

QUILTER'S CUPBOARD

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MONDAY – FRIDAY 10:00 – 5:30,
THURSDAYS 10:00– 7:00 SATURDAY 10:00– 5:00

October 2010



The Des Moines AQS show was lots of fun but lots of work and we're excited to just be back in the shop to start planning for the holidays!

We've got great seasonal projects and classes coming up and we're already thinking about our new block of the months for 2011.

Jenny

WHAT'S NEW

- Whimsicals Tangled Threads
- Jo Morton's Annandale fabric
- Pre-quilted silver coated heat resistant fabric
- Chalkboard fabric
- Cosmo's *Seasons* variegated colorfast embroidery floss
- 2011 Calendars and other gift ideas for your favorite quilter!
- Expanded selection of Fairy Frost

GOBBLE UP THE DEALS THANKSGIVING NIGHT!

After a big meal and a quick nap, join us for the perfect end to your Thanksgiving holiday festivities. The store will be open from 6pm to 9pm and everyone can draw their own discount—anywhere from 15% to 40% off everything in the store!

The savings continue on Friday
with all fabrics 15% off

NEW BOM CIVIL WAR CHRONICLES STARTS JANUARY 2011

Civil War histories so often focus on the military commanders who led various battles. But, who were the women married to these leaders, and what sacrifices did they endure as their husbands went off to war?

The answer can be found in Civil War Chronicles, Marcus' latest Civil War commemorative quilt project. It combines a new Judie Rothermel fabric collection of the same name with a quilt design and patterns by Homestead Hearth. The quilt blocks tell the stories of twelve women who encountered their own struggles on the home front while their husbands were away.



You will enjoy learning about these interesting women who shared in the struggle, representing both sides of it.

Each month will include a pattern with technical instructions written by Vivian Ritter, as well as historical background and tips provided by Homestead Hearth. A biography about the generals' wives and important events during their war experiences will also be included.

Civil War Chronicles Block of the Month will run from January 2011 to December 2011 with a monthly kit fee still to be determined.

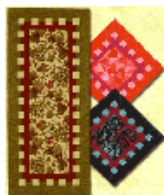


QUILTER'S CUPBOARD CLASSES AND CLUBS



WAFFLE TIME TABLERUNNER—

Everything tastes better when served on a homemade table runner! A fun and easy table runner in two sizes - 18" x 18" and 18" x 42".
Sewing machine required.



Teacher—Cindy Peters

Mon. Nov. 1 & 8 6-8pm \$25

FEATHERS 101—In this class, you will learn to draw and stitch feathers. We will start by learning different ways to draw feathers and then we will move to the long-arm quilting machine or your domestic sewing machine and stitch out some feathers. You will learn several feather variations.

Teacher—Trina Kirkvold

Wed. Nov. 10 5:30-8:30pm \$25

TUMBLING BLOCK WEAVE

Students will learn how to weave strips of three coordinating fabrics into an intricate tumbling block design and make a small wall quilt with it. The finished project will measure approximately 12" x 14". Completed projects featuring other applications for the technique will also be shown and discussed.



Teacher—Jan Hedding

Sat. Nov. 6 10:00am-4:30pm \$35

BERMUDA BAG— The Bermuda Bag pattern by Pink Sand Beach Designs is a practical shoulder bag with a secure zippered top and lots of pockets. Check out the cool bobbin work



on our sample! *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Fri. Nov. 5 & 12 10am-Noon \$25

STAND 'N STOW— This simple sack stands up when you pack it and then it folds and stows away. 3 sizes of bags included. Exclusively available at Groovy Girl Club shops!

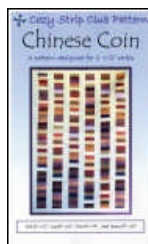


Sewing machine required.

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Tues. Nov. 9 & 16 6-8pm \$25

BEGINNING QUILTING - If you've ever had



the desire to learn to make a quilt but didn't know where to start, this is the class for you! Learn everything you need to know to "get you on your way" to successful quilt making in this four-week class. Start with fabric selection,

rotary cutting, strip piecing and finish with layering and binding - plus tips and tricks to use on future projects. This class specializes in hands-on instruction and individual attention. *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Mon. Nov. 15, 22, 29 & Dec. 6 6-8pm—\$45

JAZZY TOWEL APRON—Make a fun apron out of one of our kitchen towels. Use contrast fabric for straps and ruffle or pocket. Add embroidery or an appliqué for a personal touch.

Sewing machine required.

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Tues. Nov. 9 & 16 6-8pm \$25

CASH AND CARRY—Corral your cash, cards, and coins in an easy zipper pouch. Make one to keep and one to give away. Use Terry's easy zipper method and you'll agree that zippers are no big deal!



Teacher—Cindy Peters

Tues. Nov. 30 5:30-8pm \$18

MEANDERING MAGIC— This machine quilting technique is great for all types of quilting machines long-arm, short-arm, mid-arm and home machines. This class shows a different approach to an all-over feather design. Learn feathers or take your feathering to the next level and have a great time. Drawing & hands-on the Baby Lock Jewel long arm machine. This class is for anyone with the basics of machine quilting.

Teacher—Trina Kirkvold

Wed. Dec. 1 5:30-8:30pm—\$25

BASIC COMPUTER SKILLS FOR

EMBROIDERY—Curious about how to download designs off the Internet and find them when you get ready to stitch them. This hour long class will give you the confidence you need to begin mastering the essentials of computer knowledge as it pertains to your embroidery machine. Distinguish between a left and a right click, learn how to create folders on your hard drive and gain all the confidence you need make your embroidery more enjoyable.

