

“TWO-SIES!” with Dale Harris
Sat. August 1, 2015 LIBROS meeting.

Make two simple sewn books with folded paper covers

Book #1 “Two-Sewn-as-One” 2 section book, pamphlet stitched through a center tab

Book #2 “Dos-à-Dos” two books bound together back to front, sharing a mountain-valley cover.

Materials to Bring:

- For covers - medium to heavy weight decorative paper or plain paper (approximately 280 gsm) that will hold a crease; enough for 2 covers 14” x 6” and 10” x 6” (grain short)
- 10 sheets 8 ½” x 11” for inside pages
- waxed linen thread or equivalent
- double stick tape ½” width
- stamps, markers, paints, etc. for embellishments

Book Binding Tool Kit which should include the following:

- cutting mat, utility or X-acto knife, straight edge/ruler
- piercing cradle or phone book
- bone folder
- piercing awl
- blunt upholstery needle

Prepare before Meeting:

- cut cover paper
- cut each of the 10 sheets in half to get two 8 ½” x 5 ½” sheets. This will give you a total of 20 sheets.
- fold the 20 sheets in half to create folios for your books.

We will have extra paper on hand.