Sunflower Creations
Creating a Stitch in Time

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Sewing Center News

Greetings from Sunflower Creations!

Oh what a blessing these rains have been! It has refreshed everything. We also have the blessing of being able to find spiritual refreshment as we give ourselves to our Creator and take the time for daily consultations with Him.

- **Floriani Hands-On Embroidery Workshop. This workshop is scheduled for January 30 and 31, 2015. We are open to enrollment. Cost is as follows:**

  Sign up before November 30 for $99 + tax

  Sign up Nov 30—Dec 30 for $109 + tax

  Sign up Dec 31 –Jan 14 for $119 + tax

  Sign up Jan 15—Jan 20 for $129 + tax

Enrollment closes January 20th or when class full. Enrollment is limited to 60 people. Payment is required at time of enrollment. In the event you need to cancel, you must do so by January 15th in order to receive a full refund. Cancellations after January 15th are not entitled to a refund.

- **Please note that we will be closed July 7 thru 14 for BERNINA University. We will reopen Tuesday morning July 15th at 9:00 am.**
- **We are participating in the Kansas "Row by Row Experience". This shop hop is a Kansas State wide shop hop. It begins July 1st and ends on September 2nd, 2014. Visit their website at www.rowbyrowexperience.com for more details and a listing of the participating shops.**
- **We continue to offer the monthly Anita Goodesign Workshops. Call and ask for details today.**
- **Be watching for more information on the BERNINA Long Arm quilting machines. We will be sharing more information after we return from BERNINA University.**

Newsletter Spotlight

- **Receive 25% off the #56 in the month of July.**
- **Please note that we will be closed July 7 thru 14 for BERNINA University.**
- **The New BERNINA E16 will be arriving sometime the week of July 13th so stay tuned for more details. You can follow our blog at http:// blog.sunflowercreations.org/**

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- **If your are looking for a new machine with special pricing come check out the following BERNINA machines: 1008, 215, 450, 530, 550QE, 560, 580, 710, 780, & 830E. These are showroom model machines that are 9-12 months old. We have one of each and when it is gone the prices return to normal everyday prices. Hurry in before it's to late.**
- **We also have a nice used BERNINA 640 and a 730E at excellent prices as well as some older BERNINA and other branded machines.**
- **If your looking for a serger we have an 1150 MDC showroom model at a reduced price.**
- **We have worked our way down on our long arm quilting so the waiting time is less then 2 months. Bring your top. We would love to quilt it for you.**
- **Due to some unforeseen circumstances delivery of the 3D Imaginator Printer has unfortunately been delayed until early fall.**

Features Foot Facts

- Open Embroidery Foot with Sliding Sole #56

Open Embroidery Foot with Sliding Sole #56 is one of several Bernina presser feet with specially coated soles for moving over the surface of fabrics which tend to "drag" - microfibers, plastics, vinyl, and leather, as well as heavily glazed or highly polished fabrics. Instead of "sticking" to the fabric, the soles of these feet glide over the surface, resulting in well-formed stitches and problem-free sewing.

Foot #53 is identical to Open Embroidery Foot #2; however, the entire sole portion of the foot is covered with a white or green non-stick coating.

When stitching microfiber materials, the use of a sharp needle (Microtex) is recommended for producing well formed stitches and avoiding damage to the fabric. Leather needles, with a wedged-shaped point, work well for real suede and leather. Avoid using these on plastics, vinyl's, and imitation leathers because the point will cut these materials, perforating them. Also to avoid perforating leather, vinyl, and plastic fabrics, use a long (4mm –5mm) stitch length.

Nurse FIXIT please, I need it yesterday!

Gone Busy.

Questions, comments, or suggestions? Email us at sunflowercreations@ucom.net or call 620-668-5584.