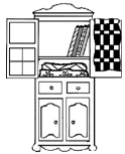


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February 2011



Thanks to everyone for your wonderful e-mails and personal best wishes for my new adventure in Pennsylvania. I've loved meeting all of you through my store. It is amazing the transformation my store has gone through since I opened in 2004. Thanks to all of you for helping make Quilter's Cupboard what it is today. I'm excited about the future of the store, but will definitely miss the daily activity of the store.

Jenny

EXTRA INVENTORY FOR OUR BIG SALE

CHECK OUT OUR NEW KOALA CABINET!



TONGA RHAPSODY BLOCK OF THE MONTH STARTS SOON!

Timeless Treasures and Wing and a Prayer Designs have teamed up to create a striking Batik Block of the Month for 2011. This quilt uses 12 gorgeous Tonga batiks and the finished size is 92 x 106" Price per month is \$19.99, which includes pattern and quilt top and binding fabric. Stop by the store to see the fabrics and learn more about this beautiful quilt.



SEWING MACHINE SALE!

At Quilter's Cupboard

1 WEEK ONLY
Feb. 25—Mar. 2

Every Machine
at least 30%
OFF MSRP!

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FOR THE LOVE OF SEWING



EXTRA SPECIAL
SAVINGS

TUESDAY, MARCH 1ST
Purchase ANY sewing
machine or serger and get
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Spring Quilter's Scavenger Hunt

March 24, 25 & 26

Thursday 10-7 – Friday & Saturday 10-6

Quilter's Cupboard will be participating in this year's Shop Hop Scavenger Hunt. Each shop will offer 15% discounts and a drawing will be held for a gift basket from each shop. Knitting Next Door will be joining in the fun with 15% off all yarn!



QUILTER'S CUPBOARD CLASSES AND CLUBS



MARGO OR CLAIRE BAG— These favorite purses from Lazy Girl Designs feature great instructions and a classy finished look. Margo has a zipper closure that was very easy and Claire is fat quarter friendly. Both

have great interior and exterior pockets. *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Wed. March 2 & 9 6:00-8:00pm—\$30

BEGINNING MACHINE APPLIQUE –

Learn how to use fusible web successfully and techniques for stitching straight lines and curves plus getting around those tricky inner and outer points. You will also learn how to layer applique pieces to achieve the look you want. This class is for beginners, comfortable with rotary cutting and basic quilting techniques. Our project will be one of our *Count On It* mini quilt blocks

Sewing machine required.

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Tues. March 8 5:30-8:30pm \$25

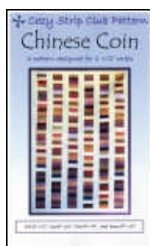
LEARN TO MACHINE EMBROIDER—Get excited about machine embroidery in this basic class. We will learn about downloading designs, stabilizers, sizing designs and more. Week two will have us stitching out a fun 4” design.

Sewing machine with embroidery attachment required

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Wed. March 16 & 23 10am—Noon \$30

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. Mar. 14, 21, 28 & Apr. 4 6-8pm—\$50

Fri. April 1, 8, 22 & 29 10am—Noon \$50

INTRODUCTION TO NEEDLETURN

APPLIQUE—Here is your chance to learn Needleturn Applique with Sharon, who teaches our Applique Club. You will learn the basics, including the appliqué stitch, points and curves. Class fee includes a basic project kit.

Teacher—Sharon Meisenheimer

Fri. March 18 10:30am-12:30pm—\$30

HUNTER STAR TABLERUNNER— A totally new, patented technique designed to streamline construction of the traditional Hunter's Star block. Each student will learn how to use the Rapid Fire Hunter's Star ruler and sewing procedures to quickly and accurately assemble the blocks. Fun, fast and striking. Suitable to those with some basic quilting skills (not recommended as a first project).

Sewing machine required.

