ($30 value) provided includes:

- 20 cm Drum (Barrel) Lamp Shade Kit
- 50 grams of merino wool fibre in various colours
- Various embellishments (Silk Fibre, silk fabric scraps, pre-felt, etc.)
- Resist material

Also included:
Access to all tools and equipment for use during workshop time, e.g. soap solution, vinegar, small amounts pre-felt etc.

Also available: Various lamp bases, light globes, etc., for purchase.

Parking is available onsite.
Please bring your own lunch. There is a kitchen onsite with a fridge & microwave.
Shops and Takeaway shop are a short drive away.