



Thimble Towne Visalia
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BL Basics #1

Get to know your machine. This class is designed to cover the key features of all sewing and embroidery machines (excludes multi needle embroidery, Destiny, and sergers.) We will go over the “ins and outs” of your machine, including the basic maintenance and up keep needed in order to make sure your machine is running at its best.

Dates/Times

Tuesday 9/20; 6pm to 8pm -OR-
Wednesday 11/2; 10am to Noon

Fee: Free w/machine purchase from Thimble Towne

Instructor: Jeremy Swaim

Location: Visalia

BL basics #2

Your machine comes with its own selection of feet; some you may already know how to use and others may be a little foreign. This class will cover the different presser feet available to you and how to use them taking away all the guess work.

Dates/Times

Tuesday 9/27; 6pm to 8pm -OR-
Wednesday 11/16; 10am to Noon

Fee: Free w/machine purchase from Thimble Towne

Instructor: Jeremy Swaim

Location: Visalia



Beginning Quilting 102 – Simply Sampled

You’ve graduated from BQ: 101 and now it’s time to take the next step in your quilting education! Create this gorgeous sampler quilt while learning a variety of quilting techniques. This pattern will teach you how to make; half square triangles, flying geese, quarter square triangles, strip piecing and more!

Dates: Mondays 9/26, 10/3, 10/10, 10/17 & 10/24

Time: 10am to 1pm

Fee: \$75.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Kathy Hawkins

Location: Visalia



Beginning Quilting 101 – Just Can't Cut It

This class is designed to teach you quilting from square one. Learn to properly cut fabric using rotary cutters, master the $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam and piece together your first quilt top!

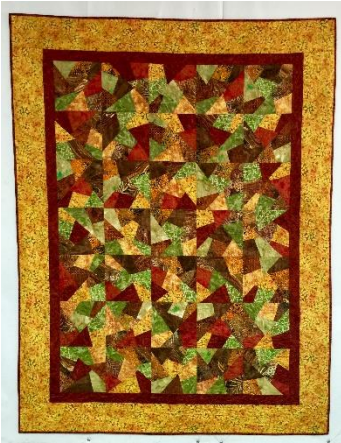
Dates: Mondays 11/7, 11/14, & 11/21

Time: 10am to 1pm

Fee: \$40.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Kathy Hawkins

Location: Visalia



Kwik Krazy Quilt

Turn 12 fabrics into a Krazy quilt in no time at all. Using a freezer paper pattern, you will cut once, NO measuring and NO templates.

Dates: Tuesdays 9/27 & 10/4

Time: 10am to 2pm

Fee: \$35.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Karen Rascoe

Location: Visalia



Art Collage

You keep asking, and we keep delivering! Kathy is back to teach the ever popular collage patterns by Laura Heine! This fun, easy, art class sold out quick the last three times she taught it, so don't miss out on the fun!

Dates/Times

Thursday 9/29 & 10/6; 10am to 3pm -OR-

Saturday 12/3 & 12/10; 10am to 3pm

Fee: \$40.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Kathy Hawkins

Location: Visalia



Tool Tote

A tool tote is what everyone needs! A bag everyone WANTS! Pockets all the way around on the outside, pockets all the way around on the inside! Heavy duty formed metal stays that keep the bags mouth wide open, easy to get in and reach all your important tools. But tools aren't the only things it's good for--there are many other uses for this versatile tote.

Dates: Fridays 9/30 & 10/7

Time: 10am to 3pm

Fee: \$50.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Ann Hinman

Location: Visalia

Dime Software Training

Join Patty for these introductory classes on using your Perfect Embroidery Pro (PEP) or Word Art & Stitch (WAS).

Dates/Times

Saturday – 9/24; 10 am – 2 pm Intro to PEP

Saturday – 10/15; 10 am – 2 pm Intro to W. A. S.

Saturday – 10/22; 10 am – 2 pm Intro to Digitizing Applique

Fee: Free w/purchase of software from Thimble Towne

Instructor: Patty Young

Location: Visalia

R Larry Serger Training

Babylock educator R Larry Touchette continues to educate you on the use of your serger in these informative classes. You will make a small project using a variety of stitches using your 4-thread serger during the morning class and make a small project using a variety of stitches using your cover stitch serger in the afternoon class.

Dates/Times: Saturday - 10/1

4 thread training; 10am to 1pm

Cover stitch training; 2pm to 5 pm

Fee: Free w/machine purchase from Thimble Towne (KIT FEE \$10.00/session)

Instructor: RLarry Touchette

Location: Visalia



Quiltworx Floral Placemats

Have you seen the amazing new floral placemats from Quiltworx? Choose from any of the 3 patterns; African Violets, Dogwood or Impatiens.

