**STITCHER’S PLAYHOUSE**

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**CLASS SCHEDULE**

**LOG CABIN PUMPKINS TABLE RUNNER/TOPPER.** Get ready to set your fall table with this beautiful pumpkin table runner that works equally well as a table topper. **Kathy** will show you how easy it is to do log cabin piecing to make this 27” x 36” project just in time for fall entertaining. Kits are available or you can use your stash to make pumpkins in your favorite colors.

**Date:** Thursday, August 17 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, August 19 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern (kit available that includes fabric & pattern)

**BASICS OF QUILTING. Jeanne** loves teaching the art of quilting. Her tips and techniques will have you quilting like a pro in no time at all. Our four-session class begins with cutting our fabric using a rotary and ruler and stitch a perfect ¼” seam while constructing your blocks. You will add borders and complete your quilt top in the second class. The third class will be all about quilting and, in the final class, you will apply your binding. There will also be homework between each class.

**Dates:** August 22, 29, September 5 & 12 9:30 am – 12 noon **or** 6 – 8:30 pm

 November 14, 21, 28 & December 5

**Class Fee:** $60 + fabric (pattern provided)

**ALL ABOUT SERGERS. Linda** is our resident serger expert. Let her help you become familiar with threading, adjusting, and learning all the things your serger will do. In the class, you will also make a pillowcase with a ruffle to put these newfound skills to good use!

**Dates:**  Thursday, August 24 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, August 26 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric

**“DOG IN A SWEATER” PILLOW.**  We love the piecing artistry of *Elizabeth Hartman*. Her quilts come alive with every kind of animal you can think of. One of her newest is “Dogs in Sweaters”. It can be a baby quilt, full size quilt, or pillow. **Kathy** chose the pillow to teach the intricate piecing techniques that make this dachshund dog one you want to pick up and hug! We love the yummy flannels Kathy chose for her sample.

**Dates:**  Thursday, September 7 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, September 9 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern

**Skill Level: Confident Beginner**

**WILD BY DESIGN’S “LAUREN” KNIT DRESS.** This dress comes in sizes 2 to 12 and has only three pieces. We ordered lots of fun funky knits you can mix and match. And your serger makes construction a breeze. A double-ruffled sleeve and ruffle around the hem are edged with a rolled hem. You’ll love how quickly this dress comes together!!

**Dates:**  Thursday, September 14 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, September 16 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern (PDF)

**Skill Level: Confident Beginner**

**HUNTER’S STAR QUILT.** *Deb Tucker* is famous for her unique quilt patterns using templates she has designed. **Kathy** has made her Hunter’s Star Quilt in a beautiful collection of batiks. But we think this design would be equally rich in print and tonal fabrics.

**Date:**  Saturday, September 23 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric, book & template

**Skill Level: Intermediate**

**IRISH CHAIN QUILT.** **Kay** loves making scrappy quilts and this one is exceptional. Pick a color scheme or use leftover fabrics from other projects. The white background fabric (or any other color you choose) offers a blank canvas for your fabrics. You will come for a 2-1/2-hour prep class to design your color scheme and begin cutting your fabrics.

**Date:**  **Prep Class:**

Tuesday, September 19 6 – 8:30 pm

**Construction Class:**

Saturday, September 30 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $50 + fabric & pattern

**Skill Level: Intermediate**

**TRIP AROUND THE WORLD QUILT.** Perfect for cooler weather, this flannel quilt uses strip sets to make the unique “on point” design. Kits are available to match **Jeanne’s** sample, or pick your colors from our large selection of beautiful flannels.

**Dates:**  Thursday, October 5 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, October 7 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric (pattern provided)

**Skill Level: Confident Beginner**

**ENGLISH PAPER PIECING (EPP)**—This is not your grandmother’s hexies! When fabric designer *Tula Pink* gets excited about EPP and does a knock out beautiful wall hanging, we had to share it with our customers. Not to worry if you’ve never done it! **Jeanne’s** free class will offer tips and techniques for doing this fun handwork.

**Date:**  Tuesday, October 10 9:30 am – 12 noon **or** 6 – 8:30 pm

**Class Fee:** FREE!

**ADULT KNIT JACKET.** You will love making this #1 best-selling Vogue pattern! The semi-fitted unlined jacket has front princess seams with pockets that can be faced with a contrasting fabric. A curved back seam and uneven hem add interest to this hooded jacket. **Ida Mae** will offer lots of helpful hints that will have you loving to sew knits!

