

Eyam Hall and Muncaster Castle 2008



Two special residential Textile Retreats, dedicated to the learning, understanding and appreciation of embroidery and textiles, are to be held next year in two important historic houses in England.

Both venues have been family homes for hundreds of years, and remain so. With the special permission of the owners, we will have the rarely granted freedom to explore these houses to study in depth, with the two tutors, their textile treasures. The owners will be fully involved with this.

Each Retreat will reflect the particular characteristics of the unique collection owned by each house. The two Retreats will therefore complement each other.

The study and lectures are interspersed throughout each day with practical stitching and “hands on” practical textile conservation. You will explore the history and techniques of crewel work, including stitching your own project piece which will be directly drawn from the historic crewel work at each venue. There will be ample opportunity for individual tuition.

Tutored by Phillipa Turnbull of The Crewel Work Company and Jacqui Hyman of The Textile Restoration Studio, the first will be held at Eyam Hall in the beautiful Derbyshire Dales and the second will be at Muncaster Castle on the spectacular western coast of the Lake District.

Phillipa is already well known in the UK and abroad as a leading exponent of crewel work, as well as for her highly successful “Lady Anne’s Needlework” Elizabethan Textile Retreats in her home town of Appleby, which attracted students from as far away as California. Jacqui is equally well known at home and abroad in her field of textile conservation, and as a lecturer on antique needlework. An accredited conservator, she established her studio in 1982 and her clients include Stately Homes, Churches, Museums and serious collectors.

Venues and Dates

Eyam Hall, Sunday 20th - Wednesday, 23rd April 2008.

Accommodation at The Lee Wood Hotel in the historic Spa town of Buxton.

Muncaster Castle, Thursday 25th - Sunday 28th September 2008.

Accommodation in the newly rebuilt Pennington Hotel right on the water’s edge in the tiny fishing village of Ravenglass, or in the converted Stable Block at the Castle.

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