Dates: Thursday 12/8

Times: 10am to 4pm

Fee: \$35 plus supplies

Instructor: CI Patsy Carpenter

Location: Visalia

Finish It with Patsy

Stuck on a Quiltworx project? Need a little direction on your current Judy quilt? Bring it in and take advantage of CI Patsy Carpenter being available to help you finish it!

Dates: Wednesday 10/5

Time: 10 am to 4 pm

Fee: \$35.00 plus supplies

Instructor: CI Patsy Carpenter

Location: Visalia



Sunflower Illusions

Join Patsy for this 2-day class on the popular Sunflower Illusions quilt. This class is great for beginners and experienced paper piecers. You can expand it to as large as you'd like and the color possibilities are endless!

Dates: Wednesday & Thursday 10/12 & 10/13

Time: 10 am to 4 pm

Fee: \$70.00 plus supplies

Instructor: CI Patsy Carpenter

Location: Visalia



The Smart Shopper / Trick or Treat Bag

A stylish grocery bag that's washable, reusable and folds flat. This bag would also make a great Trick or Treat bag for your favorite little ones.

Dates: Tuesday 10/11

Time: 10am to 2pm

Fee: \$20.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Karen Rascoe

Location: Visalia



Kwik Tangled Triangle

This fun quilt is made with just 9 fabrics and one background! Make it a Mini sized wall hanging or make it all the way up to a King sized quilt.

Dates: Wednesday 10/19 & 10/26

Time: 10am to 1pm

Fee: \$30.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Jeremy Swaim

Location: Visalia

Intro to Destiny Training

Join us as we explore the basics, features and functions of the BL Destiny. We will cover basic maintenance, basic sewing and decorative sewing functions and finish up with embroidery basics. We will complete a small embroidery project at the end of the class.

Dates: Tuesday 10/18

Time: 10am to 3pm

Fee: Free w/machine purchase from Thimble Towne

Instructor: Jeremy Swaim

Location: Visalia

Raise Your IQ

Spend this class working with IQ designer in the Destiny. We will explore scanning, designing and quilting during this class.

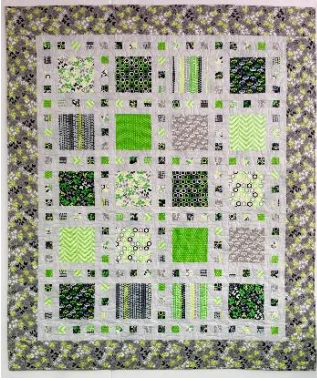
Dates: Tuesday 11/15

Time: 10am to 3pm

Fee: Free with purchase of machine from Thimble Towne

Instructor: Jeremy Swaim

Location: Visalia



Slide Show

One of our all-time favorite quilts, Slide Show is a great way to showcase your favorite fabrics. This fat quarter friendly quilt has endless options and styles. We have kits available or let us help you pick the perfect fabrics.

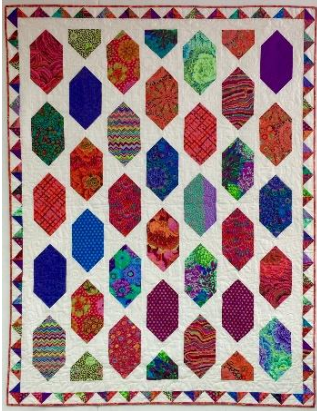
Dates: Thursday 11/3 & 11/17

Time: 10am to 1pm

Fee: \$35.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Karen Rascoe

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Easy Street

We used Kaffe to make this fun and easy quilt. Make rectangle snowball blocks and your pieced border all at the same time. Easy Street is the perfect name for this fun and easy quilt.

Dates: Mondays 12/5 & 12/12

Time: 10am to 1pm

Fee: \$40.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Kathy Hawkins

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Button It Up Bag Class

Create another fabulous bag with Ann. The Button It Up bag showcases your favorite fabrics in the great project. This bag is beginner friendly too!

Dates: Friday 12/2

Time: 10am to 4pm

Fee: \$30.00 plus supplies

Instructor: Ann Hinman

Location: Visalia

Open Machine Training

Haven't been able to make a machine training class? Maybe you need help threading your Sashiko, or threading your serger for a cover stitch, or you need some basic embroidery help. Sign up for an individual lesson during this day. Time slots will begin at 10 am and continue through 4 pm – please call the shop to reserve your spot. One-time slot per person per day.

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