**COTTONWOOD** 

**SHOP HOURS:** 10 - 6 Monday - Saturday 12 - 4 Sunday

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Yeah! It's Spring! Fresh new fabrics, ideas and projects. Hope you will join us for a class soon. The class samples for April, May and June are hanging in the shop and classroom. We have photos of all of them on our website, too. Supply lists are available when you register, but we in the process of posting them on our website so you can see more info in advance. Our next Open House is Saturday, May 28 at which time we will have updates to the June calendar as well as July and August classes and events.

Many of you have asked about Longarm classes and rental of the BERNINA Q24. The answer is 'YES' and the classes will begin in May. We will work with 2 students at a time, a 3-hour class to include 1-hour of the machine basics and 2 hours of guided practice. Rental of the Q24 will only be available to persons having successfully completed the class. Come in or call for more information or to register for class.

We have already scheduled the Kids Camps for this summer, additional classes may be added, as needed: Kids Quilt Camp - July 11, 12, 13, 14 and 15, 2016 Each child will make their own quilt, while learning basic sewing and machine skills. 10am to 12:30pm daily. \$100.00 plus supplies and fabric

Kids Advanced Quilt Camp - July 25, 26, 27, 28 and 29, 2016 This class is for kids that have taken our Quilt Camp before and are ready for the next step. Each child will make a their own quilt while learning more advanced techniques in piecing and quilting. 10am to 12:30pm daily. \$100.00 plus sup plies and fabric

Have you heard about our **Quilt R & R at Sea?** Yes, we set sail September 1 to September 10 from Baltimore to Boston, Portland, Bar Harbor, St Johns in New Brunswick and Halifax in Nova Scotia and back to Baltimore. We are planning a Mystery Memory Quilt, but you can also stitch up Row by Row patterns or totally do your own projects. With 3 days at sea during this 10-day cruise we will have plenty of quality time for stitching. The conference room is available to us 24 hours a day during the entire cruise, so we can also stitch prior to, during and/or after port visits. And into the wee hours...call me.

The 2016 Row by Row Experience begins June 21 through September 6, 2016. This year's theme is **Home, Sweet Home!** It will be fun to see everyone's creative take on it. We will be doing some Row by Row shopping in our quilt cruise ports.

**Happy Spring!** 

### **Quilt Projects**

**Beginning Foundation Piecing** - Learn the basics with a simple pattern provided by Anne in class. Then move on to a multi-piece pattern of your choice. Recommended patterns – Spring, School Time, Haunted House, Falling Leaves or Scrap Happy Spools, all be Cindi Edgerton of A Very Special Collection. Beginner, \$25.00 Anne

**Building a Log Cabin Quilt** - Learn to make the basic log cabin block and how they can be assembled into different patterns. Beginner, \$25.00 Anne

**Candy Store** - Learn to piece curves in this unique and beautiful quilt. It's a great way to use your fat quarter collection and leftover fabrics. Intermediate \$50.00 Jill

**Dresden Plate Pillow** - This cheery pillow from a free pattern on the weallsew.com website is the perfect way to brighten your décor. Make one for every season! Beginner \$50.00 Mary

Love Worn - A timeless pattern using a variety of fabrics and elements - a 36 patch checkerboard, sashing stars, sawtooth border, and a half Lemoyne Star border or crown border. The central body is on point, while the borders are straight set. Quilt finishes 78½" x 93½". Intermediate \$99.00 Jeri

**Medallion Quilt** - This course builds on skills from previous quilt classes. We will apply your knowledge into critical thinking and original design. We will begin with a central focus and create framing to enhance the medallion's design and beauty. Advanced \$99.00 Jeri

One Block Wonder - Marilyn will lead you through this stack-n-whack technique that allows you to redesign your fabric to make a one-of-a-kind quilt, approximately 36" x 45". Intermediate, 2 sessions, \$72.00 Marilyn

**Picnic Basket** - This charm pack friendly pattern will make a lovely picnic cloth, table topper or wall hanging. Make it as scrappy as you like. Confident Beginner \$50.00 Jill

**Trotting Along** - Learn to work with smaller half square triangles and matching intersections while making this beautiful quilt. Our cozy sample is made out of flannel, but cottons and batiks can be used as well. Confident Beginner \$50.00 Jill

**'V' is for Victory** - Are you ready for some football? Get a jump start on football season and show your school spirit with this lap size quilt perfect for keeping warm at the game. Whether it's UVA, VA Tech, VMI or another 'V' school, you can be ready. Intermediate \$50.00 Jill

#### **Bags and Things**

**Crazy Patch Tote** - Use those scraps to make a statement. Bag is large enough for shopping or an overnight stay. Confident Beginner \$50.00 Jeri

**Professional Tote** - This bag has all the compartments needed for todays' professional women, would also be a great sewing tote or diaper bag. Finished size approximately 18" wide x 15" tall x 5" deep. Intermediate, \$99.00 Marilyn

**Stacking Pop-Ups** - Make storage fun with these stacking pop-ups. They collapse for travel and storage when not in use. Intermediate \$50.00 Jeri

