



# Quilt N Paint News

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## A Note from Sheryll

Rain, rain go away & come back in July! Thanks so much to everyone who made it in for the bolt sale in May! We had an awesome 3 days!

Starting in August Summer Fun Block of the Month. Please let me know if you are interested in signing up!



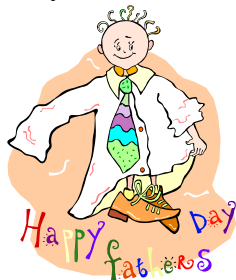
What's new at the Shop??? Fall fabric is starting to arrive! It is so pretty! I will have a hard time waiting till August to put it out! Here is a sneak peek of some of it!



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If you are looking for anything in particular please let me know and I will order it for you! This will save you shipping costs!



Happy Father's Day to all of the Dad's out there!  
Hope you have a wonderful day!

- Store Hours:  
Sunday: Closed  
Monday: Closed  
Tuesday: 10-  
Wednesday: 10-5  
Thursday: 10-5  
Friday: 10-5  
Saturday: 10-4

If you need me to stay late all you have to do is call and let me know!

Don't forget to check out the sales on the last page of the newsletter!

Happy quilting & painting!

Sheryll

# Creative Hands Word Search

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ICECREAM  
JANEPRUENINGER  
JUNEBUG  
LEMONADE  
PARK  
PICNICBASKET  
PICNICS  
SCHOOLSOUT  
SUMMER  
SUN  
SUNBURN  
SUNSCREEN  
SUNTAN  
SWIMMING  
VACATION

## Favorite Recipes

### Blueberry Crumble With Cornmeal-Almond Topping

#### For the Topping:

7 tablespoons unsalted butter, softened, plus more for the baking dish  
1/2 cup cornmeal  
3/4 cup all-purpose flour  
1/2 cup packed light brown sugar  
Pinch of salt  
3/4 cup chopped almonds

#### For the Filling:

4 cups blueberries  
1/3 cup granulated sugar  
1 tablespoon all-purpose flour  
1 teaspoon fresh lemon juice  
2 tablespoons cold unsalted butter, cut into small pieces

#### Directions

Preheat the oven to 375 degrees F. Butter a 2-quart shallow baking dish or eight 6-ounce ramekins (if you are using ramekins, double the filling).

Make the topping: Whisk the cornmeal, flour, brown sugar and salt in a bowl. Stir in the almonds. Work in the butter with your fingers until evenly moistened.

Make the filling: Toss the blueberries, granulated sugar, flour and lemon juice in a bowl.

Transfer the filling to the prepared dish or ramekins and dot with 2 tablespoons butter. Squeeze handfuls of the crumble mixture and scatter on top of the fruit. Bake until golden and bubbly, 40 to 45 minutes.

Let sit 10 minutes before serving. Top with whipped cream or ice cream, if desired.



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28	29	30	31 Stonehenge BOM			
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## Upcoming Classes



**Summer Fun**  
Appliqué Block of the month! Brand new quilt designed by The Quilt Company! Classes will start in August. We will meet once a month! Please let me know if you are interested!

Come paint with Sheryll! We will be painting on a wooden wreath that will look perfect on your door for this Summer!

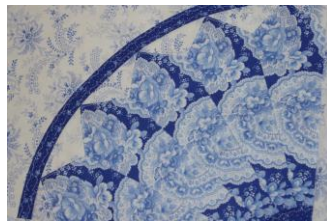
June 22nd, 11:00-3:00 Cost \$25.00 which includes all supplies!

**As a courtesy to our instructors if you are signed up for a class and are not able to make it please give us a call and let us know! 816-331-1992 Thanks so much!**



### "China Blue"

aka Stack N Whack with Fran Pralle  
Make this beautiful quilt in just 3 easy classes!  
Registration \$5.00  
Book: \$21.56 (regular price 26.95)  
Cost \$60.00 plus fabric  
(Additional supplies needed: 15 degree wedge ruler)

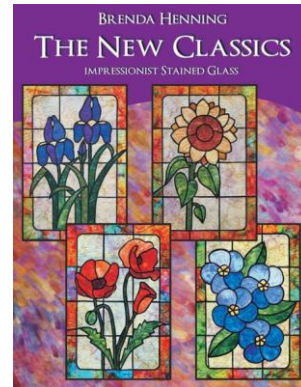


Please let me know as soon as possible if you are interested so that I can order your book and ruler!

