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A NOTE TO OUR FRIENDS

As the warmer than usual winter slowly slips into springtime, we've enjoyed not having snow and lots of cold weather. The rain has helped our yards and the lakes are back up to normal levels, so I'm getting the boat ready to go.

As we look forward in 2012, we are reminded of what a good year 2011 was for the Berry Patch. Our expansion of the year before has given us the opportunity to add more merchandise for you and allowed us to spread our wings a bit. We appreciate all the kind comments about the store this year and salute Stayce for all her hard work in merchandising.

The class schedule has lots of new classes for your review and don't forget Shirley's Recipe Corner. I can personally attest to how good it is! One of our

Bernina products, the QuiltMotion Software, has been a big hit with everyone. If you haven't seen this new product, designed especially for quilters, be sure to take a look!

The fall of this year will bring the Berry Patch our 35th anniversary in business. A retail business never operates in a vacuum. It requires really supportive and loyal customers and really loyal and competent employees. We are grateful we have both.

Thank you for your continued support,

*Bob, Shirley, Stayce and the
entire Berry Patch staff*



An Open Invitation -

QUILT SITTER NEWS

Join Us on Saturdays at 1 pm:

April 14, May 12, June 9, July 14, August 11, and September 8

Have YOU tried the Berry Patch Quilt Sitters? This super friendly group gets together once a month for fun, camaraderie, and a new design.

Quilt Sitters is designed for every skill level, from not even a beginner to the most experienced. It is for every machine brand owner and for hand and/or machine piecers and quilters. You need not bring any supplies as this is a lecture-demo type get-together. A sample quilt or top and at least one pattern are presented each time. Attention is given to the demonstration of different techniques that will give your work a "pop" of design, color or method. In addition, Gail provides ideas for making sewing easier and more accurate.

Our short-term bonus project for this year will be donation quilts. You may choose to do just one

or two blocks, an entire quilt or more. The non-profit organization will also be of your choosing. Whether you choose to give to military persons, children, women or elder folks, you will have many options of how you wish (or not) to give to the community.

We also have a "Show and Share" time if you wish to show or tell something about the sewing world. There are refreshments, door prizes and new friends to make. We meet the second Saturday of the month. Your first visit to Quilt Sitters is free and only \$5 thereafter. No need to sign up ahead of time, just be here. As an added bonus, you receive a **15% discount on all fabrics**.

We're looking forward to seeing you on Saturdays!

- Gail

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HOLIDAYS

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Memorial Day
May 28

Independence Day
July 4

Labor Day
September 3

BERNINA AWARDS

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BP CLUB NEWS

You do not have to be a Bernina owner to participate. Join us for a lecture-demo of a new sewing technique or a new pattern or product. There are refreshments and show-and-share as well as a few door prizes for some lucky attendees! Come for fun and fellowship! Fee: \$5

BERNINA CLUB

**Meets every other second
Saturday at 10:30 am -
April 14, June 9,
& August 11**

Covers new products, techniques or new ideas in the general sewing area. Fun time of fellowship, show and share.

ARTISTA CLUB

**Meets every other second
Saturday at 10:30 am -
May 12, (no meeting in
July), & September 8**

Focuses on the embroidery aspect of our sewing and embroidery combination machines. Covers new techniques, products, etc.

SOFTWARE CLUB

**Meets every month
on the second Tuesday at
10:30 am - April 10, May 8,
(no meeting in June), July
10, August 14, &
September 11**

Visit our fastest growing group! This club covers all aspects of Artista Software, is project oriented and covers several techniques from software to complete project. Price includes CD with video instruction and project directions.



MY BERNINA®

Machine Owners Intro Classes

We're excited about the training series that has been developed by Bernina to help you master your machine. These classes are available for all new machine purchases and are free of charge when you purchase your machine from the Berry Patch. **If you have previously taken the Guide Classes, the information is the same -- only the names of the classes have changed.**

If you have purchased your machine out of our marketing area, your dealer can pay the Berry Patch to provide your training and warranty - on a "space available" basis. If you purchased your machine from us, we are happy for you to take a refresher class at any time. Remember, not all Bernina training is the same. Train with the best at the Berry Patch!

