# Ann Silva's Sewing Center BERNINA<sup>®</sup> & haby lock

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NEWSLETTER

September through December 2013

### ANN & STEVE'S CHAT

As I write this, we have just celebrated our 33<sup>rd</sup> anniversary. As the cliché states – where has the time gone? When I think about this business, I reflect upon what our product line was in July 1980. We had 2 Bernina 830 and 2 Bernina 801 sewing machines (one each to show, one to go). It sure was easy to know how to show them. Today – the product line is so vast, it's hard for any one of us to know all the features and benefits of each machine. There are sewing machines that sew, embroidery machines that may sew and embroider, and some that just embroider. There are sergers, long arm machines, vacuum cleaners, cabinets. Brands include Bernina, Babylock, Handi Quilter, Miele, Koala, Horn. How is one to know it all? Well, we try hard to keep up to date and informed. We attend Bernina University, Babylock Tech, Handi Quilter training at Houston Quilt Market, as well as new product training given twice a year by the various companies.

So what will be new this fall?

- 1. The flagship Bernina 880 will allow you to create original stitches with the new stitch designer. Simply draw your ideas directly on the screen. The Bernina 880 converts the design with a click into a stitch pattern.
- 2. The Bernina 560 will be an addition to the 5 series of machines with the opportunity to order just the machine you're ready for the embroidery module and BSR are optional accessories.
- 3. V7 Designer software places a host of powerful design tools at your fingertips that make it absolute child's play to turn your creative ideas into reality. Bernina offers the great V6 software at an incredible price now, with the opportunity to upgrade to V7 for a very attractive price. You will come out ahead with this offer.
- 4. The bernette Chicago 7 is a computerized combo machine that can both sew and embroider a reasonably priced machine for new and experienced sewers.
- 5. The Bernina L460 and L450 are two new sergers. The L460 offers a knee lift (free hand system) to raise and lower the presser foot, and even a needle stop up/down feature that can be changed with a back-kick of the foot control.

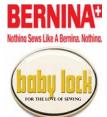
The Bernina L220 is a serger that offers the ideal addition to your machine family with its cover and chain stitch only.

I've been telling you about the products Steve and I saw at B.U. Steve, Tina, Margaret and Sharon will be at Babylock Tech the last week in August. They will be ready to share and show many more new products at our Open House, September 7. Hope to see you then.

Until next time, happy sewing.

Ann Silva











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# Class Registration Procedures

First day of class registration is on Tuesday, September 3, 2013.

Class Sign-up Special:

At Open House, September 7, enroll and pay to receive a 10% discount.

Must be present—no phone reservations.

Not all classes are discountable. Please see the Index on page 2.

Registration information for mailing: your name, address, phone numbers, and for each class: class number, title, section, date, class fee.

Include check for full amount of class plus tax or complete credit card information.

(Note: You may print out the registration form from our web site and either mail or bring it in.)

Kit fees are extra and must be paid to the instructor at the beginning of the class.

Supply sheets will be given out as you enroll. All notions and fabrics purchased for class are discounted 10%. Please support our store by purchasing supplies for classes here. This helps keep our costs down and better serve you.

CANCELLATION and REFUND POLICY. It is essential to PRE-REGISTER. We must make a commitment to our teachers one week prior to the start of each class and so refunds will only be made for cancellations ONE WEEK or more ahead of class starting date.

If a class is canceled due to insufficient enrollment, enrollees will receive a refund.

Children or pets may not accompany the student to classes.

# Rewards Program

We know you have many options when shopping for your sewing needs. Ann Silva's Sewing Center would like to thank you for your loyalty in choosing us. For every \$500 that you spend, you will receive a \$25 gift certificate for a future purchase. Items priced over \$250 do not apply. There is no enrollment fee and no card to carry. Simply make sure we have your information in our system to track your total sales.

# Ann Sílva's Preferred Club

Receive a 15% discount on purchases by joining Ann Silva's Preferred Club. A \$35 membership fee entitles you to enjoy this discount for one full year. Join at any time. Are you a regular shopper? It takes spending only \$235 a year for this club to pay for itself. Membership also entitles you to attend Sew Creative Club sessions at no charge.

Discount applies to Notions, Fabric, Books, Patterns, Embroidery Designs, Cabinets, Chairs, Presser Feet, & Thread.



### MADE TO CREATE

A Bernina of America special event with Debbi Lashbrook, BOA educator

**401- A Journey through Creativity** (3 hour lecture/demo)

Tuesday, September 10, 1:30-4:30 p.m.

\$10.00 class fee (or free with classes 402 and 403 paid) Whether your interest is quilting, home decorating, garments or crafts, sewing is more rewarding than ever before. Be inspired to create as you explore a number of unique techniques and inspirational projects. Thanks to innovative machine features, accessories and notions, stitching your version of these projects with the techniques shown will be a delightful journey into creativity.

402 - Creative Organization (3 hour hands-on embroidery class featuring the Bernina 780)

Wednesday, September 11, 9:30-12:30 p.m.

\$20.00 class fee

Make a simple project fabulous with a dash of appliqué, crystals and color thanks to the Design Works accessories. Personalize a unique sewing organizer with embroidery designs from the Bernina exclusive "To the Letter" embroidery collection and the companion Design Works collections.

403 – Ingredients for Creativity (3 hour hands-on accessories class)

Wednesday, September 11, 2:00-5:00 p.m.

\$20.00 class fee

Having the right ingredients makes all the difference, no matter what you're creating. Bernina presser feet and accessories will add just the right seasoning to a simple pillow project. Sample a variety of versatile techniques and accessories selected just for you; using a simple pillow project as a base.

### V7 Software

The BERNINA embroidery software places a host of powerful design tools at your fingertips that make it absolute child's play to turn your creative ideas into reality.