Teacher—Diana Anderson

Sat. March 19 10:30am-3:00—\$35

STARLIGHT -This striking batik quilt is made with a Tri-Recs ruler to get striking stars. Pattern is included in class fee. Choose your own fabrics or pick our kit made with Timeless Treasures Tonga batiks. *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Amy Vanderberg

Tues. March 22 & 29 5:30—8:00pm \$30

T-SHIRT QUILT—Another great class for a confident beginner! Learn Techniques to make a t-shirt

quilt. Make a fun quilt to show off your or your kids favorite shirts. *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Sue Grant

Wed. March 30, April 6 & 13 6:00-8:00pm \$40

SIX IN THE CITY— Six in the City Bag pattern by Artful Offerings has instructions for 6 cute and stylish bags including the Rose Bag, Tie Bag, Button Bag, Ruffle Bag, Bow Bag, and Rick Rack Bag. These patterns are easy to make and the perfect purse size.



Sewing machine required.

Teacher—Diana Anderson

Sat. April 9 10:30am-3:00—\$35

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



Teacher—Cindy Peters

Tues. April 12 & 26 6-8pm \$30

SMALL TWIST TOPPER—

Enjoy making continuous pinwheels using the “twister” tool. It’s fun, fast and easy with endless possibilities to create a variety of patterns.



We will be making a tabletopper in class

Sewing machine required.

Teacher—Sue Grant

Sat. April 16 10:30am-4:30pm \$40

SKILL BUILDERS SERIES

ROTARY CUTTING ABC’S—The secret to a beautiful quilt starts with the cutting. Learn about the rotary cutter and rulers that will make everything easier! Bring a project to cut and learn to decipher cutting instructions.

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Mon. April 11 6:00-8:00pm —\$15

BINDING BASICS—Learn several different binding methods and which works best for which projects. Lots of great info in this two hour hands-on class. *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Trina Kirkvold

Mon. April 18 6:00-8:00pm —\$15

ZIPPERS AREN’T SCARY—Afraid of zippers? Let Cindy show you unbelievably easy methods that don’t even require a zipper foot! *Sewing machine required.*

Teacher—Cindy Peters

Mon. April 25 6:00-8:00pm —\$15

LOOK FOR MORE IN THIS SERIES

COMING SOON!

MONTHLY CLUBS

GROOVY GIRLS SEWING CLUB

MINI EDITION

For those of you that missed our Groovy Girls Sewing Club the first time around, Cindy will be compiling a BEST OF version. This 2 month session will be a mini version of our original club will the best of our original 6 month’s projects. Stay tuned for more details on Groovy Girls Part 2 starting in the fall.

Friday March 11 & April 15

10:30 am or 6pm—\$20

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 2011! 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. Please call ahead to reserve your spot.

EMBROIDERY CLUB

Our popular Stitchery and Wool club is getting a make-over and a new leader. Carmen Morris, a Quilter's Cupboard regular and expert stitcher, is taking over the evening club, with Cindy still leading the morning group. Our new focus will be on learning and mastering new stitches and techniques, so those new to embroidery and wool projects will get the help they need. New projects and supplies will be shown and help is available as needed. Come and stitch starting at 10am or 5:30pm, Club starts at 10:30am and 6pm.

Price is \$20 for 4 months starting in April, join us in March at no charge!

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). Our next session runs Jan-May. 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 club is for you. Join Sharon Meisenheimer the 1st Tues. of the month at 1pm. 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.

COUNT ON IT CLUB

Art to Heart's new book, *Count on It* has so many

cute ideas, we just had to start a monthly club! The projects will use Nancy Halvorsen's fabrics. Look forward to counting down to your favorite holidays while making a monthly seasonal mini quilt that fits our small table stands or hangers. *Count on It* club meets the 1st Thursday of the month starting Feb. 3rd. At 10:30am & 6pm. Monthly kit fee is \$16.99 for two blocks and the club lasts for 6 months. Projects are simple but fun, great for anyone!

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.

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 on Friday. March. 4 and Fri. April 1 at 4pm.

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

Pinking Shears - \$8

Salon Shears - \$15-\$20

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