

# MILLINERY MEETUP 2026

## BASIC MILLINERY SEWING KIT

- ☐ FABRIC & PAPER SCISSORS
- ☐ ASSORTED HAND SEWING NEEDLES - INCLUDING CURVED
- ☐ GLASS BALL HEAD PINS
- ☐ BLOCKING PINS OR T-PINS & BLOCKING CORD
- ☐ ASSORTED SEWING THREADS
- ☐ WIRE CUTTERS
- ☐ NEEDLE NOSE PLIERS
- ☐ MEASURING TAPE
- ☐ WONDERCLIPS
- ☐ FABRIC MARKING PEN/PENCIL/CHALK
- ☐ 18" CLEAR PLASTIC RULER
- ☐ HAT ELASTIC & COMBS
- ☐ TRAVEL SIZE HAIR DRYER
- ☐ TRAVEL SIZE STEAMER (FLAT) & IRON
- ☐ FRAY CHECK
- ☐ SCOTCH & PAINTERS TAPE
- ☐ FAST DRYING FABRIC/CRAFT GLUE
- ☐ SMALL SPRAY BOTTLE
- ☐ CLING & PRESS AND SEAL WRAP
- ☐ PUOPÉE - DOLLY HEAD - FOAM HEAD
- ☐ SELECTION OF PAINT BRUSHES



# Maor Zabar

## Sculpting Sinasilk

1 yard of sinamay <https://www.judithm.com/product-category/straw-cloth/sinamay/solid/>

0.5 yard of silk dupioni

10"x10" piece of white cotton

5" x 5" Eva foam

Bonda web/ wonder under - double-sided fusible

Acrylic paint assortment

Japanese brush pens

18 gauge millinery wire

Floral tape

Tulle - various colors

Cardboard for patterns

Pencil and eraser

Basic millinery sewing kit

Iron and steamer



# Jenny Roberts Buntal Boater

4 yards sinamay <a href="https://www.judithm.com/product-category/straw-cloth/sinamay/">https://www.judithm.com/product-category/straw-cloth/sinamay/</a>
2 sq yards of fosshape 300 weight in a choice of white or black, choose according to your buntal and sinamay colour <a href="https://www.fosshape.com.au/">FOSSHAPE 300 - Wonderflex World   Suppliers of Wonderflex and Fosshape</a>
Large buntal mat 21-23" (BUnique Millinery Supplies or JudithM)
Flat brim block or wood surface to pin into (20", tables in the classrooms can be used as well.
A large round button block or a shallow crown block (see links below)
2.5 yards of veiling, tulle or crin any width (an optional choice depending on what you would like to use for your trim)
2.5 yards of spring wire <a href="https://www.judithm.com/product/spring-steel-wire-stainless/">https://www.judithm.com/product/spring-steel-wire-stainless/</a>
Matching sewing threads plus ivory thread
Cotton covered wire 1.4 mm - in US it is # 16 (this will be painted your hair colour so choose white if preferred ) <a href="https://www.judithm.com/product/black-rayon-covered-wire-16-30-yards/">https://www.judithm.com/product/black-rayon-covered-wire-16-30-yards/</a>
1.5 yards of hat elastic around 2mm – 4mm (0.07" to 0.14")
Acrylic paint to match hair (to paint the headband)
Parchment paper
Small hammer
Heat-protecting gloves
Sewing machine
Masking tape <a href="https://www.lowes.com/pd/Scotch-2020-0-94-in-x-60-yd-Masking-Tape/1002095858">https://www.lowes.com/pd/Scotch-2020-0-94-in-x-60-yd-Masking-Tape/1002095858</a> and/or surgical tape (3M Micropore available in your local pharmacy)
Elastic medical tourniquet
Design Master or Oasis spray paint should you want to colour the foundation layer the same flat colour as you sinamay ( there is also the option to keep the fosshape white to add a lighter tone to the sinamay)

HAB blocks:

<https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/products/flat-bottom-board>

<https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/products/complete-boater-set>

<https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/products/oval-boater-crown-and-collar-raiser>

Look for flat bottom <https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/collections/pillboxes> or with Button Blocks.



# Edwina Ibbotson

## Bias Sinamay: Multi coloured Bias Basket weave / Regular layered Sinamay Brimmed hat

Sinamay - basket weave (windowpane) or regular or mixture of both  
<https://www.judithm.com/product-category/straw-cloth/sinamay/solid/>  
<https://www.judithm.com/product/ivory-sized-windowpane-sinamay/>

1.5 yards of each if using 3 or more colors

OR

2 yards of each if using 2 colors

Crown and brim blocks - shape of choice  
OR 20" diameter wooden flat circle to pin to.

Spring wire for large brims <https://www.judithm.com/product/spring-steel-wire-stainless/>

Brim reed (thick, clear plastic wire) for small brims  
<https://www.judithm.com/product/polyester-wire-1-35-mm/>

2 yards of #5 petersham ribbon

Basic millinery sewing kit

Steamer and iron

<https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/collections/crowns>

<https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/collections/brims-saucers>

<https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/collections/crown-brim-sets>



# Biliana Borissova

## Creative Felt Blocking and Flowers

	Basic crown block of choice <a href="https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/collections/crowns">https://hatblocksaustralia.com.au/collections/crowns</a>
	Scrap rope no wider than 5mm ( 0.2 ") in diameter
	Clear packing tape
	Blocking pins or T-pins and blocking cord
	Felt stiffener
	Arabic gum
	Millinery felt cone or capeline
	Felt scraps for embellishments
	2 yards of millinery petersham ribbon
	1 yard of millinery wire 19 gauge