-Stumpwork -Advanced monogramming/lettering -100's of built-in designs
-Trapunto -Easy to use interface -Mouse wheel options
-Felting -Switch from inches to metric in software ...and so much more!

Incredible incentive to buy V6 DesignerPlus NOW!

Any Consumer purchase of V6 DesignerPlus software from June 1 through December 31, 2013 qualifies to purchase the update to V7 for \$99! Consumers must purchase V7 software update by March 31, 2014.

# Rainbow Crow with Gail Garber

Rainbow Crow is an original design by Gail Garber. It was inspired by a myth that tells a creation story of the most beautiful bird in the world that sacrifices his grandeur and angelic voice to restore light to the animal kingdom. This pattern is only available in class at Ann Silva's Sewing Center and the class will only be taught in the fall of 2013. Join Gail for two days of class. Students will learn freezer paper foundation piecing and curved seam piecing as they create their own unique wall hanging.

404—Rainbow Crow
Saturdays, October 19 & 26
9:30 am—4:30 pm
\$96 plus tax class fee
\$10 pattern fee



# Painted, Stitched Canvas Katie Pasquini Masopust



This class combines painting and quilting.
Using Acrylic paint the students will create layers of imagery onto thin canvas, applying fused fabrics and many layers of thin fluid acrylic paint.

A color scheme is chosen and two to three canvases are painted within that color scheme.

Then these canvases are cut apart and combined to create a complex composition.

The reconstructed canvas is then layered with batting and backing and stitched.

These stitched pieces can then be stretched on a frame ready to hang or inserted into a quilt of the same design to create a many textured creation.

All skill levels (no previous painting skills needed)

405—Painted, Stitched Canvas Friday & Saturday, November 8 & 9, 9:30am—3:30 pm \$96 plus tax class fee

### Sew Creative Club

On the first Tuesday of each month, unless otherwise noted, we will host two different sessions of Show & Tell. This is your opportunity to show off what you've been working on, get ideas from and visit with other sewers, and see what new products are available to add to your sewing repertoire. Light refreshments will be served between sessions. Sessions are free to Preferred Club members, \$10 + tax for non-members. Registration is required.

Weekday Sessions are Tuesdays, 9:30-11:30am or 1-3pm September 3, Play on Modern Quilts with Teresa Heaphy October 1, Jane's Trunk Show November 5, Steve's Cooking Tips for Your Holiday Meals

Holiday Reception, will be held on Sunday, December 8, 12–3pm Preferred Club members—\$10 + tax, Non-members—\$20 + tax

### 305. Virtual Bernina Club

Monthly in-store "virtual" session to learn new techniques while enjoying the friendship of fellow Bernina owners. Each program will also include round-robin hands-on opportunities to try out the techniques shown. \$10 + tax per session.

Fridays, 10am—12pm

August 23 — the Madison: Crossbody Wallet Bag September 27 — Contemporary Quilting October 25 — Weekend Travel Duffle November 22 — Statement Shawl December 13 — And to all A Good Night

# UNM Classes

Payment and additional information about classes is available through the UNM Continuing Education Division, 1634 University Blvd. NE, phone 277- 0077, dce.unm.edu/Register.

Classes are taught at Ann Silva's Sewing Center.

SEWING: BEGINNING

Nancy Lovett

Six Sessions: Mondays, 6-8:30pm

September 9—October 14

Enter the exciting world of sewing. You'll be introduced to the sewing machine, sewing terms, working with a pattern, cutting, marking, and pressing techniques. Projects will include putting on a pocket, inserting a zipper, making buttonholes, working with fusible interfacing, and more. Bring 1 yard of 45" wide fabric, matching spool of all-purpose thread, and \$5 for a kit to the first class.

**Garment Sewing an Introduction** 

Nancy Lovett

Four Sessions: Mondays, 6-8:30pm

October 28—November 18

This class is geared for those with some basic knowledge of the sewing machine who would like to learn more about garment construction. Projects will help build basic sewing skills, provide more experience working with patterns, and learn to make basic alterations. The project this semester will be a robe. Pick up a supply list at Ann Silva's Sewing Center. Prerequisite: Beginning Sewing.

# Monthly Classes

### 1. Thursday at the "Office"

Each Session: \$10 + tax

Thursdays

9:30am-4:30pm

- (A) September 12 (C) October 31
- (B) September 26 (D) November 14
- (E) December 12

Join us for a full day of sewing and the company of other sewers while you stitch.

#### 2. Sunday "Sewciety"

Ann & Jane

Each Session: \$10 + tax Sundays, 12:30 -4:30pm

- (A) September 15
- (B) September 29
- (C) October 20 (E) December 1
- (D) November 3 (F) December 15

Bring your projects and supplies and come sew with Ann & Jane on Sunday afternoons.

#### 3. Monday at the "Office"

Ann & Jane

Each Session: \$10 + tax Mondays

9:30am-4:30pm

- (A) September 16
- (B) September 30
- (C) October 21
- (D) November 4 (F) December 2
- (E) November 18 (G) December 16

Join us for a full day of sewing and the company of other sewers while you stitch.

#### 4. Girls' Night Out

- Each Session: \$10 + tax Fridays, 5pm-12am
- (A) September 13
- (B) October 4
- (C) November 1 (E) December 6
- (D) November 15

Meet, greet, eat, and take a seat at your machine to stitch, and perhaps chat a bit as you create. Pot luck dinner.

#### Ann & Jane 5. Quilt Sampler Club

Ann & Nan Each Session: \$10 + tax Tuesdays, 1-3pm

(A) September 17

- (B) October 8
- (C) November 12
- (D) December 10-no charge

Show-and-tell, new product info, and new techniques are featured, along with learning from one another. Veterans of previous Annand-Nan classes are invited to join.

