

NATIVITY WALLHANGING
BLOCK OF THE MONTH

JOIN US TO MAKE THIS EXCITING WALLHANGING. EACH MONTH WE MEET ON THE SECOND SATURDAY AT 9 AM. COST FOR MONTH ONE IS \$30. HAVE IT HERE FOR THE NEXT MONTH DONE AND YOU RECEIVE THE NEXT ONE FREE!!!! WE DO DEMOS AND EVERYONE IS ENCOURAGED TO BRING SHOW AND TELL. WE WILL ACCEPT NEW STUDENTS UNTIL APRIL 2. THIS IS A NINE MONTH PROGRAM.

AMERICAN SEWING GUILD
EMBROIDERY GROUP
MEETS ON THE FIRST
THURSDAY EVENING OF EACH
MONTH AT 6PM
COME AND JOIN US!!

WILDFLOWER RHAPSODY
BLOCK OF THE MONTH

THIS EXCITING BLOCK OF THE MONTH STARTS SOON. IT COMES WITH A FREE CLASS EACH MONTH TO KEEP YOU MOTIVATED AND ENCOURAGE YOU TO COMPLETE THE BLOCK. COST IS \$28 A MONTH AND INCLUDES BORDERS, BINDING, AND BACKING. TUESDAY MORNINGS: MARCH 29, APRIL 19, AND MAY 17 AT 9:30 OR THURS EVENING: MARCH 24, APRIL 21, MAY 19 AT 6:30PM. THIS IS A 12 MONTH PROGRAM. Sign up anytime before April 19 and we will catch you up!!!

LET'S TALK FEET
Marie Walters
Friday, March 25th
10 - 12

We will be going over the feet that come with your machine and also the NEW O2 FOOT!!! WE WILL ALSO COVER HOW YOU CLEAN YOUR MACHINE. FREE IF YOUR MACHINE WAS PURCHASED AT MARIE'S OTHERWISE \$20.

CABLE APPLIQUE' SWEATSHIRT
Linda Blyth
Saturday, March 26th
10 - 1

Back by popular demand!!! Transform a plain sweatshirt into a classy cardigan using a reverse appliqué technique. You will probably want to make several of these --they are great gifts!! \$24 Pattern req.

Veranda Tote
Renee Brooks

Thursday, March 31st (10 - 1)

Well, Penny (Bowtuck Bags) Sturges has done it again! TOTES ON BOLTS is a fun way to construct a mid-size tote bag by using pieces cut from three (3) coordinating panels. The panels offer you a choice of prints for some parts so your crazy, creative side will be activated as you decide how your tote will look. Have fun by choosing one of the designs shown on the pattern or do your own thing. You will learn how to add ruffle trims to a double outer pocket, several easy ways to make button loops and easy inner pockets. *The secret to cutting from the panels without confusion is to label your pieces before cutting them and be sure to follow pattern cutting instructions. Don't be tempted to cut corners.* Kit with pattern req. \$24

Trip For Two To Boston

Linda Davis

Friday, April 1st (10 - 3)

“Get your sewing buddy and have a blast.” We will go on a trip: no not a wild trip to a quilting retreat, but two buddies working together to make two quilts, one for each of you!! You will work together to select fabrics and construct two quilts either a trip around the world quilt or a Boston Commons quilt - or one of each? To allow you time to sew together, we ask you to precut your fabrics. Cost \$40 The required pattern is such that you and your buddy share it!!!

QUILTER'S TOTE BAG

Linda Blyth

Saturday, April 2nd (10 - 3)

Back by popular demand!!! This quilted bag is large enough to carry all your rotary cutting tools to class or it makes a nice place to store them also. There are lots and lots of pockets and NO zippers. We are using quilted fabric. If you purchase your fabrics from Marie's we will quilt it for \$25. (Don't wait till the last minute!!) \$40

GETTING TO KNOW YOUR SERGER

Linda Blyth

Monday, April 4th (10 - 1)

All kinds of tips and techniques will be covered. It is our goal to make you very comfortable with your serger. Cost \$20 if purchased from Marie's otherwise \$40.

CHECK OUT OUR NEW WEBSITE
WWW.MARIESSEWINGCENTER.
COM

SCRAPPY STRIPS

Sandy Diel

Wednesday, April 6th (10 - 3)

Using fabric from your stash and adding some more, of course, we will make a fun quilt. We will be using precut 1 1/2 to 3 inch strips. This is a fun class. Make yours any size. The sky is the limit. Bring lots of strips and trade with others in class for even more options. Cost \$40

EMBROIDERY PROJECT

Marie Walters

Thursday April 14th at 6:30 or Friday

April 15th at 10:30

This month we will be making a lace bookmark. All materials are included and you just need your machine and hoop to participate. The design requires a 5 x 7 hoop. Cost is \$10 for students that have purchased their machine from Marie's otherwise \$30.

