



FIBREFEST

August 22nd & 23rd 2009

An Introduction to Ply Splitting Julie Hedges

Saturday 22nd Aug
12-2pm
£10

Sunday 23rd August 2009
2pm – 4pm
£10



Come and enjoy an introduction to an unusual braiding technique. The basic requirements for students to this course are enthusiasm, some patience and an enjoyment of working with yarn and colour. You will learn some of the basic methods of ply - splitting that have been used traditionally to make camel girths and animal harnesses in North West India.

Julie has been researching the Indian technique of Ply-Splitting since 1989 and has developed it to make wearable and sculptural pieces. She has exhibited and sold her work in the UK, Europe and USA and gives talks and workshops.

She has also written articles on braiding and published 'Ply-Split Braiding, An Introduction' in 2006.

Advance booking is essential to avoid disappointment