

# SPRING 2012 QUILT CAMP

## March 15-18th

Hi Campers!

The time has come to get ready for camp! This is your registration form for classes and the "fun stuff" you would like to do at camp.

We will have more cutting stations at our new location!

We will not "tear down" camp until 12pm on Sunday!

**You will be responsible for all of your own lunches and suppers.**

We are extremely excited to have our camp held at the beautiful Timberlake Lodge in Grand Rapids! Our schedule for camp will run the same but we ask for your patience and understanding as we work through this first camp at our new facilities☺ Thanks!

### FOR THURSDAY !

We will have the room set up by noon on Thursday, so if you want to be able to have an extra day of sewing, shopping, or just plain old relaxing, here's your opportunity! We did this for the last two camps and everyone really enjoyed it! Less stress! Camp classes will start Friday at noon. If you are signed up for Friday and want to come Thursday, just let me know.

Left, Right, Center

Bring 7; 2 1/2" by the width of the fabric strips of batik fabric(quilt shop quality) for each game you want to play. Games begin Thursday at 7:30pm. 1 or more gals (depending on how many come to play) will end up with these strips to make a quilt. **PLEASE MAKE SURE YOUR 2 1/2" STRIPS ARE CUT ACCURATELY!**

ALL SAMPLES are pictured on the web page and available to see at the shop.  
The mystery can be seen at the shop only.

### Class Projects:

*Mystery Quilt "Cross Stitch" 64" x 76"- Becky Marshall*

This mystery is extremely easy. You will be amazed at how fast this goes together! Please have your fabric pressed & ready for class. (Washed is your preference) WE CAN KIT THIS FOR YOU! We will have a sample at the shop. The first step to the mystery will be the cutting directions. Fabric requirements for this are:

Feature fabric 2 1/4 yds (includes outer border fabric)

Coordinate fabric 2 yds (includes inner border fabric)

Contrast 1 3/8 yds (includes middle border fabric)

*Bar-Jelly Table Runner - Katie Valentine*

Have you ever been afraid to tackle a bargello project? Here is an easy way to try one and even design your own table runner. Using a "jelly roll" that has 2 strips of each fabric in it or two 2 1/2" strips of 10 different fabrics(values from light to dark), you can stitch up this runner in no time- and have "jelly" left over for a few more projects! All included in the pattern! You can get 2 large table runners and two small ones **OR** 2 large ones and 4 placements out of one package of strips.

\*Timeless Treasures Tonga Treats Strips has 2 of each color and we have many different color schemes available.

*Peek-A-Boo Bag - Sue Anderson*

A sweet little take along bag with a see through window and zippered top! Perfect for cosmetics or quilting notions!

*Keep the Change - Missy Ruelle & Francine Anderson*

These little bags are so neat! They are made with tape measures and that is why they open and close so nicely! Various sizes. Bags can be used for change, ipods, cell phones, passports, cameras, etc! The possibilities are endless! You will need either velcro or a snap for closure.

*Quick & Oh So Easy Placemats-Linda Servis*

Update the look of your kitchen with these fun placemats! You cut the pieces for all four placemats at the same time! Fun as a gift for a friend or family member or keep it for yourself!

**Show - N - Tell Demos**

*Photo Fun - Becky Marshall*

Thinking of doing a graduation quilt for a special loved one? How about a bag for grandma with a cute picture of their grandkids? Becky can print the pictures for you, the charge for a 8.5 x 11 sheet will be \$7, payable to Becky.

*Bali Bags- Becky Marshall*

Make a unique styling bag with clothesline rope and bali strips! Becky will show you just how easy this is to make!

*Finish That Quilt - Borders and Binding and Bias Binding AND the Blind stitch–Judy Pierce*  
This class is a must for anyone that wants to learn the correct way to do your borders and how to make a "no lump binding" for your quilts or other projects that you have completed. You will also learn how to do the blind stitch on your binding so you don't see the stitches!

*Beads of Courage*

You can make "bead bags" to donate to this organization. This organization is a support and encouragement system for children with serious illness; cancer, blood disorders, cardiac and burn

patients. A great cause! Instructions on making the bags will be available at camp.

9x12 BAG 1 BAG - 2 FAT QUARTERS

7X10 BAG - 2 BAGS - 2 FAT QUARTERS

Check them out on their web page: [www.beadsofcourage.org](http://www.beadsofcourage.org)

## **Fun Small Quick Project Classes**

*Block Exchange* - Mary Bacon

This block is titled “Hopscotch” and will be very easy to make and you will be done in a flash.