**Dates:**  Thursday, October 12 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, October 14 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern (Vogue #9244)

**Skill Level: Intermediate**

**REVERSE APPLIQUE WINTER PILLOW.** Designer *Alabama Channin* is well-known for her hand stitched reverse applique projects. From garments to quilts to home décor pieces, you will have a hard time deciding which you like best. For this class, **Jane Ewald** has done two beautiful winter pillows for you to choose from to learn the technique. You will come for two 2-1/2-hour classes—one to learn the applique technique and one to construct your pillow. You will have homework to complete your applique before coming back to finish your pillow. Be sure to sign up early because we know this class will fill quickly!

**Dates:**  Tuesday, October 17 & 24 9:30 am – 12 noon **or** 6 – 8:30 pm

**Class Fee:** $40 + fabric (pattern provided)

**Skill Level:** Love of handwork and basic sewing skills!

**HAVING FUN WITH COLLAGE!** The last time **Ida Mae** taught this class, it was a runaway hit! Let her teach you how to use fabric to paint a picture. All you need is a line drawing of what you want to do and your fabric prepped before class. Ida Mae will have samples showing what you can do with your finished collage.

**Date:**  Saturday, October 21 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35

**Skill Level: Beginner**

**“BETWEEN THE LINES” QUILT**. That’s the name of a new quilt Linda will be teaching. It uses a jelly roll, so fabric-cutting is at a minimum. Or use fabric from your stash that you’ve cut into 2-1/2” strips. This quilt is perfect for that scrappy look or pick a color scheme using one of our many jelly rolls.

**Dates:**  Thursday, October 26 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, October 28 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern (PDF download from [www.etsy.com/shop/sweetjane](http://www.etsy.com/shop/sweetjane): $9)

**Skill Level: Confident Beginner**

**WOODLAND ECHOS QUILT. We** love that so many of our fabric vendors have free downloadable patterns that showcase their fabric lines. This quilt is a perfect example of that! Robert Kaufman’s beautiful *Sound of the Woods* fabric line has an iridescent quality that makes this quilt a knock-out. Be sure to check out **Kay’s** sample and sign up for her class today!

**Date:**  Saturday, November 4 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric (pattern provided)

**Skill Level: Confident Beginner**

**MICROWAVE BOWLS.** Who hasn’t burned their fingers taking a hot container from the microwave? Let **Jane** show you how to make these fun fabric bowls to hold your microwavable dishes. Using 100% cotton batting in the middle makes them microwave safe! With the holidays just around the corner, you’ll be making them as gifts for friends and family!

**Date:**  Tuesday, November 7 9:30 am – 12 noon **or** 6 – 8:30 pm

**Class Fee:** $25 + fabric (pattern provided)

**Skill Level: Beginner**

**MiPAD CASE.** If you missed **Linda’s** last class to make this padded bag for your electronic tablet, be sure and sign up! It is decorated with TextureMagic—a treatment that makes your fabric scrunch up. With a zippered closure, the bag can also be a secure “cross body” purse.

**Dates:**  Thursday, November 9 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, November 11 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern

**Skill Level: Intermediate**

**LLAMA LLAMA MINKY BABY BLANKET**. We love Michael Miller’s new silky minky, especially this whimsical llama print. **Jeanne** paired it with lots of colorful minky solids using our favorite Modern Art quilt pattern. She will also show you how easy it is to quilt with lines going in all directions.

**Dates:**  Thursday, November 16 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, November 18 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern

**Skill Level:** **Confident Beginner**

**WONDER WALLET.** This project is perfect for using up scraps of fabric. The compact design provides space for credit cards and folded money in a wallet that fits in your pocket. Or you can also use it as a gift card holder—just in time for Christmas. Let **Jane** show you how easy it is to make these!

**Dates:**  Thursday, November 30 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

 Saturday, December 2 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + fabric & pattern

**Skill Level: Beginner**

**SELVEDGE SILHOUETTE PILLOW.** If you have ever seen those popular silhouettes of a child’s profile, let **Ida Mae** show you how fun it is to do one out of fabric selvedges. That’s the color-coded edges that you cut off your fabric before construction. We’ve been collecting them in anticipation of teaching this class and are happy to share!

**Date:**  Saturday, December 9 9:00 am – 2:00 pm

**Class Fee:** $35 + supplies

**Skill Level: Beginner**

**SEW DAY**

There just never seems to be enough time to work on those unfinished projects or begin a new one. You can’t do it at home because there are always distractions like laundry, housecleaning, cooking, the kids, etc. So we’re giving you permission to run away from home and come to Stitcher’s Playhouse for a day of sewing! On the first Friday of each month, beginning September 8, you can treat yourself to a day of sewing from 9:00 am to 3:00 pm. A teacher will be on hand to assist you with your project. The cost is $25.

 **Date Teacher**

 Friday, September 8 Jeanne Phipps

 Friday, October 6 Linda Vaughn

 Friday, November 3 Jeanne Phipps

 Friday, December 1 Linda Vaughn