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It's Spring and the new Class Schedule for May, June, July and August is here!

We look forward to seeing you at our Open House on Thursday, April 19.

4:00 to 8:00 pm

6:00 pm teacher presentations

Hop on over during the Shop Hop

We will be having a sale on our sale fabric

Refreshments and Fun for All!

QUILTING CLASSES

Beginning Machine Quilting

Quilters, sharpen your electric needle! Veronica is going to teach you the basics of how to quilt with your sewing machine. This class will take the stress out of machine quilting. Bring your machine, take a breath and let's have fun.

Instructor: Veronica Nurmi

Friday, June 29, 10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Level: Advanced Beginner

Price: \$65.00

Charm School with Jill & Carol

Fall in love with your charm packs all over again. We will make projects that are mostly machine pieced, small and relatively easy to make using charm packs. Each small quilt presents new ideas and techniques that will increase your quilting skills.

Instructors: Jill Dalton & Carol Ann Santarosa

Tuesday, June 12, August 14, and October 9

8 am -12 pm

Level: All

\$60.00 plus Book

Christmas Twist

Join Tracy Souza of Plumcute Designs for a fun evening of crayons & stitchery. During class you will experiment with coloring fabrics and learning the basic stitches used in the borders of the Christmas Twist quilt. Students should have their quilt center and borders pieced prior to coming to class. Students will have first priority for purchasing the border fabric for this quilt.

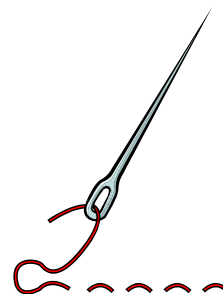
Instructor: Tracy Souza

Friday, August 10

5 to 9 pm

Level: All welcome

Price: \$35.00 plus pattern



Double Mitered Corners - Binding

You will learn to make each corner of your quilt finish beautifully by double mitering each corner (instead of the flip and turn method).

This also eliminates trying to connect the beginning and end of the binding strips. You will make a sample to take home.

Instructor: Carol Ann Santarosa

Tuesday, July 24

10:30 am to 12:30 pm

Level: All

Price: \$25.00

It's OK if you Sit on My Quilt

Why take this class? Because Lindy has learned secrets about cutting and piecing that make it possible to make quilts in a fraction of the time you would expect without sacrificing design.

When you finish this class you will have so many exciting designs and technique ideas that nothing will keep you from making loads of beautiful quilts.

Instructor: Lindy Munday

Wednesday, April 25, May 9, May 16, May 30

10:30 am - 1:30 pm

Level: Beginner to Intermediate

\$75.00 plus Book

Japanese Jigsaw

This quilt has a wonderful complicated look to it, but is actually easy to piece and has no y-seams. If you are ready to learn something new or if you're just looking for a new project please come join Linda for a wonderful time of fun and laughs with some learning mixed in!

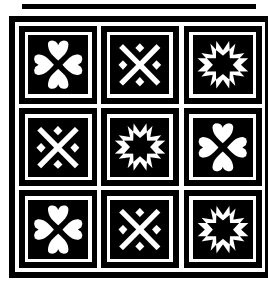
Instructor: Linda Konkel

Tuesday, June 26

10:30 am to 5:00 pm

Level: Intermediate to Advanced

Price: \$50.00 plus pattern & template



Jo's Little Women

Step back in time and enjoy making small quilts for your home or to give as gifts. These nine classes will demonstrate and give you tips on quilt construction. You will learn to increase the accuracy of your piecing. These patterns by Jo Morton are available ONLY to club members.

Instructors: Carolyn Lessing & Lindy Munday
Wednesday, July 11, Aug. 1, Sept. 5, Oct. 3, Nov. 7, Dec. 5, Jan, Feb., 6 to 8 pm

OR Sat. July 14, Aug. 11, Sept. 8, Oct. 13, Nov. 10, Dec. 8, Jan, Feb. 1 to 3 pm

Price: \$90.00 **

**Required to purchase 3 Jo Morton Fat Quarters each session or to purchase the quilt kit for that month.

Kid's Quilting

This class is designed for young people ages nine to fifteen. They will learn to quilt "hands on" while they enjoy the company of their peers.

Instructor: Dona Zilaff

For more information contact Dona at 451-9976

Kites and Spider Webs

Here is a fun idea to try to reduce some of your stash! If you are like most of us, you have bags full of leftovers from projects that you might use someday - well, now the someday has come and this string piecing idea is totally fun! And easy! You will learn how to use newspaper for a foundation, you will learn how to make a template, plus you will learn some tricks on how to make bulky seams lay flat. You will definitely enjoy this process and feel good about reducing the contents of your scrap bag.

