

Scorched!

You may remember writing secret messages with lemon juice as a child. What a delight it was to hold a candle to the paper and see the message magically appear! Come and enjoy that delight again.

We will learn to use lemon juice as a textile medium for surface design on fabric and paper. This eco friendly "paint" can be used on treated fabric and also manipulated with thickeners. Participants will explore using thickened lemon juice with stencils, masks, screens as well as straight. As the images do not appear until heat is applied with an iron or heat gun, there are always surprises! We'll use it to produce clear images with stencils and thermofax screens. We'll be doing some shibori stitching and applying it as a dye, and also learning about creating our own stencils and masks and how to use them to create some unique images. If desired, we can use our time to create some sketchbook covers utilizing our images. Kits will be provided so the supply list for participants is minimal. Contact me at janetgailscruggs@gail.com to book this 2 day workshop.