BASIC OPERATION I

All Sewing Machines

Learn the basics of your Bernina sewing machine. We will be covering the correct way to thread your machine, care and maintenance, how to do basic sewing stitches, blind hem & button holes.

Sat.	April 21	1:00 - 5:00
Thurs.	May 24	1:00 - 5:00
Tues.	June 19	1:00 - 5:00
Sat.	July 28	1:00 - 5:00
Fri.	Aug. 24	1:00 - 5:00
Thurs.	Sept. 13	1:00 - 5:00

STITCH FUN II

Learn about the accessories that come with the machine and what you can do with them. We will also cover new feet and sewing techniques.

Sat.	April 28	1:00 - 5:00
Wed.	May 30	1:30 - 5:30
Tues.	June 26	1:00 - 5:00
Wed.	July 11	1:00 - 5:00
Sat.	Aug. 18	1:00 - 5:00
Fri.	Sept. 28	1:00 - 5:00

CREATIVE OPTIONS III (200, 580, 630, 730 only)

We will be covering the use of the functions, the memory, directional sewing, the set-up of the machine and so much more.

Sat.	May 19	9:30 - 12:30
Thurs.	July 19	1:30 - 4:30
Tues.	Aug. 21	10:00 - 1:00
Tues.	Sept. 25	10:00 - 1:00

EMBROIDERY BASICS & BEYOND

Learn all about the embroidery features on your machine. We will cover stabilizers, thread, how to hoop as well as how to edit designs.

Fri.	April 27	10:00 - 3:00
Sat.	May 26	10:00 - 3:00
Thurs.	June 21	10:00 - 3:00
Fri.	July 27	10:00 - 3:00
Tues.	Aug. 28	10:00 - 3:00
Sat.	Sept. 15	10:00 - 3:00

830 BASIC OPERATION I

Learn the basics of your Bernina sewing machine. We will be covering the correct way to thread your machine, care and maintenance, how to do basic sewing stitches, blind hem & button holes.

Tues.	April 24	10:00 - 1:00
Sat.	June 16	10:00 - 1:00
Thurs.	July 26	10:00 - 1:00
Fri.	Sept. 21	10:00 - 1:00

830 STITCH FUN II

Learn about the accessories that come with the machine and what you can do with them. We will also cover new feet and sewing techniques.

Tues.	Apr. 24	2:00 - 5:00
Sat.	June 16	2:00 - 5:00
Thurs.	July 26	2:00 - 5:00
Fri.	Sept. 21	2:00 - 5:00

830 CREATIVE OPTIONS III

We will be covering the use of the functions, the memory, directional sewing, the set-up of the machine and so much more.

Tues.	May 8	2:00 - 5:00
Sat.	June 23	9:30 - 12:30
Tues.	Aug. 2	10:00 - 1:00
Thurs.	Sept. 27	2:00 - 5:00



830 EMBROIDERY BASICS & BEYOND

Learn all about the embroidery features on your machine. We will cover stabilizers, thread, how to hoop as well as how to edit designs.

Thurs.	May 3	10:00 - 3:00
Sat.	June 30	10:00 - 3:00
Thurs.	Aug. 16	10:00 - 3:00
Tues.	Oct. 2	10:00 - 3:00

SERGER GUIDE

Learn how to thread your serger from start to finish for a basic overlock stitch as well as a rolled hem. We will also cover cleaning and maintenance.

Sat.	May 5	9:30 - 12:30
Fri.	July 20	1:30 - 4:30
Tues.	Sept. 18	10:00 - 1:00



Notice: We have made every effort to ensure that the information contained within this newspaper is accurate and have presented it in good faith. However, due to human error or printing oversight, we reserve the right to change merchandise pricing at any time.

ONE ON ONE INSTRUCTION

Fee: \$45

We offer one-on-one training for any sewing or machine technique that you want to learn. Call us and let us know what you want to learn and we will schedule you with the appropriate teacher at a time that works for both of you.

NEW! IRON CADDY

Edna Summers

Skill Level I

2 x 2 Hrs.

Fee: \$30

Join this fun class to create a tote that carries a small iron and doubles as an ironing surface. Edna will cover the technique making perfect piping.

