



**Sewing Retreat at  
The Hawkhills,  
Easingwold, York**

**4<sup>th</sup> to 7<sup>th</sup> August 2025**

Come and indulge yourself in a wonderful sewing retreat, away from all the daily distractions!

Hawkhills is located 12 miles from the city of York and sits on the edge of the A19 and close to the A1/A1M.

It is set within beautiful grounds spanning 240 acres of stunning scenery overlooking woodland, fields and orchards.



Bring along your own sewing project, whether it be a quilting, bag making or hand embroidery..... something that you want to start or maybe even finish.....I will be only too pleased to help you with it.

There will also be one or two designs on offer if you're stuck for a project, details of which will follow nearer the time.

It will be nice to see both familiar and new faces during the few days that we have together and I am sure you will have a thoroughly relaxing time enjoying some guilt free stitching in like-minded company!

**General information**

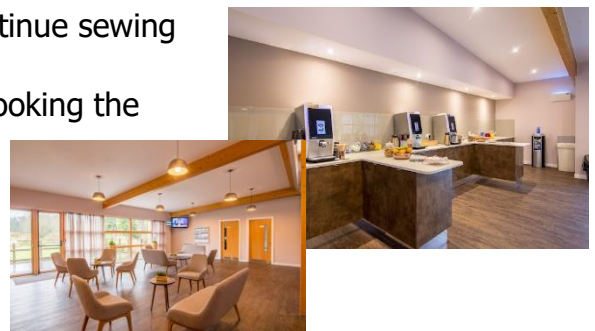
We will have the sole use of a large dedicated, bright and airy sewing room throughout the time, with each person having their own full table space.

Tuition/help will be available between 9.15 and 6pm each day except Wednesday afternoon – optional 'Free time'.

**Arrival – Monday between 9.30 and 10.00am**

- 10.00am** – Welcome & meet your fellow stitchers.  
Settle in and sew before lunch  
Lunch
- 2.00pm** - Sewing room  
Dinner
- 7.30pm** - Sewing room if you wish to continue sewing

Also available will be a separate area overlooking the grounds, for refreshments or quiet time where tea, coffee, cold juice and fresh fruit are provided each day.





### **Tuesday & Wednesday**

Sewing room open each day: 7.30am through to the evening.

Wednesday after lunch is optional 'Free time', should you want a break from sewing to do your own thing! The market town of Easingwold is on the doorstep or a visit to Thirsk is only a short distance

### **Thursday**

Sewing room open from 7.30am to 5.00pm

**5.00pm** - Show and tell before departing for home

### **Meals**

Meals are served in the restaurant overlooking the lovely garden and grounds.

Breakfast, two-course buffet lunch and two-course dinner is included, with all dietary requirements catered for.



### **Facilities**

Cosy licenced bar, comfortable lounge, modern coffee lounge, gymnasium & Wi-Fi internet access



### **Bedrooms**

Double en-suite bedrooms (single occupancy), furnished to a high standard, with telephone, T.V., tea/coffee making facilities, hairdryer & toiletries. All rooms have walk in wet rooms with some having 'easy access'.



### **Parking**

On site secure parking

## Booking Information & Terms – August 2025

### What's included

£695 to include: 3 nights en' suite accommodation with full board, starting with lunch on the 1<sup>st</sup> day through to lunch on the final day. Also, refreshments throughout each day.

Arriving 9.30, Monday, departing after 5pm Thursday

Tuition as required is provided each day

**Please note:** should you wish to add an extra overnight stay, please contact HawkHills to book and make payment with them directly.

### How to book

Please complete and return the attached booking form along with your deposit of £125.00 **or** payment in full of £695.00 if you prefer.

Your place will then be confirmed,

Please refer to the cancellation policy below before booking.

Thereafter you will be invoiced for the following balance payments where applicable:

1<sup>st</sup> March 2025      - £285.00                      1<sup>st</sup> May 2025      - £285.00

Payments can be made by cheque, payable to Nicola Hulme and sent to the address on the booking form or alternatively can be paid by BACS to Nicola Hulme, Sort code 11-05-12 Account 00438154 (reference HH followed by your name)

**Please read the following information carefully. It forms the Terms & Conditions of your booking - Sewing Retreat August 2025**

### Cancellation Policy

Your booking is an agreement between yourself and 'Simply Stitch'.

All matters relating to your booking should be made directly to Nicola Hulme at the address below

Any cancellations made after your booking must be made in writing to the address on this letter, with the effective date being when we receive your written instructions.

Please be aware that the following cancellation charges will apply without exceptions:

1. If your cancellation is received before 3 months of the arrival date, monies paid will be refunded subject to a cancellation fee of £75.00
2. If your cancellation is received within 3 months of the arrival date, monies paid will be refunded **only if your place can be filled from a reserve list** and, subject to a cancellation fee of £75.00 Any unpaid balance (100% of remaining charge) will still become payable if your place cannot be filled.

### Insurance

You are advised to take out your own insurance in case you need to cancel through illness or unforeseen circumstances.

On an impartial basis, [www.guestfirst.co.uk](http://www.guestfirst.co.uk) cover residential courses and conferences

### Financial Adjustment

No adjustment can be made if you are temporarily absent or arrive later or depart earlier than the dates/times advertised

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