T-shirts reworked



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At no time in history has clothing been so plentiful. This has led to a culture of waste. The greenest clothes are those that already exist. We can reuse what we have, instead of dumping it.

Using hand-sewing skills, creativity and time, we can repurpose existing unclaimed clothing into other stuff.

This T-shirts Reworked session will get you thinking about how you upcycle cotton T-shirts you aren't wearing into something else.

Benefits of upcycling

- Discover making and hand-sewing skills
- Explore your creativity and unique style
- Be productive and improve wellbeing
- Reduce textile waste

Date Wednesday 8 July, 2015 Time 10am to 3pm

Venue

Gracemere Shopping World, Gracemere, central Queensland

Details

This is a free event. Come along and play with reject/ unused T-shirts (preferably cotton). We will show you how to use scissors and creativity to upcycle them

1. Create continuous T-shirt ribbon and a little pouch to store it in

2. Make eco-shopping bags

3. Flip T-shirts upside down into a comfy eco-skirt

4. Plait an eco-braid or crochet a trivet using the T-shirt ribbon

5. Refashion t-shirt with scissors

Booking

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