Thursdays, April 19 & 26 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

Mondays, June 18 & 25 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

Fridays, September 7 & 14 10 am - 12 pm

NEW! JACOB'S JAZZ TABLE RUNNER

Gail Curnutt

Skill Level I

3 x 2 Hrs.

Fee: \$45

This table runner looks difficult but its not! Using strip piecing and two fabrics, a beginning quilter can complete this project easily.

Mondays 10:30 am - 12:30 pm

April 23, 30 & May 7

Thursdays 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm

June 28, July 5 & 12



NEW! QUILTED PLACEMATS

Edna Summers

Skill Level I

2 x 2 Hrs.

Fee: \$30

Try your quilting skills at using half square triangles to create these unique placemats. You will be able to create many different designs using all the same pieces.

Fridays, May 4 & 11

10 am - 12 pm

Wednesdays, August 1 & 8

10 am - 12 pm



NEW! POT PINCHERS

Edna Summers

Skill Level I

1 x 3 Hrs.

Fee: \$25

Join Edna to learn the ins and outs of making these cute potholders. Stitch them up for yourself or for a gift for a friend.

Friday, May 18

10 am - 1 pm

Monday, September 10

10 am - 1 pm



NEW! MACHINE EMBROIDERY QUILTING

Debbie McFatrige

Skill Level I

1 x 4 Hrs.

Fee: \$35

830 Bernina Machines Only

Become an expert with the feature of virtual positioning on your embroidery machine to quilt any size quilt.

Thursday, May 10

1 pm - 5 pm

Tuesday, August 7

1 pm - 5 pm



SHIRLEY'S RECIPE CORNER

This recipe belonged to my Grandma Rodgers. I think the thing that makes it extra good is marinating the chicken.

Grandma's Chicken Salad

It's a good basic recipe to add your special touch. This is one of our family favorites.

Cook 4-6 chicken breasts.
Cut into small pieces.
Marinate overnight in a mixture of 1 T. vinegar, 1 T lemon juice, and 2 T. vegetable oil.

Add 3-4 hard boiled eggs, chopped
1 c. celery

seasoned salt and pepper
chopped onion if desired
green grapes

For the dressing combine equal amounts of mayonnaise and Miracle Whip.

Add a small amount of milk.

The proportions will depend on the amount of other ingredients used but I usually use about a cup of each and then about 1/4 cup milk or less.

Enjoy!

SHOPPING SPREE

How about some FREE Berry Patch merchandise?

Just save your original Berry Patch Fabrics cash register receipts, and when they total \$500, we'll give you a Gift Certificate for \$50. A few boundaries do apply ... only non-sale items are included. Bernina machines and cabinets are excluded (accessories are okay) and sales tax is excluded.



BERNINA DAY SPA

Call today and book your Spa reservation!

Berry Patch Fabrics is proud to announce the new Bernina Day Spa for your sewing machine. The first Tuesday of each month appointments will be available to service or repair your Bernina. Just make an appointment between 10 and 11 a.m. Your machine will be available for pick-up by 5 p.m. the same day.

The Bernina Day Spa is ideal for customers who live out of town. General Service is \$89.50.

CURRENT SEWING SCHEDULE



Many classes have kits that are required and we have tried to keep their expense to a minimum. Many classes do not require a kit, but do require supplies. We ask that you purchase the class supplies from the Berry Patch. This is the only way we can maintain low class fees.

Our classes are presented for the individual use of those attending. If you teach somewhere else or plan to do so, please let us know. We have different class fees when we train teachers.

Most classes fill quickly, so we suggest you register early to reserve your spot!

SKILL LEVEL I

Some sewing experience will be helpful. Basic use of your sewing machine may be required. Some Skill Level I classes are true beginner's classes and you start from the very beginning.

SKILL LEVEL II

These are not basic sewing classes, so you will need a background...perhaps the basic classes or experience in other areas of sewing. When machines are required, you should be well familiar with the functions of your specific model of machine.

BEGINNING SMOCKING

Stayce McPhail
3 x 2.5 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$55

In this class you will learn the basic stitches (cables, waves and trellises) while constructing either a children's garment or ladies nightgown. We will cover construction of the garment as well.
Tuesdays 10 am - 12:30 pm
May 15, 22 & 29
Wednesdays 5:30 pm - 8 pm
July 18, 25 & August 1
Wednesdays 10 am - 12:30 pm
September 12, 19 & 26



ADVANCED SMOCKING

Stayce McPhail
3 x 2.5 Hrs.

