

EGP Collective Project for 2023-24: The Whisper Project

This project was inspired by the SAQA Fergus Pod project that was exhibited in Guelph in spring 2023: <https://www.wyndhamartsupplies.com/blogs/3rd-floor-gallery-4/whisper-project-by-saqa-fergus-pod> The project also draws on the postcard projects that the guild has done in previous years.

Remember the old game where you were given a message and then you had to whisper it to the next person in the circle and as it was repeated around the circle it changed into something else? The Whisper Project is based on that idea, but the message passed on is a visual one. Working in groups of five, the first person is given a photograph and then creates a 4x6 embroidered postcard based on some aspect of it. At the next meeting they provide a photograph of their postcard to the next person in the group. That person creates a 4x6 embroidered postcard based on some aspect of the photo they were given. This continues until all five people in the group have made a postcard.

Depending on how many members are interested in participating, and whether they decide to be a member of just one group or two, we could have up to four sets of five postcards to display as our collective submission to EAC. With photographs being given to the first person in the group for our October meeting, the final pieces should be complete for our April 17 meeting. At that point everyone will bring their piece for a full reveal.

Whisper Project Sign-up

Name: _____

Circle the number of cards you want to make: 1 2

Group	Receives photo	Finishes piece and gives photo of it to next person	Check sessions for which you are available to make a card
Person #1	October 18	November 15	
Person #2	November 15	January 17	
Person #3	January 17	February 21	
Person #4	February 21	March 20	
Person #5	March 20	April 17	