

## Veberod Gem Gallery

# Pendants II-Wonky Prong Pendant

It's not always possible to set items in a conventional way, so here we are going to learn to set stones or found objects with handmade, organically placed prongs.

Skills learned: What is needed to secure an object, the best way to place prongs, how to secure prongs in place, and using prongs to secure your object. Also soldering, drilling, filing, roller texturing and finishing.

Prerequisite: Silversmithing II

Please plan to provide all your own consumables. You will be able to purchase anything you need at Veberod Gem Gallery during class. Being able to see clearly is essential to your success, so bring any magnification you are accustomed to using (cheaters, OptiVisor, Telesight).

### Supplies Required

Silver wire 16ga  
20/22ga silver sheet  
Roller print patterns  
Silver Solder hard/medium/easy  
Flux, Batterns and Boric Acid  
Torch Fuel  
Stone/object to set  
Saw blades

**Tools used** (tools marked with an \*asterisk are regularly stocked in the student benches)

\*Jeweler's saw  
\*Solder cutting Pliers  
\*Solder Pick  
Torch  
\*Soldering surface  
\*Soldering tweezers  
\*Insulated cross-lock tweezers  
\*Third Hand  
\*Flush Cutters  
Files  
#55 drill bit  
3M Polishing Paper  
Magnification



### Notes on tools/supplies

This list is designed to help you determine what to bring from home. Please **DO NOT** buy anything before class if you don't already have it. Many times there are factors that will determine your best choice and we will discuss all this at class. Bring what you have, and don't stress about what you don't.

We prefer not to offer kits for our classes. We try to encourage students to pick equipment and supplies (stones, beads etc.) based on their individual creativity. Often there are several options available and you may have some items already.

Please **mark** tools from home so they are identifiable as your own. If you have any questions regarding the cost of tools, supplies or anything else about the class, please contact us at 952.595.8338.