Date: April 14, 2013
Time: 10.00 - 16.30
Venue: The Wool Wench House
Groen van Prinstererstraat 36, 3762TT, Soest
Cost: €80 including Lunch and a Fiber Kit
Registration: www.woolwench.com/workshop
WoolWench Workshop

Spinning Expressive Yarns

Coils

Lock Spinning

Boucle style

Add-ins

Wrapping

Core Spinning

Themed Design

Creating Texture

Silk wrapping
Join me on a journey through colour and yarn design as we explore the possibilities for creating adventurous, colourful, challenging, engaging, and texture-full yarns. This day will be packed with bobbles, locks, boucles and sparkles!

**PROGRAM**

Our program for the day is texture focused. We will start with spinning textured singles from an art batt, either from the drum carder or the blending boards, then navajo ply those to really lock in the fibers and make the textures pop. Then we will do some lock spinning and extreme tailspun yarns. I will show you also how to navaho ply those too! After lunch we will move on to spinning add-ins into your yarn, two methods of doing that. Then we can choose from: coils, spinning recycled fabrics, boucle styles, or making stacks. I will also demonstrate two of my own techniques for texture, the Entangled yarn and the Shelob coiled and silk wrapped yarns.

As we go I will show you some different wool preparation tools and techniques to create different effects in your yarns, including blending on a hackle, combing, and carding.

*Skills required* - just so long as you can already spin a single, you will be fine with this workshop, there should be time to work individually with you to look at ways of improving your yarns.

*Minimum attendees: 5. Max 8*

*Payment secures your place.*

Register & more info at [www.woolwench.com/](http://www.woolwench.com/)
I will be supplying you with your own kit for spinning, it will include locks, roving, a carded mini batt and some art rolags! I will pop in some items suitable for making add-ins too, and if you have something specific you want to try bring your own add-ins to spin into your yarn as well!

Please also bring some of your own fiber if you want to add extra practice time in on the day or to share/swap with others, and also some thread for corespinning.

Don't forget to bring your wheel, I will have a spare here if needed... I will provide lunch and plenty of tea and coffee.

If you have any questions, message me on Facebook: www.facebook.com/woolwenchyarns