Instructor: Diane Matthews

Saturday, May 19

9:00 am - 1:00 pm

Level: Intermediate to Advanced

Price \$35.00

Let's Get Beyond Stippling

This class will take you beyond basic machine quilting and into fun and exciting designs.

Instructor: Veronica Nurmi

Saturday, June 30

10:30 am to 3:30 pm

Level: Intermediate to Advanced

Price: \$65.00

May Baskets

Come play with Thangles as Diane shows you an easy way to make half square triangles using this great product. The "May Basket" class is just one of many she will be teaching this year using Thangles. This quilt is so pretty and easy you may want to make more than one. You will also learn how to set blocks on point.

Instructor: Diane Matthews

Tuesday, May 8

10:30 am to 2:30 pm

Level: Confident Beginner

Price: \$30.00

Mini Twister

Here is a fast, fun little quilt that you will love making. A template is used to perform the magic. You will be surprised at the end product and how easy it was to do, but how complicated it really looks. We will keep it our dirty little secret!!

Instructor: Carol Ann Santarosa

Wednesday, August 29

10:30 am to 2:30 pm

\$30 plus pattern

My First Quilt

This beginning level eight week course will teach you all of the quilting basics. Each week you will learn a new technique. You will end of with a fun small quilt and the skills you need to make other quilts.

Instructor: Paulette Trafecanty

Fri., May 11, 18, 25, June 8, 15, 22, July 13, 20

10:30 am to 1:00 pm

Level: Beginning

Price: \$80.00

Mystery Saturday Sampler

Our new Saturday Sampler will begin the first Saturday in July. This quilt has been selected to increase your quilting skills and to give you an incredible quilt when the year is over.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

First Saturday at 10 am or 11 am

Price: \$40.00 plus monthly kit**

**\$5.00/mo. Bring your previous months block back completed on the first Saturday of the month and receive the next block kit for free.

One On One With Carol Ann

This is your chance to "pick" Carol Ann's brain about anything related to quilting. Get help and/or advice on quilting projects in relation to fabric selection, color, pattern, techniques, assembly, size, finishing or whatever is needed to help you complete a quilting project.

Mondays, June 25, July 23, August 27

12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

Level: All

Price: \$20.00 per session

Pillowcase Dresses

Bring some pillowcases or fabric and sew some cute pillowcase dresses to be donated to local charities.

First Tuesday of each Month

10:30 am to 12:30 pm

FREE

Quilts of Honor

Join this friendly group and sew quilt tops for our veterans.

First Friday of each Month

10:30 am to 3:30 pm

FREE

Race to the Finish

Jill has a stack of unfinished quilts and she bets that you do too. Get away from all those boring household chores that keep you away from your sewing machine and come in and sew uninterrupted. There is nothing like sewing with a fun group to increase your motivation. We will laugh and enjoy ourselves, but we will also accomplish a lot.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Wednesday, May 23, June 13, July 18, August 15

9:00 am to 12:00 pm

Level: All

Price: \$10.00 per session

Rectangle Log Cabin

If you admire log cabin quilts, here is a stunning variation of the log cabin block. The varying strip widths create a beautiful "curved" design.

Instructor: Carolyn Lessing

Friday, August 17

9:30am to 3:30 pm

Level: Advanced Beginner

Price: \$45.00

Sew with Carol Ann

This is your chance to take the time to work on a project without the usual daily interruptions and get inspiration to finish it with a little help and encouragement if needed from Carol Ann.

Instructor: Carol Ann Santarosa

Mondays, June 25, July 23, August 27

2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Level: All

Price: \$10.00 per session

Shades of Fall

The "Shades of Fall" is a darling little wall hanging (15 1/2" x 19") that includes tissue paper foundation for paper piecing. In this class you will learn all the basics to paper piecing while making this perfect little wall hanging. And you can use up those scraps from your stash.

Instructor: Paulette Trafecanty

Monday, July 9

10:30 am to 2:30 pm

Level: All

\$40.00 plus pattern

Squares Squared

This quilt or wall-hanging design uses pieced squares, which fit into an intricate-looking pattern. The process is simple, but your color choices and layout will create a one-of-a-kind visual treat! A pattern will be provided.

Students will learn how to fit log cabin like squares into the pattern format and how use of color pulls sit all together. This class will meet two times.

