



2025 NBO CONFERENCE

TRADITION & INNOVATION IN BASKETRY 12

July 22 – 27, 2025
University of Puget Sound
Tacoma, Washington

Willow Gatherings Pouch **Jo Campbell-Amsler**

Skill Level Required: Advanced; some experience with rib style constructions helpful, hand strength needed for weaving and knife work.

Estimated workshop fee: \$135. Includes frames, materials for sample frames, Willow weavers and ribs, willow bark, Siberian iris leaves, leather for strap, hinges and closure, waxed linen, tool usage, handouts and miscellaneous items.

List of tools, materials, etc., required for each student to bring:

- Basket shears
- Sharp pruner
- Fixed blade knife (box cutters are fine – no disposable types)
- Large and small awl
- 1 ft square of leather or denim (for knife work protection)
- Pack of 25 chenille sticks (pipe cleaners available at craft stores)
- Spray bottle
- Old bed sheet
- Old bath-size towel
- Paper and pencil for notes

Optional:

- Work apron
- Small needle nose pliers
- Small fid (pusher)

Size of finished work if applicable: Width 11”, Length 12”