

Indigenous Beaded Embroidery Scissor Case

with Claire Johnston



Sample by Lily Gautron

Saturday, April 11, 2026

10:00 am - 3:30 pm

Dakota Lawn Bowling Centre 1212 Dakota St.

Cost: \$85

This includes kit

Registration begins January 8 (at the WEG meeting)

Deadline to Register: February 28, 2026

Max Participants: 15

In this workshop, Métis artist Clare Johnston will guide participants in creating a floral beaded scissor case utilizing the Métis 2-needle style of beadwork. Claire will share about the history of Métis beadwork and showcase examples of historic Métis beadwork, alongside her own contemporary pieces for participants to view and learn from.

In November 2025, Claire was a Venice Fellow with the Canada Council for the Arts, where she researched Venetian seed beads. Skillfully utilised by Métis beadworkers past and present, Claire will discuss the uniqueness of Venetian seed beads.

This workshop is open to all skill levels.

Some experience with sewing and/or beadwork may be helpful.

Your Registration is not complete until payment is received.

To register after the January 8th Guild meeting,

contact **Kylea** directly at bridgewalke@yahoo.ca or 204-228-2224