Instructor Emily Sprague

Wednesday, June 27 and July 25

10:30 am to 2:30 pm

Level: Intermediate

Price: \$60.00

30's Club

This club is a place for lovers of 30's fabric to come together and sew projects using their favorite fabric. There will be "Show and Tell" of our love affair with our fabric and the sharing of ideas and patterns. Each meeting will feature a block that can be made. For those who are interested in being 30's Angels - baby quilts will be made from 30's fabrics and donated to local charities. The quilting for these blankets will be provided by a lovely angel.

Fourth Monday of the month starting in June

6:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Instructor: Carol Ann Santarosa

Price: \$35.00 year

SEWING PROJECTS

Boxer Shorts in 45 Minutes

Boxer shorts are fun to make and they make great gifts for the men, teens and kids in your life. Pat will teach you how to work with a pattern and construct the traditional five panel boxer. Once you know how, you can whip up a pair in 45 minutes!

Instructor: Pat Karr

Tuesday, July 10 10:30am to 12:30 pm

OR Saturday, July 14 10 am to 12 pm

\$15.00 plus pattern

Clothesline and Fabric Baskets

Use clothesline, a simple fabric-wrapping technique and zigzag stitching to create a beautiful and sturdy fabric basket. Quick and addicting!

Instructor: Emily Sprague

Saturday, June 16

10:30 am to 2:30 pm

Level: All

Price: \$45.00 plus book

English Paper Piecing – Christmas Ornaments

Get a little taste of English Paper Piecing while making a fun and cute Christmas Ornament. This is a great technique to learn and add to your quilting skills.

Instructor: Caroline Lunstra

Wednesday, Aug. 8

6:00 to 8:00 pm

Level: beginning and up

Price: \$15.00

Grooviest Girls

Groovy Girls make small projects that can be completed in class for the most part. These projects are fun to make, teach you great techniques, and make great gifts. You can choose which classes to sign up for.

Instructors: Stacey Aylesworth

Cash and Carry Groovy Project

Saturday, May 5 , 12:30 to 3:30 pm

Pockets to Go Groovy Project

Saturday, July 7 12:30 to 3:30 pm

I-Pad Cover Groovy Project

Saturday, August 4 12:30 to 3:30 pm

Level: Intermediate

Price: \$15 per groovy project plus patterns

Pillowcase Perfection

Jazz up those beds with pillowcases that are colorful and full of personality. They make wonderful birthday gifts for children and teens and the best part is that they look so professional and are fast to make. You will learn a French Seam technique.

Instructor: Carol Ann Santarose

Tuesday, August 14

2:00 to 4:00 pm

Price \$10.00

Spicy Spiral Table Runner

Everyone wants to make this table runner as soon as they see it. It's a "Wow!" project. Whether you use dramatic or cute fabrics, it looks terrific! It is an all day class, but you will go home with a beautiful piece that can be a table runner or applied to a background as a wall hanging. A unique project!

Instructor: Paulette Trafecanty

Monday, May 21

10:30 am to 4:30 pm

\$55.00 plus pattern and ruler

APPLIQUE CLASSES

Sit and Stitch

Bring your applique project or any other handwork and sit and stitch with Jill.

Jill will help you to perfect your technique and we will enjoy a relaxing evening together.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Level: All

Tuesdays, May, 22, June 19, July 24, Aug. 21

6:00 pm to 8:30 pm

Price: \$10.00 per session

Beginning Needle Turn Applique

Do you love the look of applique quilts, but have been hesitant to give one a try? Jill will cover all the basics to get you started in this three-session class. You will work on a small applique block.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Tuesday, May 15, May 29, June 5

10:30 am to 12:30 pm

Level: Beginning

Price: \$45.00

If you see a class you are interested in, please sign up early! Classes have a minimum number of students in order for it to "go". By waiting too long, your class may be filled or you may have been the one person needed to meet the minimum enrollment.

Continuation School

These classes are to help you complete a project that wasn't finished at the end of a class. Gretchen specializes in hand applique, but also welcomes you to attend and put quilt blocks together, finish a doll or other project or just come to applique with her. You might learn a trick or two AND finish a project, meet a new friend and have a little fun. Please indicate what type of project you will be working on when you sign up so that Gretchen can bring a sample or quilt or ideas to restart your battery.