You will need three pastel batik fat quarters to make four blocks so you can hop into spring!

*Quilts of Valor donation block* - Katie Valentine

Quilts of Valor is such a great cause we decided last camp that it would be nice to do a donation block so that these can be made into a quilt for a wounded soldier. Fast, no match stars is the block you will be working on. Please stick to red, white/cream and/or blue fabrics for these blocks. Two fat quarters yields two blocks.

*"Leanna's What's It" Project* - A surprise!!

This is another fast, fun, quick project you can do at camp. You will find everything you need in your bag to complete this project compliments of Quilters Corner.

**SECRET SISTERS** - We will be doing the secret sisters at camp again. It has been a huge success.

If you want to be a secret sister, you will need to sign up for this on your registration form!!

You will receive your secret sister's name in your goodie bag when you get to camp. Bring several fun gifts with you to give her throughout camp. Remember we are all women and we can do women gifts, not necessarily scrapbooker or quilter gifts. We will try to have some items at the “shop” at the hotel that you would be able to use as well. A SUGGESTED AMOUNT TO SPEND IS \$25.00 TOTAL ON GIFTS.

## **FAT QUARTER DRAW - THEME IS SPRING & SUMMER FABRICS - QUILT SHOP QUALITY ONLY PLEASE! ALL 3 DRAWINGS**

### **DEVOTIONS**

We have had some requests for a devotional time at camp, so for those who are interested, we will have a devotional time at 8:30 in the pool area on both Saturday and Sunday morning.

**RULES AT CAMP** - There are only 4, but they are really important!

\*1. NO Perfume, Hairspray or Lotions that have an odor to them. We have some gals that have asthma and/or allergies to these odors and cannot tolerate them without a reaction. Even if you

think the smell is not offensive, it may be a problem for someone else. Please be considerate of others. We want everyone at camp to have a great time! If you wear something that is offensive to someone else, you will be asked to shower. Thank you for your cooperation on this matter.

**\*2. NO SMOKING - The hotel is COMPLETELY SMOKE FREE!!!**

**\*3. NO CELL PHONES RINGING - If you have a call please be sure to leave your table to talk so you do not bother others who are looking for quiet. PLEASE SET YOUR PHONES ON VIBRATE!**

**\*4. You will need a ruler guard on your 6" X 24" ruler. We have seen 2 very bad accidents and now we require you to have a guard on this ruler. If you do not have a guard, you can order one from us for \$7.99 (much cheaper than the emergency room!) and we will bring it to camp for you.**

### **WHAT SHOULD I BRING TO CAMP?**

1. Sewing Machine – cleaned, oiled and in good working condition.
2. Cutting tools ; rotary cutter, mat, ruler & guard
3. Basic sewing kit
4. Fabric and supplies for classes you have signed up for, or your unfinished projects
5. Comfortable clothes
6. Swimsuit – The water slide is great, but the whirlpool is fantastic!
7. EXTRA LIGHT SOURCE – The lighting will be better at the new hotel with the big windows but bring an extra light source for when it gets dark. The Ott lights are great - you need to bring something for yourself; floor or table/desk lamp.
8. If you have a favorite comfortable chair that you use for sewing, and its transportable, by all means bring it with you.
9. 3 fat quarters for the fat quarter drawing if you want to participate. We will be drawing out 3 winners each time to split the fat quarters. We will have these available at the camp store also
10. Bring a snack to share (One per room is enough)
11. Money or your credit card to “shop” with, for lunch or drinks. You will need a credit card at check in – you can charge lunch, supper, room service or drinks to your room.
12. Be sure to bring your projects for show and tell. Friday night is A-M (last name), Saturday night N-Z. If you have projects from previous camps, please bring them , we would like to see them. We will have the electrical plug- ins for you and the hotel has ironing boards and irons. You can bring your own if you like. Anything you can think of that will make your “camping experience” the greatest, bring it along. “If you don’t have it with you, you don’t have any choices”.

### **CHECK IN TO THE HOTEL**

If you are staying on Thursday, March 15th, you may check in at 12 noon. Your room will already be paid for; you will need a credit card for extras and for their system.

Check in on Friday, March 16th at any time. Your room will already be paid for; you will need a credit card for extras and for their system.

Check out on Sunday, March 18th at 12:00 noon.

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