**Scrapbook Night! Join us June 14<sup>th</sup> for open scrapbook night! Just bring whatever you are working on and hang out with the girls! 6:00 - ????**

### Impressionist Stain Glass by Brenda Henning

This is not your regular stain glass. It is a simplified technique that creates the impression of stained glass without the formal lines of bias tape. If you can trace, cut, and press you can make a beautiful stained glass quilt.



We will have kits available for all 4 flowers, pick your favorite for the class! Classes will begin in July! More information to follow!

Don't worry be Scrappy!

Would you like to learn invisible machine appliqué with Jennifer Dick? If so please let me know and we will schedule a class!



Our lives are like quilts – bits and pieces, joy and sorrow, stitched with love.

#### Class Policy

All classes are filled on a first-come, first serve basis. Classes fill FAST and are limited in size. **Registration fee is due at sign up.** If you need to cancel or reschedule, we would appreciate 12 hours notice.

As a courtesy to others, no babies or children under 8 are allowed. Children over 8 are welcome to attend if they have paid the regular class fee and are accompanied by an adult registered for the same class.

Please arrive early for classes, as they will begin on time. Please check each class description for supplies you need to bring or come early and we'll be happy to assist you with finding what you need.

Class participants receive a 20% discount on any purchase made during class.

## *Quilting Hints and Tips*

A Quilter's thread options are truly mind boggling. Thousands of color choices are just the beginning, and possibly the easiest aspect of choosing thread. Beyond that, you'll find threads specifically for quilting, and discover that hand quilting threads have characteristics that are not a plus for machine quilting tasks. Threads developed for machine embroidery and other decorative techniques are varied, and threads that work best for sewing our patchwork are often not labeled for that purpose, making selection difficult. I hope this quick thread guide will help you wade through the maze of threads Quilter's use most often.

### **Cotton and Polyester Threads**

**Cotton thread** is created by spinning cotton fibers together, and then pulling and twisting a narrow strand of yarn away from the mass. Individual strands of yarn, each called a *ply*, can be twisted together to create a stronger thread.

**Polyester**, a synthetic product, can be spun together in a similar way to create threads that look like cotton, but have more stretch. Polyester can also be drawn out into long, continuous-filament threads. Polyester thread may, over time, cut cotton through cotton fabric, and create a need for quilt repair.

Another type of thread is made with a **polyester core encased in cotton**, resulting in a slightly stretchy thread, but with a traditional look and feel. Most Quilter's prefer all-cotton threads over the cotton/poly combo.

## *Painting Hints and Tips*

Are you ready to try Mod Podge with your painting???? If so here are some tips that just might be handy! I have been using Mod Podge for a couple of years now and it is really beneficial if you so not want to mess up a section that you have painted perfectly!

Allow Mod Podge to dry for at least  
15-20 minutes between coats.

Open a Mod Podge cap that is glued down by soaking the entire bottle  
in warm water for several minutes.

Place your brush into water immediately  
after use. Mod Podge is a sealer;  
it dries to a hard finish and is very  
difficult to remove from  
brush bristles when dry.

Sand lightly between coats to minimize brush strokes. Apply more coats  
to reduce ridges.

To minimize wrinkles when adhering  
paper to a surface, spray several coats  
of acrylic sealer on the paper before  
applying Mod Podge.

To reduce tackiness,  
spray project with a clear acrylic sealer when complete.

## *June Club and Group Updates*

Main Street Strippers: June 11<sup>th</sup>, bring completed row!

Thimbleberries: June 18<sup>th</sup> 1:00

Heart 'N Tolers: June 9<sup>th</sup> 1:30

American Sewing Guild:

Painted Garden: BOM: June 7<sup>th</sup> make up class 2:30, June 8<sup>th</sup> regular class 11:00am

Sew As You Go BOM: June 19th

Stonehenge BOM: June 26<sup>th</sup>, 11:30 or 6:00, bring finished block, show n tell!

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Weekly Sales:

June 4<sup>th</sup> – 8<sup>th</sup>: All designated red white and blue fabric 30% off! Get those 4<sup>th</sup> of July table runners & placemats made!

June 11<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup>: All Notions 30% off

June 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>: All coins are double & juvenile prints are 30% off

June 25<sup>th</sup> – June 29<sup>th</sup>: All extra wide fabric & batting 30% off