



Zero Waste
Magnetic Island

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Upcycled Rag Rug Making Workshop



The Zero Waste Magnetic Island Threads group ran an “*Upcycled Rag Rug Making*” workshop on Saturday the 12th of October. We met at Picnic Bay at the beginning of the jetty for a very comfortable and relaxed session run by Karen Williams. Karen uses a no sew braiding technique which was manageable by all.

Hala brought the boxes of remnants donated to Threads and the rest of us took along old singles and tea shirts and whatever else we could find. Only Rosie Gordon thought to bring a rope which made her rug real funky!

We all sat for two hours and braided our rugs and bowls using Karen’s instructions and assistance as we asked for help. It was so relaxing and lots of fun. We even had tourists stopping and taking our photos and admiring our work.

For further workshops, look for [Threads – Zero Waste Magnetic Island](#) on Facebook. Join the group, then you will be notified of the events to come.

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