#### 6. Basics & Bevond

Nancy Lovett

Each Session: \$40 + tax

9:30am-3:30pm

- (A) Friday, September 20
- (B) Friday, October 18
- (C) Friday, November 15

Whether you are a new, experienced, or returning sewer, bring the project of your choice for sewing or serger help.

#### 7. The Late Sew

Becky & Michele

- Each Session: \$10 + tax Fridays, 5pm-12am
- (A) September 27 (B) October 25
- (C) November 22 (D) December 20

Bring your projects and all supplies needed for a night of sewing and fun. Pot luck.

#### Tina & Sharon 8. Ellisimo Club

**Tina Connick** 

- Each Session: \$10 + tax + kit fee Thursdays
- (A) Oct 3, 1-3pm **Bobbinwork**
- (B) Oct 3, 6-8pm **Bobbinwork** (C) Nov 7, 1-3pm Sketch Pad
- (D) Nov 7, 6-8pm Sketch Pad
- (E) Dec 5, 1-3pm Continuous Border
- (F) Dec 5, 6-8pm Continuous Border



The Superior Thread company has created Superior University "to help you expand your knowledge and skills in sewing-related techniques and learn to successfully use products you have not previously used." You enroll in the program directly through them at www.superiorthreads.com and they send you a project each month. Becky, one of our resident

Certified Threadologists, is hosting sessions here at our shop where we will guide you through the projects. It is important that you use your own sewing machine for these sessions.

### 304. Superior University

Each Session: \$5 + tax Fridays, 1:30-4:30pm (A) September 27 (B) November 22 (C) December 20

# Embroidery Classes

#### 9. Feathered Stars Block of the Month

Bonnie Rosenbaum

Three Sessions: \$72 + tax 1-4pm
Tuesdays, Sept 17, Oct 15, Nov 19
A beautiful Star quilt totally appliquéd,

mbroidered and quilted in the hoop. You have the choice of a wall hanging or a quilt with or without a traditional border. The finished sized depends on the size blocks you stitch (5" - 9"). This class will be 6 sessions. The last class will focus on putting the quilt together and the finishing of the back. Plan to attend each month to pick up the next installment of this breath taking quilt. Whether you choose one color, two colors, or ten different colors you can not make a mistake.



#### 10. Embroidery Techniques R. Sanders

Each Session: \$24 + tax + \$5 kit fee Tuesdays

- (A) Sept 24 Embroidering with Silk flowers(B) Oct 29 Above & Beyond embroidery
- (C) Dec 3 Light up your designs (Kit \$8) Roberta's intriguing classes use the embroidery machine for techniques you will utilize again and again.

on paper, wood & printings

### 11. Embroidery Club

Jan Brooks

- Each Session: \$16 + tax Wednesdays,1-3pm
- (A) September 25, Chenille Flowers
- (B) October 30 , Let's have another cup of coffee Tea Towel
- (C) November 13, Fan embellished Napkin Hands-on, project oriented, and geared to help you get the most from your embroidery machine. Design is included with the class.

# 306. All About Machine Embroidery Club

All About Machine Embroidery Club features monthly in-store "virtual" sessions to learn useful embroidery techniques while enjoying the company of fellow embroidery enthusiasts. \$10 + tax per session. Thursdays, 10am—12pm

- (A) September 12—Pack It Up
- (C)November 7 —Bag or Bag-ette?
- (B) October 10 Keeping It Close
- (D)December 5 —Keep On Turning

# Serger Classes

### 12. Sergery Lucy Gree

Each Session: \$16 + tax (A) September 10 Tuesdays, 6-8pm One Session: \$20 + tax receiving blanket Saturday, September 14

(B) October 8 stitch & flip table runner

(C) November 12 serge & merge quilt (D) December 10 pillow cases

Dust off your serger and fall in love with it again. Students must know how to thread and set up their own serger. Open to all makes.

#### 13. Serger Presser Feet Lucy Greene

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$10 kit fee

(A) Tuesday, September 24 1-4

(B) Tuesday, November 5 5-8pm Learn to use those "other" serger presser feet. We will use the blind hem, elastic, cording, multipurpose, beading, and gathering feet.

### Lucy Greene 14. Mitered Napkins

Nancy Lovett

Saturday, September 14 1-3:30pm Back by popular demand. This technique is great for placemats, table runners and table clothes.

#### 15. Bandana Skirt

Lucy Greene

One Session: \$40 + tax
Wednesday, October 2 9:30am-3:30pm
Come make this whimsical, fun skirt for days at
the zoo, beach, or backyard barbeque.

#### 16. Spiral Serger Pillow

Lucy Greene

One Session: \$24 + tax

Friday, November 8 1-4pm Quickly create this whimsical sofa pillow using the rolled hem on your serger, then use your sewing machine to tack down the ruffle.

#### 17. Beginning Your Quilt Journey

Three Sessions: \$72 + tax

Mondays 1-4pm quilting with the walking foot, and binding Center; kit fee still applies. while you make a table runner.

#### 18. Quilt Journey 2

Rosanne Toll

Three Sessions: \$72 + tax

Mondays 1-4pm Oct. 21, Nov.4, & Nov. 18 Expand and practice your basic skills while you complete an easy baby-sized quilt. This course covers all the steps needed to prepare you for larger projects.

Prerequisite: Beginning Your Quilt Journey or equivalent skills

#### 19. Quilt Journey 3

Rosanne Toll

Four Sessions: \$96 + tax Tuesdays 5:30-8:30pm

Sept. 10, Oct. 8, Oct. 29, and Nov. 12

The next step in our journey: design your 23. Belt and Dog Collar Techniques own lap-sized or twin quilt using half-square triangles, four-patches, and/or the log cabin One Session: \$24 + tax + \$10 kit fee block. Learn basic quilt design and how to figure vour fabric requirements, as well as matching seams, color ideas, and the start of free motion quilting.