Skill Level II
Fee: \$55

Learn to make characters using the cable stitch for "stacking cables." You will learn to follow a color plate and graph to create the design plate of your choice. We will also cover information on how to center and space designs as well as learning more advanced stitches such as bullion and herringbone.
Fridays 10 am - 12:30 pm
June 1, 8 & 22
Wednesdays 10 am - 12:30 pm
August 15, 22 & 29



SMOCKED GARMENT CONSTRUCTION

Stayce McPhail
3 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$65

Come and learn all of the special tips for sewing together your smocked garments. We will construct a basic yoke dress in class with the focus on collars, piping, plackets, french seams and more.
Fridays 10 am - 1:00 pm
August 3, 10 & 17



FRENCH MACHINE BABY BONNET

Stayce McPhail
1 x 3.5 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$25

Learn the art of French machine sewing while creating a baby bonnet. Techniques covered are lace-to-lace, lace to entredueux, rolling, whipping and attaching lace to fabric edges and so much more! This is a wonderful class to create a precious baby bonnet for a special child.
Thursdays 1:30 pm - 5 pm
May 17
Saturday 9:30 am - 1 pm
September 29



MACHINE EMBROIDERY TILE SCENE

Stayce McPhail
3 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$60

Using one of Anita Goodesigns Embroidered Tile Scene designs, we will create a work of art for you for the holidays. Learn all about the right stabilizers, hooping techniques and how to put the embroidery tiles together when finished.
Tuesdays 2 pm - 5 pm
July 17, 24 & 31



COLOR MAGIC

Judie Matasso
3 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$65

Choose a favorite color and gather up enough shades and variations of that color to make a quilt. This is an interesting and valuable lesson in choosing and working with colors. You could also make this in two or three colors, all the way to scrappy if you choose.
Wednesdays 2 pm - 5 pm
May 2, 9 & 16
Fridays 2 pm - 5 pm
August 31, September 7 & 14



COOL RIVER

Judie Matasso
2 x 4 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$60

Subtle color changes make this an interesting piece to work on. It could easily be made in warmer colors and to any size desired. It will be a good lesson in color, triangles, and shifting a pattern to fit the direction you want it to go.
Fridays 1 pm - 5 pm
June 22 & 29
Wednesdays 1 pm - 5 pm
September 19 & 26



ECLIPSE

Judie Matasso
3 x 4 hours

Skill Level I
Fee: \$75

Create your own lunar landscape for a wall hanging, lap or bed size quilt. Batiks are perfect for this look, but it could be totally different and equally enticing in another style of fabric. How about "Aunt Grace's" or your favorite florals? There are also other ways of laying out these blocks to give it a totally different pattern. Join us and make this striking quilt uniquely yours.
Wednesdays 1 pm - 5 pm
June 6, 13 & 20



TAPESTRY GARDEN QUILT

Judie Matasso
2 x 4 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$60

You may find after taking this class, that making one quilt with this pattern is just not enough! It takes on a totally different personality according to the fabrics used. Judie has taken out the templates, and streamlined the cutting instructions, so you can make this striking quilt faster and more easily than you would imagine. How about one for yourself and another as a gift for someone special?
Fridays 1 pm - 5 pm
June 8 & 15



Check out recently updated photos of Berry Patch Fabrics classes showcasing Gail Currnutt's projects at:
WWW.GAILSQUILTS.COM

BAYWATCH

Judie Matasso
2 x 4 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$60

A quilt that would be simple to make in a larger or smaller version according to your needs, Baywatch can either be done in "watery" colors for a look like the sample, or any other combo of colors for a totally different look. A good lesson in color choice, color placement and several different blocks.

Fridays, May 4 & 11 1 pm – 5 pm

DRUNKARD'S WAVE

Judie Matasso
3 x 4 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$75

Learn paper piecing, or just improve your skills while making this beautiful quilt. It may be a wall hanging size like the sample, or larger as shown on the pattern. You might choose to use just two colors or a whole range of colors. Join us for this fun and informative class and see how easy it is to make one of your own.

