

Native Hands

WILD BASKETRY: WILD POTTERY: BUSHCRAFT

2026 Courses with Ruby Taylor, author of bestseller 'Wild Basketry'

Native Hands courses are held in ancient woodland in Sussex, UK.

We sustainably forage wild plants on site for basketry, and dig wild clay for pottery. Ruby teaches how to make useful and beautiful baskets and pots with a unique blend of in-depth, hands-on learning and reflective connection.

We make fire and gather around it to create with our hands, beneath the ancient oaks and ravens. We share a hearty lunch that's been cooked on the camp fire.



Bramble Baskets
April



Wild Pottery Smoke Cloud
April, July, August



Women's Wild Pottery
May



Wild Cordage
May



Looped Rush Bags
May



Wild Pottery Black Reduction
May, July



Wild Pottery Earth Pigments
May, September



Nettle Net Bags
June



Rush Foraging Baskets
June, August



Fire Making
June



Bark Trugs
July



Pine Needle Baskets
August



Wild Grass Foraging Baskets
August



Rush & Wild Rose Platters
September



Wild Grass Baskets
September



Bramble & Wild Rose
September



Ivy Baskets
October



Reed Mace Baskets
October

Inspiring courses that offer a restorative time out from daily life, and a satisfying learning experience rooted in practical knowledge

Suitable for people who love making things and being outdoors, especially if you feel the need to get away from your screens and remember another way of being human. Many people come on their own, and the days are structured to allow an easing in to the social side of things. Also a great experience to share with a friend or loved one.

For more details about 2026 courses & booking links: <https://nativehands.co.uk/courses-homepage/>

Any questions? please have a look at the **FAQ page:** <https://nativehands.co.uk/faq/>