Prerequisite: Beginning Your Quilt Journey & Quilt Journey 2 or equivalent skills.

### 20. Childhood Delights Returned

Jan Stevenson

Each Session: \$48 + tax (A) Sat, September 14 9:30am-4:30pm (B) Friday, October 25 9:30am-4:30pm If you are looking for something different in your quilting or garment sewing or keepsake get a big box of Crayola Crayons and bring that happy childhood pastime back to life! This technique involves nothing more than crayons, colored pencils, and Pigma pens to 25. Free Form Appliqué Elizabeth Dawson outline, to shade and to add detail. The One Session: \$24 + tax results are gorgeous, with designs that look Wednesday, September 25 like water color paintings. It is not hard, its is not rocket science, but it does take practice. This technique is not limited to quilt blocks—it looks great on a summer camp shirt!

#### R. Toll **21. Binder Basics** Michele Lommasson

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$10 kit fee

Sept. 9, 23, Oct. 7 Wednesday, September 18 A quilting class for the brand new quilter. Learn how to use the BERNINA Binder Learn basic skills including fabric cutting, attachment and explore a variety of uses for sewing with a 1/4" seam, strip piecing, this wonderful tool. There is no charge if you borders, sandwiching, marking a stencil, purchased your binder at Ann Silva's Sewing

#### 22. Digitizing Made Easy

Carol & Julie

Six Sessions: \$144 + tax Intermediate level Thursdays, 9:30am-12:30pm Sept 19, 26, Oct 17, 24, Nov 21 & Dec 12

All Digitizing SOFTWARE OWNERS! You have asked for a digitizing class that takes you to another level. This is it. For this class it makes NO difference what brand of software you own. This class will help you solve:

Outlines that don't line up

Too tight jump stitches

Beginning & ending stitches that don't hold Separation between fill & satin stitches Gaps in stitch outs

Separating underlay in digitizing lettering

# Michele Lommasson

Friday, September 20 9:30am-12:30pm Michele's kit will enable you to learn all the techniques required for a fun fabric (human's) belt, or a functional (dog's) collar. Use the class project as a sample to create your version(s) later.

#### 24. Modern Celtic Quilt Lucy Greene

Six Sessions: \$96 + tax 2-4pm Fridays, September 20, October 4, 25

November 1, 15, December 6

This class is perfect for a beginning quilter. A novice quilt student progresses from fabric selection, rotary cutting, piecing, layering, quilting, and binding. Simple construction makes this little quilt an easy & successful project for the beginning student.

5-8pm Make a fast and fun free form fused quilt! Learn the appliqué technique in the first session, and then embellish and quilt in the optional second session.

#### 26. Hooked on Feathers Series

Each Session: \$24 + tax (A) Hooked on Feathers I (B) Hooked on Feathers II Friday, Nov 22 difficult spaces. Hooked on sew and fun to wear. open and Feathers I is a prerequisite for Hooked on Includes ladies sizes 2—18. Feathers II.

#### 27. Featherweight Fanatics Lucy Greene

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$10 kit fee Friday, September 27 1-4pm Many own these cute Singers. Explore what you can do with a straight stitch and all those attachments.

#### 28. Radiant Landscape

Lucy Greene

One Session:\$48 + tax

Saturday, September 28 9:30am—4:30pm Add an exciting new dimension to your landscape quilt with this wonderful technique.

#### 29. Free Motion Scarf Mary Lu Stark

One Session: \$24 + tax Saturday, September 28 9:30am-12:30pm Yarns, ribbons & threads on stabilizer create this unusual scarf.

#### 30. How to Make Feathers Vickie Haskins

One Session: \$24 + tax Saturday, September 28 1-4pm Learn to draw feathers starting with a basic feather ending with very fancy all over designs. Bring drawing paper (8 1/2" x 11 is fine)

#### 31. Woven Wreaths Teresa Heaphy

One Session: \$24 + tax Wednesday, October 2 1-4pm Easy piecing with pre-cut 2 1/2" strips and a solid background will yield rings that look much fun as a barrel of...you know whats! woven.

#### 32. Ring in the New Teresa Heaphy

One Session: \$48 + tax

Friday, October 4 9:30am-4:30pm A ring of fan blades atop a background fabric finished with prairie points. Choose a theme and carry it out to perfection using quick tricks.

#### B. Welch 33. Route 66 Skirts Michele Lommasson

9:30—12:30pm Two Sessions: \$48 + tax

Friday, Sept 27 Fridays, October 4 & 11 9:30am-12:30pm Open-all-night diners, pink motels, crinkled Feathers appear often in quilting and are road maps, and root beer floats are a few of always a beautiful addition to a project. You the things that inspired our route 66 skirts! will build basic feathers using free motion Twelve slimming gores and your choice of quilting and will learn to use feathers to fill in midi or maxi length. These skirts are easy to

### 34. Quilting Design Concepts Becky Welch

Three Sessions: \$72 + tax 9:30am-12:30pm Saturdays, Oct 5, Nov 2, Dec 7

The guilt top is done, now how do you decide on a quilting design? We will analyze quilt tops and quilter's comfort levels to make this process a bit easier. Bring a quilt top to the first class. Subsequent classes will be determined by the needs of the students.

### 35. Spicy Spiral Table Runner Becky Welch

Two Sessions: \$48 + tax 1:30-4:30pm Saturdays, October 5 & November 2 Simple strip piecing is combined with a 9° ruler to create this twisting table runner. To maximize class time, please check the supply sheet for pre-cut class work.