SIDELIGHTS

Sandy Diel

Saturday, April 16th (10 - 3)

Using a panel or theme fabric you will make a 46.5 x 62.5 quilt. This would make up nice for a crib quilt or a very exciting wall hanging. We have some kits and some other possibilities for you. Pattern req. Cost \$40

**WE ARE OPEN TILL 8 PM ON
THURSDAY NIGHTS
TILL MEMORIAL DAY!!**

EMBROIDERY BLOCK OF THE MONTH

Marie Walters

Use your embroidery machine to make a wonderful quilt. The blocks are sewn and quilted in the hoop. This program was designed by Hoop Sisters and it's called the Crazy Compass. The blocks can be 5 or 8 inch. The first class will be one-on-one. Make your appointment and we will explain the program and discuss fabric and batting choices. Cost is \$100 for the entire program. Purchase your fabric at Marie's and get a free USB stick. Each month stop out with your stick and we will load the designs and sewing instructions on for you. It is a ten month program. If you prefer to pay by the month the cost is \$12 monthly.

SONJA'S WINDOW

Linda Davis

Wednesday, April 20th (10 - 3)

This is a great project to try a new color scheme, because any combination will make an effective design. Sonja's Candace suggests you use a selection of light, medium, and dark prints with a variety of motifs. You'll be amazed how quickly these pieced blocks are made with the nifty rotary method Candace learned from a guild buddy. Four blocks are produced in the same time it would traditionally take to make two. McCall's Quilting magazine America Loves Scrap Quilts, Spring 2009. Cost \$40

Watch your emails for more specials and new products!!!!

OPEN SEWING

TUESDAYS

10 TO 1

OR

6 TO 9

At Marie's Sewing Center we offer Open Sewing to any customer. You can come and socialize, learn a new technique, or finish a project. Reservations must be made on the Monday before. Cost for the class is \$12 and if you come four times the fifth time is free!!

Mention you saw it in the newsletter and get \$3 off any Snap Sack. No need to cut out this coupon!!
exp. May 1st

If you are thinking of sharing the joy of sewing with anyone remember that at Marie's Sewing Center sewing machines start at just \$99 and we give you free one-on-one lessons on that machine for your lifetime.

Twin City Quilt Show: "A Palette Of Quilts" will be on Saturday April 2 (10 -5) and Sunday April 3 (10 - 5) at the Wheatfield Community Center, 2800 Church Road, North Tonawanda. Hope to see you there. There is a auction of quilted items on Sunday at 2:00

Clarence Quilt Show: "Patches In The Park" will be on Friday, May 13 (10 - 5), Saturday, May 14 (10 - 5), and Sunday, May 15 (11 - 4) at the Clarence Town Park Clubhouse, 10405 Main Street, Clarence, NY. Hope to see you there.

SELECT PANELS BUY ONE GET ONE FREE!! INDOOR GARAGE SALE GOING ON NOW. GREAT BARGINS FOR ALL!!

DASH 4 STASH SHOP HOP is Thursday, May 5 (10 - 6), Friday, May 6th (10 - 6), and Saturday May 7th (10 - 4) The shops that will be participating this year are: The Whole Nine Yards, Hartland, Marie's, Threads of Time, Aunties Attic, and Main Factory. Our theme is "Think Pink". We will charge you \$5 for your passport at your first shop. When you turn in the completed passport at the last shop will will give you a reusable shopping bag printed with all the shops on it and three fat eights from each shop, a quilt pattern, and return trip coupons to each shop. The proceeds from this will go to Susan G. Koman. We also decided to do a discount during the shop hop. You will choose a discount that can be from 10 to 50% off at each shop. Now isn't that exciting????

The Horizon Memory Craft 7700QCP unites years of Janome innovation in the most advanced and comprehensive sewing and quilting machine ever. 11" x 4.7" of work space makes it the largest machine in its class, and features like AcuFeed and the Superior Plus Feed System ensure accurate operation. Innovative needle plate markings give extra precision guidance and the Automatic Plate Converter allows push-button conversion to a Straight Stitch Needle Plate for quilt piecing and free motion work. The Horizon offers a range of advanced features to open up new possibilities for your creativity.

Test Drive One Today!!!!



Everyone loves a bargain. I got several bolts of fabric at a great price and I'm passing the savings on to you. These fabrics should retail for \$10 a yard and we have them on sale for \$7.00. But if you finish the bolt they are \$6.50 a yard until they are gone. Hurry for the best selection!!!

We are wanting to know if you are interested in doing the Federation Quilt. Stop out and take a look and let us know if you are interested and what day would be best for you. It is a big project but well worth the work!!!! The quilt has lots of pretty decorative stitches.

EMBROIDERY PROJECT

Marie Walters

Tuesday, May 24th (6:30) or
Wednesday, May 25th (10:30)

This time we are making a really cute wine bag. The embroidery design is just 4 x 4. All materials are included and you just need your machine and hoop to participate. Cost is \$10 for students that have purchased their machine from Marie's otherwise \$30.

MAY DIGITIZER CLUB

Tuesday, May 10 (6:30pm) or
Wednesday, May 18 (10:30) or
Saturday, May 21 (10:30)

Join us for an informative class using the Janome digitizer program. Cost is \$10 if digitizer was purchased from Marie's. (Otherwise \$25) New rules: only 4 students per class. Smaller classes mean more individualized attention!!!

We have lots of new kits, pillowcase kits, new Orientals, Americana, black and whites, wine theme fabric, sewing theme fabric, new shop samples, Moda candy bars, new panels, patterns, roller bag for the 7700 Horizon, Iris Thread, and sew much more!!!!


**\$25 OFF A COMPLETE SEW-
ING MACHINE TUNE UP. NO
COUPON NEEDED!!!!**