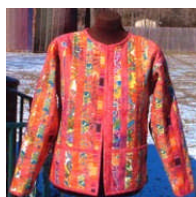
Laptop computer required

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Fri. Dec. 3 10:00am—Noon \$15

Mon. Dec. 20 6-8pm \$15

QUILTED JACKET—Using a sweatshirt, this quilted jacket goes together fast and is so much fun to wear. *Sewing machine required.*



Teacher—Cindy Peters

Mon. Dec. 13 & 27 6-8pm \$25

MAKE LIFE FUN BUCKETS— These little canvas buckets are lined with fabric and have clothesline handles. Embellish with one of the labels in the pattern or use your embroidery machine to make them extra special. *Sewing machine required.*



Teacher—Cindy Peters

Tues. Dec. 21 5:30—8pm \$18

MONTHLY CLUBS

GROOVY GIRLS SEWING CLUB

\$5 per month or \$25 for 6 months. We'll meet the third Friday of each month at 10:30am & 6pm. Next meeting in Friday, Nov. 19. It's not too late to join—you're not going to want to miss the fun!

FABRIC CLUB

(Fabric Accumulation Beyond Realistically Imagined Completion)

Where do you hide your stash? Does it fit in your sewing room? Under the bed? How about that old hamper that your family thinks has clothes in it? Take back the house in 2010! Let's get those UFO's (unfinished objects) out and completed. This is a FREE club! Come sew and socialize while using up your stash. The club meets the last Monday of the month from 10 – 4.

STITCHERY AND WOOL CLUB

This year we've combined two of our popular clubs to make it even bigger and better, beginners welcome! Each month there will be a hand embroidery project and a wool project and kits will be available. All you need to do is bring your floss,

needle and scissors for this fun, relaxing get-together. Sign up by the 1st of the month to ensure that we have enough kits. The meetings will be the 2nd Thursday of the month at 10:30am and 5:30pm and will last 1 1/2 hours for extra stitching time! Free with purchase of monthly kit

SYLVIA'S BRIDAL SAMPLER

Each month we will make 7 blocks from Jennifer Chiaverini's book *Sylvia's Bridal Sampler from Elm Creek Quilts*. After 4 five month sessions, you will have all 140 blocks completed for this special quilt. Club members will receive 10% off the purchase of the book and background fabric (10 yards is needed). As added fun, we will also be reading *The Quilter's Apprentice*, the first book in the *Elm Creek Quilts* series. The club meets the 4th Thursday of the month at 10:30am or 6:00pm. Cost is \$15 for 5 months.

APPLIQUE CLUB

Are you a hand or machine appliquer? If so, this new club is for you. Join Sharon Meisenheimer the 1st Tues. of the month at 1pm, 5pm or 7pm. Each month, we will share projects, get help and advice from the group and learn a new technique. Club fee is \$10 a month, payable the month you attend.

SERGER WORK DAY

Bring any brand of serger and any project you're working on to our Serger Work Day. Join other serger enthusiasts, share tips and tricks and learn new ideas. We meet the 4th Tuesday of the month from 10am—1pm and it's Free!



2nd Annual Purse Party
Coming in January!

BABYLOCK MACHINE EMBROIDERY

SIT & PLAY

Bring your Baby Lock embroidery machine and any project you're working on. Join other beginning machine embroidery enthusiasts, share tips and tricks and learn new ideas. We meet the 1st Thursday of the month from 10am—1pm and it's Free!

About Our Classes

To sign up for a class, please pre-register to reserve your space. Classes have a minimum of 4 students and refunds are available up to one week before the first class session. In fairness to the teachers and other students who have purchased their supplies, we are unable to make refunds after that time.

Supplies are needed for all classes and a supply list will be furnished when you register. The class fee covers instruction only, but there is a 10% discount on all supplies needed for the class. Materials for classes at Quilter's Cupboard must be purchased at Quilter's Cupboard so that we can remain in business to keep offering you more great classes!

Due to student and teacher allergies, please refrain from wearing perfumes and scented lotions to class.

Batik and Civil War BOM's
Start in January
Reserve your Spot Today!

Scissor Sharpening

Do you have a pair of scissors that are in desperate need of sharpening? Steve of Gillespie Sharpening will be at Quilter's Cupboard the 1st Friday of each month at 4:00 pm.

Scissors (sewing, kitchen, all-purpose) - \$5

Pinking Shears - \$8

Salon Shears - \$15-\$20

November 2010

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Waffle Time Table runner 1 of 2 \$25 6-8pm	2 Hand Applique Club 1 & 5pm \$10	3	4	5 Bermuda Bag 1 of 2 \$25 10am-Noon	6 Tumbling Block Weave 10:00am— 4:30pm \$35
7	8 Waffle Time Table runner 2 of 2	9 Stand and Stow 1 of 2 \$25 6-8pm	10 Feathers 101 5:30-8:30pm \$25	11 Stitchery & Wool Club 10:30am & 6pm	12 Bermuda Bag 2 of 2	13
14	15 Beg. Quilting 1 of 4 \$45 6-8pm	16 Stand and Stow 2 of 2	17	18 Civil War Club 10:30am & 6pm	19 Groovy Girl's Sewing Club 10:30am & 6pm	20
21	22 Beg. Quilting 2 of 4 \$45	23 Jazzy Towel Apron 5:30-8pm \$18	24	25 Happy Thanksgiving Sale 6-9pm	26	27
28	29 Beg. Quilting 3 of 4 \$45	30 Cash 'n Carry 5:30—8pm \$18				

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			1 Meandering Magic 5:30 –8:30pm \$25	2 Sylvia's Bridal Sampler 10:30am & 6pm	3 Basic Computer Skills for Machine Embroidery 10-Noon \$15	4
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26	27 Quilted Jacket 2 of 2	28	29	30	31	