#### 36. Circles! Round & Round We Go

One Session: \$24 + tax Bonnie Rosenbaum Saturday, October 5 Let Bonnie show you an easy way to cut circles and to use the circular attachment to sew on and embellish the circles with decorative stitches.

#### 37. Sock Monkey Extravaganza

Michele Lommasson & Becky Welch

One Session: \$48 + tax Thursday, October 10 9:30am-4:30 pm One of our most popular kids classes is being offered as a treat for our adult monkey fanatics! Join Becky and Michele for the creation of your very own sock monkey. It's as

#### 38. Appliqué for Berninas **Becky Welch**

One Session: \$40 + tax + \$10 kit fee Friday, October 11 9:30am-3:30pm One of Becky's favorite features of BERNINA machines is the multitude of appliqué stitches they all come with. Becky will teach all of these techniques for machine appliqué: satin stitch, blanket stitch, and other decorative stitches, depending on which model you use.

Carol Bell

### 39. The Selvage Edge

Two Sessions: \$40 + tax

Fridays, October 11 & 18 1-3:30pm Once upon a time and far, far away, we would cut off and throw away the selvage pieces before we started our project. Those days are gone! Selvages are whimsical, colorful and addicting. Once you learn the technique you begin to see selvages in a totally different light. Use your "foundations" to make a quick and easy tote...or pot holder...or placemat...or wristlet... Don't think you have enough selvages? Share with others or learn to make your own. Selvages should be at least 1"

#### 40. Quilting Design Concepts II

Becky Welch

Three Sessions: \$72 + tax 9:30am-12:30pm Saturdays, Oct 12, Nov 9, Dec 14

A continuation of Becky's first QDC class, each month you will explore different quilting options for varied quilt tops. Technical and design aspects will be discussed as needed to increase skill levels. Open only to previous QDC students.

#### 41. Binder Placemat Michele Lommasson

One Session: \$24 + tax Wednesday, October 16 1-4pm Use your Bernina Binder (old or new style) to make a placemat: the perfect use for your binder. Must have taken a previous binder class with your current binder.

#### 42. Free Form Piecing Elizabeth Dawson One Session: \$24 + tax + \$45 optional kit fee

Wednesday, October 16 5-8pm Make a unique quilt using free-form piecing techniques. You will learn how to make several units, including gentle curves. Hand dyed fabric kits will be optional to buy.

#### 43. Sliced Charm Runner Lois Warwick

One Session: \$32 + tax

Thursday, October 17 12:30-4:30pm One charm pack, batting, backing and binding make a unique table runner 15" x 40". Larger squares can be used with adjustments made to the size of batting and backing.

#### 44. Fabric Dyeing 101 Elizabeth Dawson

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$35 kit fee Friday, October 18 9:30am-12:30pm Learn the basics of hand dyeing fabric as you dye a 12 step color wheel. You'll go home with at least 3 yards of beautifully dyed fabric. Kit fee includes all fabric, chemicals, gloves and mask.

#### 45. Take Long Arm Quilting to the Next Step Vickie Haskins

One Session: \$24 + tax

Tuesday, October 22 9:30am-12:30pm Get smarter about long arm quilting machines. See some basics, with a bit of "pizzazz" added by Vickie.

#### 46. Lotus Quilt Bonnie Rosenbaum

One Session: \$24 + tax

Tuesday, October 22 1-4pm Let Bonnie show you how to make your Lotus Blossom bloom in this fun and easy quilt using the versatile Hex-N-More ruler.

#### 47. Whimsical Fun With Decorative Stitching

Three Sessions:\$72 + tax Becky Welch Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday 1-4pm October 29, 30, 31

Decorative stitching these small mini quilts is just plain fun. Brush up on the many wonderful functions today's sewing machines have while creating a small piece of fiber art.

#### **Becky Welch** 48. Window Box

One Session: \$48 + tax

Friday, November 1 9:30am-4:30pm Karla Alexander is back with exciting new designs to delight her many fans! Now you can broaden your quilting repertoire by combining Karla's stacking and shuffling methods with even more techniques. Make the most of today's fabrics with these contemporary quilts-the stunning designs look far more complicated than they actually are.

#### 49. Fabric Dyeing 201: Fabric Manipulations Elizabeth Dawson

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$35 kit fee Friday, November 1 9:30am-12:30pm Take your fabric dyeing to the next level by learning to create a variety of patterns via folding, clamping, scrunching, tieing, etc! We'll learn 12+ techniques for manipulating fabric.

Prerequisite: Fabric Dyeing 101

Intermediate level

#### 50. Zippers A Plenty Michele Lommasson

One Session:\$24 + tax + \$10 pattern fee Saturday, November 2 1-4pm Conquer zipper anxiety: make a quick zippered pouch with three different zipper applications, including an invisible zipper.

#### 51. Quilted Placemat Michele Lommasson

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$9 kit fee Saturday, November 9 1-4pm Make this easy, reversible placemat in a snap. Learn a quick binding method. Take this technique and make dozens more for Holidays and gifts.

#### 52. Triple Express Table Runner

One Session: \$24 + tax Lois Warwick Thursday, November 14 9:30am-12:30pm Choosing a fun fabric with accent pieces to make this easy pieced runner. Double the fabrics to make a 72" runner. Finished size 14 1/2" x 36 1/2". Beginner level.

#### 53. Landscape Thread Painting Lucy Greene

One Session:\$24+tax+\$10 kit fee (optional) Wednesday, November 20 1-4pm A variety of threads will be used to embellish and add dimension to a pre-printed landscape fabric. Great class for the beginning 'fiber artist'. More complex techniques discussed and taught for those students that want to be more adventurous. Bring your own landscape fabric or purchase optional kit.