**Tuffet, Quick and Cute** - Little Miss Muffet sat on her tuffet, now you can too! Make it for your living room, sewing room, nursery - you name it and you pick the fabric to make your personalized tuffet. Wonderful gift. Confident Beginner \$60.00 plus kit \$120.00 Venitta McCall

Walker/Wheelchair Bags - Learn to make a walker or wheelchair bag while you make one to donate to patients of UVA Transitional Care Hospital. FREE Jennifer Thompson

### **Block of the Month and Mystery Quilts**

Quilter's Legacy Mystery Quilt - We can't tell you much, but you will have fun and learn a lot as each sessions' clue reveals the mystery. 8 sessions plus Show & Tell Confident Beginner Club/Patterns \$75.00; Club/Patterns/Lazy Lap \$179.00; Club/Patterns/Quaintly Queen \$249.00 Jill

**River Rock** - A 9 month BOM, great for a beginner, you will learn different blocks and techniques while working with layer cakes. Confident Beginner \$299.00 Mary H.

### **Basics and Beyond**

**Beginning Quiltmaking** - Learn basic quiltmaking skills as you make a baby quilt, wall-hanging or table topper. You will learn about fabric selection, rotary cutting, proper piecing techniques, hand and machine quilting and binding. 5 Sessions, Beginner \$99.00 Jill

**Intermediate Quiltmaking** - Now that you have learned the basics, expand your skills by learning how to set blocks on point. We will also explore different ways to make the flying geese units and alternative methods of machine quilting. 5 Sessions, Confident Beginner \$99.00 Jill

**Intro to Free Motion Quilting** - Learn how to quilt your own quilts. Mary W. will teach you the basics of free motion quilting with fun exercises to increase your confidence and expertise. Confident Beginner \$30.00 Mary Wayland

#### Clubs

**BERNINA** Sew-cial - 2nd Tuesday in the BERNINA Center, Video with BERNINA Educator, demostrations, project directions, accessory specials at 10:30am and 2:30pm FREE Jeri

**All About Embroidery - 3rd Sunday,** 1:00pm - 3:30pm, Video, demonstrations, designs and handouts for project. \$100.00 annually, \$15.00 per session Jill

**Software Inspirations, 1st Saturdays,** - 10:00am - 12:30pm Hands-on Software Lesson, Handouts and Video \$150.00 annually, \$18.00 per session Venitta

**DesignWorks - Decoded -** 4th Wednesday, Video with BERNINA Educator, demonstrations, project handouts \$100.00 annually, 15.00 per session Mary

**Sew Club** - 3rd Wednesday, 2:00pm - 3:30pm, Project demonstrations, Show and Tell, FREE Janis

### **My BERNINA Mastery Classes**

#### **Machine Mastery 1 - Basic Operation**

For all BERNINA and Bernette Sewing Machines Learn what you need to know about the basic operation, basic accessories, needles, threads and care and maintenance of your new machine.

#### Machine Mastery 2 - Stitch Fun

For all computerized BERNINA Machines Explore decorative stitches and creative functions while learning features for embellishing projects.

#### **Machine Mastery 3 - Creative Options**

For BERNINA Artista, 560, 580, 7 and 8 Series Examine the distinctive features and functions that make these models unique and customizable.

#### **Mastery 4 - Machine Embroidery**

BERNINA Embroidery Machines, DECO, Chicago 7 Learn the basics of machine embroidery, hooping, stabilizing, monogramming, customizing designs and endless embroidery.

#### **Embroidery Software Mastery**

Take your embroidery to new heights with software to edit, combine, add lettering, scan artwork, digitize, create appliques, cross-stitch and more.

#### Serger Mastery 1– Basics Serger Use

For all BERNINA Sergers except 009DCC, 220L Learn threading, basic stitches and techniques for trimming, seaming and overcasting.

#### Serger Mastery 2 - Serging Ahead

For all BERNINA Sergers except 009DCC, 220L Learn about presser feet and accessories, decorative and optional uses for your serger.

#### Serger Mastery 3 - Cover and Chain Stitch

For Cover and Chain Stitch Sergers only - 1300MDC, 009DCC, 220L Advance your skills with cover and chain stitch techniques and uses.