Teacher/Guide: Gretchen Jennings

Wednesday, May 2 10:30 - 1:30

Wednesday, June 6 10:30 - 1:30

\$10.00 per session

Wool Club

Enjoy learning about and working with wool fabric. Make beautiful projects for your home and gift giving. This club is four sessions.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Friday, May 11, June 8, July 13, Aug. 10

1:30 pm to 4:30 pm

OR Sat. Mar. 17, Apr. 21, May 19, June 17

1:00 to 4:00

Price: \$30.00

EMBROIDERY CLASSES

Beginning Embroidery

Come and learn the basic stitches and what fabrics, threads and tools to use. This course will introduce you to embellishing your quilts, wool and stitchery projects. This class is three sessions

Instructor: Carolyn Lessing

Thursday, May 10, 17, 24

2:00 to 4:00 pm OR 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Thursday, July 5, 12, 19

2:00 to 4:00 pm OR 6:00 to 9:00 PM

Level: Beginning and Refresher

Price: \$55.00

Introduction to Sashiko

Learn the beautiful but easy process of Sashiko, the Japanese embroidery art used to embellish everything from fine garments, purses and quilts to baggage! In this class you will learn the original use of Sashiko and how it is designed. You will be able to complete a simple pincushion top and a small wall hanging in this 4 hour class.

Instructor: Dee Irwin

July 21

9:00 am to 12:30 pm

Level: Beginning

Price: 30.00 plus kit

Knot-y Embroidery Ladies Club

We have fun doing hand embroidery! Each month you will meet to share ideas and to learn a new stitch.

Instructor: Carolyn Lessing

Monday, July 16, Aug. 20, Sept. 17, Oct. 15,

Nov. 19, Dec. 17 6 to 8 pm.

OR Tuesday, July 17, Aug. 21, Sept. 18, Oct. 16,

Nov. 29, Dec. 18 from 10:30 am to 12:30 pm

Price: \$30 for six months

Tea Towel & Redwork Club

Have fun hand embroidering tea towels and/or Redwork projects. There are lots of little tips and tricks to share while we make something special for yourself, family and friends.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Level: Advanced Beginner

Price: \$30.00

CONTINUING CLASSES

Amish with a Twist

This class started in March, but there is still time to join the fun. This is your chance to work with solids in a stunning and beautiful quilt. This class will meet once a month for eight months.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Fridays 12-1, Saturdays 1-2, Saturdays 2-3

Classes start in March

Teacher: Jill Dalton

Please see calendar for dates

Level: Beginning to Advanced

Price: \$25 class fee and \$25/mo. Kit fee

Garden Party (Class Closed)

In this applique class we will make an incredible quilt by Buggy Barn. Twelve monthly kits will be provided. We will be staying as close to the original quilt colors as possible. We will start each block in class. Class time will be used to answer applique questions and to address the challenges of each block.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Level: All

Price: \$25 class fee and \$22/mo. Kit fee plus book

Merry, Merry Snowmen (Class Closed)

This adorable quilt by Bunny Hill Designs is not to be missed. This applique quilt features snowmen in fun winter scenes. We will be completing the quilt in the fabric (Rouenniers Deux) shown in the original quilt. Ten monthly kits will be provided. We will start each block in class. Class time will be used to answer applique questions and to address the challenges of each block. Pattern is included in the kit fee.

Instructor: Jill Dalton

Level: All

Price: \$25 Class Fee and \$28/mo. Kit Fee

WATCH THE SCHEDULE FOR.....

Dinner in the Garden

Join us for a catered dinner and a fun evening of sewing in the shop. Coming in July 2012.

Wool Banners of the Month

Each month we will kit up a small wool banner for you to make. Coming in May 2012

A Gardener's Alphabet

This beautiful embroidered Block of the Month will start in the fall of 2012. The kits will include the tan linen, the cosmo and seasons floss and the pattern. This Block of the month will include a class each month to help you with your stitching and coloring. Your spot in this class can be reserved with a \$45 non-refundable deposit. Reserve your spot immediately to guarantee you don't miss out.

String Theory

This fall, one of our newest teachers, Diane Matthews will be teaching a group of classes she is calling "string theory" which will use your leftover strips and scraps. Each session will be a demonstration of a technique with an instructional handout of that technique. Next time you come in the store, look around and see if you can spot a little sample of something she has made using one of the lessons she is going to give.

Class Policy: Pre-registration is required for all classes. Once payment has been received, you are considered enrolled and will receive a supply list.

Cancellation: Cancellations are accepted up to seven days in advance of the class for a store credit. If Fabric Garden cancels a class, you may take a store credit or a refund.

Block of the Month Programs: When you sign up for a Block of the Month, you are making a commitment to purchase ALL of the kits for that class.