#### 54. Ropes and Ladders Teresa Heaphy

One Session:\$48 + tax

Thursday, November 21 9:30am-4:30pm Fabric tubes, made from 2 1/2" fabric strips and leftover batting, frame a focus fabric to create a unique table runner that is reversible and fun to make. Best vet there's enough leftover to make 2 placemats.



#### 55. Pockets-To-Go

Lois Warwick

One Session: \$48 + tax

Saturday, November 23 9:30am-4:30pm This is a handy organizer for next to your sewing machine, on your desk, beauty products in the bathroom, next to the chair of an elderly person to keep everything close. The larger one can be put into a purse or tote bag.

#### 56. Stupendous Stitching **Becky Welch**

One Session: \$48 + tax

Friday, December 6 9:30am-4:30pm Fiber Art is achievable even for sewists that say they are not artistic. We will use thread, thread and more thread to couch and stitch our way to a unique colorful and textured piece.

#### 57. Featherweight Fanatics Project

One Session: \$24 + tax Lucy Greene Saturday, December 7 1-4pm Many own these cute Singers. Explore what you can do with a straight stitch and all those attachments. Project will be an apron.

#### 58. Art & Stitch Project Vickie Haskins

One Session: \$24 + tax 1-4pm

Saturday, December 7

Students will design quilting for a small wall hanging or table topper. Must have Art & Stitch software downloaded on computer. Free version is acceptable for class.

### New Bernina 7 series and the 9 hook system



# Kíds Classes

#### 101. Youth Sewing

Rosanne Toll

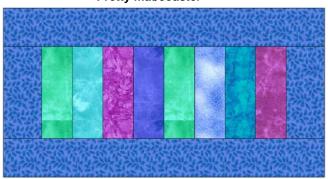
Each Session: \$24 + tax + kit fee

- (A) September 14
- (B) October 5
- (C) November 2

Saturdays, 9:30am to 12:30pm Pillow case (kit fee \$10) Simply guilted zippered pouch (kit fee \$9) Pretty mat/coaster (kit fee \$6)

Learn and practice sewing skills while creating useful projects. Skills include: sewing with a guide, casings, topstitching, tying beads, use of the walking foot, installing a zipper, strip piecing, decorative stitching, sandwiching, and birthing a project.

#### Pretty mat/coaster



#### 102. Youth Christmas Stocking

#### Rosanne Toll

One Session: \$24 + tax + \$15 kit fee Saturday, December 7, 9:30am-12:30pm Get ready for the holidays as you learn an easy construction method to make a beautiful, fully-lined Christmas stocking. Batting gives the stocking body. Sew in a velvet or grosgrain ribbon hanger as the final touch.

Classes are for ages 9 & up, & require that the child have some familiarity

### 307. Days for Girls

Saturday, November 23 – 9:30am -4:00pm

Days for Girls is a registered nonprofit organization with the goal of providing washable, effective feminine hygiene solutions to women around the world. In impoverished countries, women often miss school and work due to lack of access to feminine hygiene options. As a result, their education is often irreparably impacted, and their income is halted regularly. Lucy will host a volunteer sewing drive for this wonderful program. She will be teaching the construction of drawstring bags, flannel liners,

Donations will also be collected of the following:

and the shields that hold the liners.

1/2 yd. scraps of cotton fabric for the shields and drawstring bags. Flannel for liners and PUL.

Please join us in supporting this organization. www.daysforgirls.org

# September 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednes- day	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Labor Day	3 Sew Creative Club 9:30am or 1pm	4 Bernina Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm Baby Lock Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm	5	6	7 OPEN HOUSE
9 Quilt Journey I 1pm UNM 6pm	Made to Create 1pm Quilt Journey III 5:30pm Sergery 6pm	11 Creative Organization Ingredients for Creativity Bernina Mastery 2 9:30am Baby Lock Mastery 2 6pm	12 Day at the Office 9:30 am All About ME 10am Software Mastery 1pm Emb Mastery 5:30pm	13 Girls Night Out 5pm	14 Youth Sewing 9:30am Childhood De- lights 9:30am
16 Day at the Of- fice 9:30am UNM 6pm	17 Quilt Sampler 1pm Hoop Sisters 1pm	18 Bernina Mastery 3 9:30am Binder Tech- nique 1pm BSR Mastery 2pm Baby Lock Mastery 3 6pm	Digitizing Made Easy 9:30am Software Mastery 1pm Emb Mastery 5:30pm	20 Basic & Beyond 9:30am Belt & Dog Collar 9:30 am Modern Celtic 2pm	21 Bernina Mastery Abridged 9:30am Serger Mastery Non-Jet 9:30am
23 Quilt Journey I 1pm UNM 6pm	24 Emb Techniques 1pm Serger Presser Feet 1pm	25 Bernina Mastery 4 9:30am Emb Club 1pm Free Form Appliqué 5pm Baby Lock Mastery 4 6pm	26 Day at the Office 9:30 am Digitizing Made Easy 9:30am Software Mastery 1pm Emb Mastery 5:30pm	27 Hooked on Feathers I 9:30am Virtual Bernina Club 10am Feather Weight Fanatics 1pm Superior University 1:30pm Late Sew 5pm	28 Radiant Land- scape 9:30am Free Motion Scarf 9:30am Feathers / Long Arm 1pm
30 Day at the Of- fice 9:30am					
UNM 6pm		Sundav	Classes		