Mondays 1 pm – 5 pm
July 16, 23 & 30

OH MY STARS

Judie Matasso
3 x 4 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$75

This is based on a Kaye England pattern, but looks oh so different in these fabrics. It's a good lesson in how fabric choices change the character of your quilt, plus you will learn about making stars, side setting triangles and diagonal piecing just to mention a few of the high points of this class. Come join us and see how simple it is to make this beautiful quilt your own.

Mondays 1 pm – 5 pm
May 7, 14 & 21

MOON DANCE

Judie Matasso
2 x 4.5 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$60

Make anything from a table runner to a king size bed quilt using the same single design concept you will learn in this class. It's great for a favorite panel you've been saving, or a picturesque piece of fabric like the one in the sample. We can discuss fabric choices in the first class, but by all means bring a favorite piece you might have been saving for just this kind of pattern.

Fridays, July 6 & 13 1 pm – 5:30 pm

WHICH WAY DID HE GO

Judie Matasso
3 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$65

Use some of the small pieces from your stash, or start with new fat quarters, add some black and you'll be on your way to a beautiful lap or bed size quilt. These "Crossroads to Jericho" blocks make up quickly and easily, but create a striking pattern, whether using bright tone-on-tone fabrics, or something lighter and more mellow. Anyway you choose to do it, you'll be surprised how easy and fun making this quilt will be.

Wednesdays 2 pm – 5 pm
August 29, September 5 & 12

APPLIQUE IN HOOP

Teri DeBolt
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$30

In this class Teri will teach you all the different ways of doing appliqué in the hoop. Learn all about the different techniques, stabilizers, fusible products that these appliqué patterns require.

Monday, June 4 2 pm – 5 pm
Thursday, September 20 10 am – 1 pm

BSR BLITZ

Teri DeBolt
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$30

If you are a Bernina Stitch Regulator owner, this class is for you! Teri will teach you the ins and outs of free motion with your BSR.

Thursday, June 7 2 pm – 5 pm
Monday, August 13 10 am – 1 pm

NEW! BERNINA BINDER WORKBOOK

Teri DeBolt
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$30

Binder basics, curves, corners, using decorative stitches and how to start and stop your binding

Thursday, June 7 10 am – 1 pm
Monday, August 13 2 pm – 5 pm

QUILTING IN THE HOOP

Teri DeBolt
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$30

Now that you have an embroidery machine you can learn how to quilt in the embroidery hoop. You won't want to miss this! Imagine how quickly you might get that quilt quilted!

Monday, June 4 10 am – 1 pm
Thursday, September 20 2 pm – 5 pm

KISS - KEEP IT SIMPLE SEWING

Heather Carr
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$25

This three hour class is designed to zip the novice through a simple project while learning the ins and outs of the sewing machine. You will make a small shoulder bag in class; a great introduction to sewing. Guaranteed to leave you in stitches even if you have never sewn a seam.

Thursday, May 31 6 pm – 9 pm
Thursday, June 21 6 pm – 9 pm
Thursday, August 23 6 pm – 9 pm



SEWING CLASSES

Whenever there is a question about you participating in a class, don't hesitate to discuss it with us. We try to accommodate everyone if possible.



This symbol represents classes that require you bring your sewing machine.



This symbol represents classes that specialize in handwork.

E-MAIL LIST

We use our e-mail list to keep you informed about upcoming events and other vital information because of the speed and efficiency. Be sure we have a current e-mail address for you. It's easy to do!

Go to our web site, www.berrypatchfabrics.com.

Afterwards, be on the lookout for Berry Patch Updates - vital information and coupons for your use will be included!

CURRENT SEWING SCHEDULE



We believe that our class schedule is an important part of the service we provide. Our teachers and staff work hard to provide quality training in many areas and we appreciate your participation.

In the future, we will make three the minimum number of students for a class to be held. We ask that you sign up for the classes you wish to take as soon as you decide, rather than wait to see if the class makes with the minimum three students.

This will help us with scheduling.

We also request that you purchase the supplies necessary for the class from us. This is the only way we can maintain our low class fees. If the minimum three students is not met, we will refund your class fee. We suggest you purchase any specialized supplies after the class has made. We can call you to let you know before the class date.

