

## Kawandi Workshop requirements

### Kawandi / Siddi Workshop, Westernport Quilters, May 2026

#### Our Workshop (Barb and Nina, May 2026)

**Materials: decide what you want to make eg placemat, tote bag, or?**

- backing fabric
- middle: fine batting, recycled / rescued fabric, whatever
- fabric scraps
- pins
- scissors
- 2-4 ply cottons, or perle 8, sashiko tor boro threads

#### METHOD

1. Start with backing: fold over an outer edge over the batting : can stay stitch
2. neaten edges of scraps (finger press or iron.
3. start from outside and work in
4. overlap pieces and pin
5. start stitching at outer edge and keep adding fabric

#### Placemat:

- **backing** 45 cm x 35cm (backing cut to: 50cm x 40cm), or to size that suits, to allow for turn over before starting
- **wadding: 45cm x 35 cm**

#### Tote bag

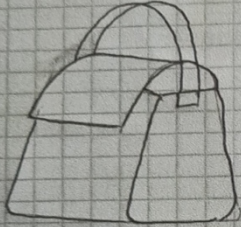
##### Kawandi Bag:

- **1 x rectangle 12.5" x 36", for bag body**
- **2 side pieces / gussets: see diagram**
- **1 x strap: 1.5" x 26.5"**

Nina completed each piece, then ladder stitched them together.

# Kawandi Bag

- 1 rectangle 12.5" x 36" for bag body
- 2 sides see diagram below
- 1 strip 1.5" x 26.5" for strap



- \* sew bag body rectangle along the two long sides and bottom of bag side gusset
- \* the rest of the rectangle folds over to form the flap