Sunday Classes Sunday Sewciety 12:30—4:30 September 15 & 29

# October 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
	1 Sew Creative Club 9:30am or 1pm	2 Bandana Skirt 9:30am Woven Wreaths 1pm	3 Ellisimo Club 1pm & 6pm	4 Ring in the New 9:30am Route 66 Skirt 9:30am Modern Celtic 2pm Girls Night Out 5pm	
7 Quilt Journey I 1pm UNM-Beg Sewing 6pm	Quilt Sampler Club 1pm Quilt Journey III	9 Bernina Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm Baby Lock Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm	10 Sock Monkey 9:30am ME club 10 Emb Mastery 1pm Software Mastery 5:30pm	11 Bazaar Appliqué for Berninas 9:30am Route 66 Skirt 9:30am Selvage Edge 1pm	12 Bazaar Quilting Design Concept II 9:30am
14 UNM-Beg Sewing 6pm	Hoop Sisters 1pm	16 Baby Lock Mastery 2 9:30am Binder Placemat 1pm Free Form Piecing 5:30pm Bernina Mastery 2 6pm	Digitizing Made Easy 9:30am Sliced Charm Runner 12:30pm Emb Mastery 1pm	18 Basics & Beyond 9:30am Fabric Dyeing 9:30am Selvage Edge 1pm	19 Rainbow Crow 9:30am Bernina Mastery 3 9:30am Serger-JetAir 9:30am BSR Mastery 2pm Bernina Cover- stitch 2pm
21 Day at the Office 9:30am Quilt Journey II 1pm	Long Arm Quilting		Digitizing Made Easy 9:30am Emb Mastery 1pm	25 Childhood Delights 9:30am Virtual Bernina Club 10am Modern Celtic 2pm Late Sew 5pm	9:30am Emb Mastery Abr 9:30am
28 UNM-Beg Sewing 6pm		30 Baby Lock Mastery 4 9:30am Emb Club 1pm Decorative Stitching 1pm Bernina Mastery 4 6pm	31 Day at the Office 9:30am Decorative Stitching 1pm		
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# November 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
				1 Window Box 9:30am Fabric Manipulation 9:30am Modern Celtic 2pm Girls Night Out 5pm	2 Youth Sewing 9:30am QDCI 9:30am Zippers A Plenty 1pm Spicy Spiral 1:30pm
4 Day at the Office9:30am Quilt Journey II 1pm UNM 6pm	5 Sew Creative Club 9:30 am & 1 pm Serger Presser Feet 5pm	6 Bernina Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm Baby Lock Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm	7 ME Club 10am Ellisimo Club 1pm & 6pm Software Mastery 1pm Emb Mastery 5:30pm	8 Painted, Stitched Canvas 9:30am Spiral Pillow 1pm	9 Painted, Stitched Canvas 9:30am QDCII 9:30am Quilted Placemat 1pm
11 UNM 6pm	Quilt Sampler 1 pm Quilt Journey III 5:30pm Sergery 6pm	13 Bernina Mastery 2 9:30am Embroidery Club 1pm Baby Lock Mastery 2 6pm	14 Day at the Office 9:30am Triple Express 9:30am Software Mastery 1pm Emb Mastery 5:30pm	15 Basics & Beyond 9:30am Modern Celtic 2pm Girls Night Out 5pm	16 Serger Mastery Non-Jet 9:30am Baby Lock Mastery Abridged 9:30am
18 Day at the Office9:30am Quilt Journey II 1pm UNM 6pm	19 Hoop Sisters 1 pm	20 Bernina Mastery 3 9:30am Landscape Thread 1pm BSR Mastery 2pm Baby Lock Mastery 3 6pm	21 Ropes & Ladders 9:30am Digitizing Made Easy 9:30am Software Mastery 1pm Emb Mastery 5:30pm	Hooked on Feathers II 9:30am Virtual Bernina Club 10am Superior University 1:30pm Late Sew 5pm	23 Pockets to Go 9:30am Days for Girls 9:30am
25	26	27	·	29	30

Sunday Classes
Sunday Sewciety 12:30 –4:30pm
November 3

# December 2013

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
2 Day at the Office 9:30am	3 Embroidery Tech- niques 1pm	4 Bernina Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm Baby Lock Mastery 1 9:30am or 6pm		6 Stupendous Stitch- ing 9:30am Modern Celtic 2pm Girls Night Out 5pm	7 Youth Sewing 9:30am QDCI 9:30am Art & Stitch 1pm Feather Weight Project 1pm
9	10 Sergery 6pm	11	12 Day at the Office 9:30am Digitizing Made Easy 9:30am Emb Mastery 1pm Software Mastery 5:30pm	Virtual Bernina Club 10am	14 Emb Mastery Abr 9:30am Serger-JetAir 9:30am Baby Lock Cover- stitch 2pm  Quilting Design Concepts II 9:30am
16 Day at the Office 9:30am	17	18	Emb Mastery 1pm Software Mas- tery 5:30pm	20 Superior University 1:30pm Late Sew 5pm	21
23	24	25 Christmas	26	27	28
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Sunday Classes
Sunday "Sewciety" 12:30pm December 1 & 15
Holiday Party December 8, 12noon

# Machine Mastery Classes Bernina Classes

These classes are for customers who have purchased sewing machines, sergers or software at Ann Silva's Sewing Center. We encourage you to take any and all of them. *Registration is required.* For those who purchased Bernina machines, sergers or software elsewhere, these classes are available at the value price or \$25 plus tax per session. *Class schedules are subject to change.* 

Students are to bring their machine and all standard accessories – including manual, foot control and electrical cord.

Bernina Machines	Sessions Included
Bernette 46, 12, Seville, London 3	1 (value \$25)
Chicago 7	1,2 + Embroidery (value \$125)
Bernina 215	1, 2 (value \$50)
Bernina 330, 350, 380, 530, 550, 630, 635, 710, 750, 820	1, 2, 3, 4 (value \$100)
Bernina 560E, 580E, 630E, 635E, 730E, 750E, 780E, 830E, 880E	1, 2, 3, 4 + Embroidery (value \$175)
all Bernina models with BSR	BSR class in addition to above classes (value \$20)

#### CLASS SEQUENCE

You must take Class 1 prior to any of the other classes. Classes 2 through 4 may be taken in any order.