Finally, we ask that you call us if you have signed up and paid for a class, but do not intend to attend. If you call us three days before the class date, we will be happy to refund your fee. This happens often and the class space is unused. Many of the classes have a waiting list of students that would like to attend.

Thanks for your understanding!

ANNUAL POTLUCK

Gail Curnutt & Judie Matasso
2 x 5 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$75

Get ready for the store's most popular on-going class! Be prepared for a wonderful weekend of fun times and super techniques. We begin with a real potluck supper and the rest of the weekend will be like a retreat without the cost of a room

Judie and Gail will offer you several choice designs and you'll have time to practice some of the latest methods for fast and easy piecing along with quilt tops that have panache. Come prepared for fun, food and fabulous designs.

Saturday, July 21 & 5 pm - 10 pm
Sunday, July 22 1 pm - 6 pm

A+ BINDINGS

Gail Curnutt
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$25

Join us for the fourth "B" of quilting. This class covers a neat, narrow binding with no obvious seams. Even the joining between the beginning and ending seams are concealed. See the optional completely machine stitched binding. Your corners will have a perfect and flat 45-degree angle with no wrinkles or lumps. Don't miss learning this last step in truly completing a quilt!

Tuesday, May 29 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Wednesday, August 22 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

FINISHING A QUILT

Gail Curnutt
1 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$25

You've completed a top and now what? Let Gail guide you step-by-step through 3 of the 4 Basic B's: Backing, Batting, and Basting. How and why to use a walking foot, stitching in the ditch, even labels and hanging sleeves will be included. This class is designed for beginners, but it is also a good review for more experienced sewers. Recall the saying, "A quilt isn't a quilt until it's quilted"? Guess what? You will be ready for a true quilt and many more!

Tuesday, May 22 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm
Wednesday, August 15 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

QUILTERS' QUICK COURSE

Gail Curnutt
4 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$60

This class presents the most versatile skills of perhaps any class we offer. The easy techniques offer something for almost everyone, from confident beginner to the more experienced piecer. The horizontal piecing in this row quilt offers loads and loads of ideas. Checkerboards, triangles, connectors, stars, ribbons, and braids are taught. Fabric selection, size changes, planning, and so much more are included. Speed, accuracy and design innovation are also a part of this class.

You'll have a lifetime of skills with a variety of techniques.

Come join us for a new pleasure in your life!

Wednesdays 10 am - 1 pm

May 16, 23, 30 & June 6

Mondays 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm

August 6, 13, 20 & 27

FREEDOM OF FREE MOTION

Gail Curnutt
3 x 3 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$65

Have you always wanted to do free motion machine quilting and do it well? Then NOW is the time to begin or to improve your skills. Learn how to choose quilting designs and battings. See why pin basting works. Try several no-mark methods. Get tips on various needles and tricks for using decorative threads, plus so much more! Gail will also show you how to make a "virgin" quilt. All of this comes with hands-on instruction and plenty of individual TLC.

Fraturdays 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

May 18, 25 & June 1

Thursdays 2:00 pm - 5:00 pm

August 2, 9 & 23

BEGINNING QUILTMaking

Gail Curnutt
3 x 3 hours

Skill Level I
Fee: \$65

This class is designed for first time quilters or for those who have not sewn in a while. Here are all of the basics for piecing. The newer methods of rotary cutting, chain piecing and sewing strip sets are presented. Tips on fabric choices, achieving the vital accurate quarter inch seams, and so much more are included. Pre-requisite is to be able to thread your machine :-). Come let Gail hold your hand through all the steps of opening the door to new experiences of pleasure!

Tuesdays 5:30 pm - 8:30 pm

April 24, May 1 & 8

Wednesdays 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

July 18, 25 & August 1

Sundays 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm

September 16, 23 & 30

NO FEAR INVISIBLE MACHINE APPLIQUE

Gail Curnutt
1 x 4 Hrs.