# April 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					l Love Worn Postponed	2 Software Inspirations Welcome Spring 10:00 - 12:30 Art Canvas Quilt 1:00 - 4:00pm
3 Tuffet 9:30am - 4:00pm Quilter's Legacy Mystery Quilt 4/9 1:00-3:30pm	4 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	5 Intermediate Quiltmaking 5/5 10:15am-12:45pm  CHS 1:00-3:00pm	6 Mastery 1 Basic Operations 10:15am-12:45pm	7 RNINA Feeling Taxed Event	8 Love Worn 1/4 10:15 - 1:00pm 4/6—11E	9 One Block Wonder 1/2 10:15 - 4:00pm
10 Beginning Foundation Piecing 12:30 - 3:30pm  BERNINA Feeling Ta	11 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	Serger Mastery 1 10:15-12:30pm BERNINA Club Organize with Mesh Bags 2:00pm-4:00pm	13 Mastery 2 Stitch Fun 10:15am-12:45pm	14 Candy Store 10:15 - 4:00pm	15 Love Worn 2/4 10:15 - 1:00pm	16 Crazy Patch Tote 10:15pm - 4:00pm
17 Mastery 4 Machine Embroidery 10:00 - 12:45pm All About Embroidery What's All the Hoopla? 1:00pm-3:30pm	18 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	19 CHS 1:00-3:00pm	20 Mastery 3 Creative Options 10:15am-12:45pm  Sew Club 2:00-3:30pm	21 Beginning Quiltmaking 1/5 10:15-12:45pm OR 5:30-8:00pm  River Rock BOM 1/9 2:00 - 4:30pm	Dresden Plate Pillow 10:15 - 4:00pm	23 Walker/Wheelchair Bags 10:15 - 4:00pm
24 Building a Log Cabin Quilt 12:30 - 3:30pm	25 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	26	27 Mastery 4 Machine Embroidery 10:15am-12:45pm	28 Beginning Quiltmaking 2/5 10:15-12:45pm OR 5:30-8:00pm	29 Love Worn 3/4 10:15 - 1:00pm	30 One Block Wonder 2/2 10:15 - 4:00pm

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l Quilter's Legacy Mystery Quilt 5/9 1:00-3:30pm	2 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	3 CHS 1:00-3:00pm	4 Mastery 1 Basic Operations 10:15am-12:45pm	5	6 Love Worn 4/4 10:15 - 1:00pm	7 Software Inspirations Art Collage Clutch 10:15am-12:15pm Embroidery Feet 1:00 - 4:30pm
8  Mother's Day COTTONWOOD Will be closed	9 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	10 Serger Mastery 2 10:15-12:30pm BERNINA Club Modern Clutch 2:00pm-4:00pm	11 Mastery 2 Stitch Fun 10:15am-12:45pm	12 Beginning Quiltmaking 3/5 10:15-12:45pm OR 5:30-8:00pm River Rock BOM 2/9 2:00 - 4:30pm	13 Trotting Along 10:15 - 4:00pm ing Fling May 11 - 16	14 Mastery 1-3 Basic Operations Stitch Fun Creative Options 10:15 - 5:00pm
15 All About Embroidery Monogram Mania 1:00pm-3:30pm Spring Fling May 11 -	16 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	17 Medallion Quilt 1/5 10:15 - 12:45 CHS 1:00-3:00pm	18 Mastery 3 Creative Options 10:15am-12:45pm Sew Club 2:00-3:30pm	19 Beginning Quiltmaking 4/5 10:15-12:45pm OR 5:30-8:00pm	20 Picnic Basket 10:15 - 4:00pm	21 Stacking Pop-Ups 10:15 - 4:00pm
22 Intro to Free Motion Quilting 12:30 - 3:00pm	23 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	24 Medallion Quilt 2/5 10:15 - 12:45	25 Mastery 4 Machine Embroidery 10:15am-12:45pm	26 Beginning Quiltmaking 5/5 10:15-12:45pm OR 5:30-8:00pm	27	28 Summer Open House
29	30 Memorial Day Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	31 Medallion Quilt 3/5 10:15 - 12:45 CHS 1:00-3:00pm				

### June 2016

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			1 Mastery 1 Basic Operations 10:15am-12:45pm	2 Intermediate Quiltmaking 1/5 10:15am-12:45pm or 5:30pm-8:00pm	3	4 Software Inspirations Ins & Outs of Distortions 10:00 - 12:30pm Decorative Stitching 1:00 - 4:30pm
5 Quilter's Retreat Mystery Quilt 6/9 1:00-3:30pm	6 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	7 Medallion Quilt 4/5 10:15 - 12:45 CHS 1:00-3:00pm	8 Mastery 2 Stitch Fun 10:15am-12:45pm	9 Intermediate Quiltmaking 2/5 10:15am-12:45pm or 5:30pm-8:00pm	10 Staff Training & Prep	11 Sewapalooza Sewing Roadshow
				River Rock BOM 3/9 2:00 - 4:30pm		
12 All About Embroidery A Star is Born 1:00pm-3:30pm	13 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	14 Medallion Quilt 5/5 10:15 - 12:45 Serger Mastery 3 10:15-12:30pm BERNINA Sew-cial All Together Bag 10:30am & 2:30pm	15 Mastery 3 Creative Options 10:15am-12:45pm Sew Club 2:00-3:30pm	16 Intermediate Quiltmaking 3/5 10:15am-12:45pm or 5:30pm-8:00pm	17 'V' is for Victory 10:15 - 4:00pm	18 Professional Tote 1/2 10:15am - 4:00pm
19 Father's Day COTTONWOOD Will be closed.	20 Make-It Monday 10:00am - 5:00pm	21 CHS 1:00-3:00pm	22 Mastery 4 Machine Embroidery 10:15am-12:45pm	23 Intermediate Quiltmaking 4/5 10:15am-12:45pm or 5:30pm-8:00pm	24	25 Professional Tote 2/2 10:15am - 4:00pm
		Row by Row E	xperience , Home	 Sweet Home - June 2	1 through Septem	ber 6, 2016
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