#### READY, SET, GO

Classes begin at the stated hour. Please arrive a few minutes ahead and have your machine set up and ready to go on time.

#### Thanks

CLASS	Dates	Time	CLASS DESCRIPTION
Bernina Mastery 1	Wednesday 9/4, 10/9, 11/6, or 12/4	9:30am-12pm or 6-8:30pm	Care and Feeding of Your Machine
	Wednesday 9/11 or 11/13	9:30am-12pm	Buttonholes and
Bernina Mastery 2	Wednesday 10/16	6-8:30pm	Garment Sewing Techniques
Bernina Mastery 3	Wednesday 9/18 or 11/20	9:30am-12pm	Quilting Basics
	Saturday 10/19	9:30am-12pm	Laming Laters
Bernina Mastery 4	Wednesday 9/25	9:30am-12pm	Basic Memory and Programming
20	Wednesday 10/30	6-8:30pm	Lable memory and riogramming
Bernina Stitch Regulator	Wednesday 9/18,or 11/20 Saturday 10/19	2-4pm	Bring a 20" square quilt sandwich
Bernina Mastery Abridged	Saturday 9/21	9:30am-3:30pm	Abbreviated version of the four Bernina machine Mastery classes

### Serger Classes

Serger Mastery (Berninas & Baby Locks w/o Jet Air)	Saturday 9/21 or 11/16	9:30am-3:30pm	Serger Basics
Serger Mastery (Baby Locks with Jet Air only)	Saturday 10/19 or 12/14	9:30am-12:30pm	Serger Basics
Bernina Cover Stitch	Saturday 10/19	2-4pm	Learn Chain, Cover & Combo Stitches
Baby Lock Cover Stitch	Saturday 12/14	2-4pm	Learn Chain, Cover & Combo Stitches

# Machine Mastery Classes Baby Lock Classes

These classes are for customers who have purchased sewing machines, sergers or software at Ann Silva's Sewing Center. We encourage you to take any and all of them. *Registration is required*. For those who purchased Baby Lock machines or sergers elsewhere, these classes are available at the value price or \$25 plus tax per session. Class schedules are subject to change.

Students are to bring their machine and all standard accessories – including manual, foot control and electrical cord.

Baby Lock Machines	Sessions Included	CLASS SEQUENCE
Natalie, Maria, Grace, Audrey, Anna, Molly, Tempo	1 (value \$25)	You must take Class 1 prior to any of the other classes.
Melody, Elizabeth	1, 2 (value \$50)	Classes 2 through 4 may be taken in any order.
Sophia 2	1, 2 + Embroidery (value \$125)	READY, SET, GO
Jane, Quest Plus, Serenade	By Appointment	Classes begin at the stated hour. Please arrive a few
Espire, Symphony	1, 2, 3, 4 (value \$100)	minutes ahead and have your machine set up and
Ellure, Ellure Plus, Esante, Ellageo, Ellegante, Ellisimo Unity	1, 2, 3, 4 + Embroidery (value \$175)	ready to go on time.  Thanks
Spirit	Embroidery ( value \$75)	

CLASS	Dates	Time	CLASS DESCRIPTION
Baby Lock Mastery Abridged	Saturday 11/16	9:30am-3:30pm	Abbreviated version of the four Baby Lock machine Mastery classes
Baby Lock Mastery 1	Wednesday 9/4, 10/9, 11/6, or 12/4	9:30am-12pm or 6-8:30pm	Care and Feeding of Your Machine
	Wednesday 10/16	9:30am-12pm	Buttonholes and
Baby Lock Mastery 2	Wednesday 9/11 or 11/13	6-8:30pm	Garment Sewing Techniques
Baby Lock Mastery 3	Wednesday 10/23	9:30am-12pm	Quilting Basics
Baby Lock Mastery 3	Wednesday 9/18 or 11/20	6-8:30pm	Quilling Dasies
	Wednesday 10/30	9:30am-12pm	Danie Managara and Danagaranian
Baby Lock Mastery 4	Wednesday 9/25	6-8:30pm	Basic Memory and Programming

### Software & Embroidery Classes

CLASS	Dates	Time	CLASS DESCRIPTION	
Art Link	by appointment	1-3:30pm	B : (A.III	
630E, 730E	by appointment	6-8:30pm	Basics of Art Link	
Embroidery Mastery	Thursdays 10/10, 10/17, 10/24 or 12/5, 12/12, 12/19	1-4pm	Three sessions geared to acquains students thoroughly with embroider	
Lindroidery mastery	Thursdays 9/12, 9/19, 9/26 or 11/7, 11/14, 11/21	5:30-8:30pm	module capabilities.	
Embroidery abridged class	Saturday 10/26 or 12/14	9:30am-3:30pm	Abbreviated version of the three embroidery module classes	
Bernina Software	Thursdays 9/12, 9/19, 9/26 or 11/7, 11/14, 11/21	1-4pm		
Mastery	Thursdays 10/10, 10/17, 10/24 or 12/5, 12/12, 12/19	5:30-8:30pm	Mastery Series & V6	

# OPEN HOUSE

# Saturday, September 7 9am-4pm

Come participate in our Community Service Project.
Learn a fun new technique while sewing blocks that will go into quilts that will be donated to the Veterans.
We will be sewing the "Ten Minute " quilt block.
Fabrics for the first block you sew will be donated by Ann Silva's Sewing Center.



Class Sign-Up Special: TODAY ONLY
Enroll and pay, receive a 10% discount
Must be present. No phone reservations. Not all classes are discountable.