Skill Level I
Fee: \$30

Have you been reluctant to try applique? Or have you tried it and weren't pleased with the results? No need to fear! Gail is here with simple tricks to tame your worries. You will be surprised with a "hearts on squares" design. Hearts are great beginnings as they cover all the "innies" and "outies" of these easy techniques! Three methods will be presented, one that uses wash away paper. Do join us for this excellent class!

Sunday, May 20 1 pm - 5 pm

Wednesday, June 27 1 pm - 5 pm

Tuesday, September 11 1 pm - 5 pm

Berry Patch FABRICS **CURRENT SEWING SCHEDULE**

BEGINNING SEWING

Heather Carr Skill Level I
2 x 3 Hrs. Fee: \$45

This class is specifically patterned to take you through the steps of creating a garment including: learning what all the notions (or tools) do, using a sewing machine (did you know they have two feet?), fabric selection (so many fabulous choices), reading a pattern, cutting and constructing. You will make a pair of pajama pants. After this class you'll feel 'sew' confident when starting your next project.

Thursdays 6 pm – 9 pm

April 26 & May 3

Thursdays 6 pm – 9 pm

July 26 & August 9

Thursdays 6 pm – 9 pm

September 27 & October 4

NEW! ABC'S OF BABY APPAREL

Heather Carr Skill Level I
2 x 3 Hrs. Fee: \$45

Want to learn to sew for your little one? New moms and new sewers unite to explore the ABC's of sewing. While learning to read a pattern, selecting fabric, and exploring sewing machine basics, you will create a sundress with matching panties.

Thursdays 6 pm – 9 pm

May 17 & 24

Thursdays 6 pm – 9 pm

September 13 & 20

NEW! PILLOW PERFECTION

Heather Carr Skill Level I
2 x 2 Hrs. Fee: \$30

Show your unique style – whether you like vibrant prints or subtle hues) and save money by sewing these fun oversized pillows. By learning basic sewing skills and techniques using specialty feet, you will be on the path to many more home decorating projects.

Thursdays 6 pm – 8 pm

June 7 & 14

Thursdays 6 pm – 8 pm

August 30 & September 6

APRON APPRENTICESHIP

Heather Carr Skill Level I
1 x 3 Hrs. Fee: \$25

While acquiring basic skills and constructing retro-chic style aprons you will create ties that bind through sewing and friendship. Join Berry Patch Fabrics' Apron Apprenticeship every other month to fashion apron patterns by Taylor Made Designs, Paisley Pincushions, and more.

Tuesday, May 15 6 pm – 9 pm

Tuesday, July 24 6 pm – 9 pm

Tuesday, September 18 6 pm – 9 pm

KIDS CAMP I

Heather Carr Skill Level I
5 x 2 Hrs. Fee: \$150

Fee includes supplies.

Summer is a great time to have fun and learn to sew! We will do both in this beginning sewing class tailored just for kids. The campers will learn the basics of the sewing machine and sewing construction while making a pair of shorts and pajama bag. By the end of the week, the campers with their newly acquired skills, will be eager to show off their creations.

Monday - Friday, June 11 - 15 10 am – 12 pm

NEW! KIDS SEW SWEET II

Heather Carr Skill Level II
5 x 2 Hrs. Fee: \$150

Fee includes supplies.

Pre-requisite: Kids Camp I

Campers will sew an apron and a cupcake hotpad. They will finish up the week wearing their projects while making sweet treats!

Monday - Friday, June 25 - 29 10 am – 12 pm

KIDS QUILT CAMP

Heather Carr Skill Level I
5 x 2 Hrs. Fee: \$150

Fee includes supplies.

Our Kids Quilt Camp is a week long camp designed to offer kids a great learning environment to create and complete their very own chenille quilt. We will have lots of fun and by the end of the week each child will have made a throw size quilt to keep or give as a gift.

Monday - Friday, July 16 - 20 10 am – 12 pm

TOTE TUTORING

Heather Carr Skill Level I
1 x 3 Hrs. Fee: \$25

Purses, totes and carryalls -- it's all in the bag! Every other month create a functional bag with a personal touch. The various styles will explore techniques using numerous stiffeners, hardware and closures.

Tuesday, April 17 6 pm – 9 pm

Tuesday, June 19 6 pm – 9 pm

Tuesday, August 21 6 pm – 9 pm



PERSONALIZED WISH LIST

Guarantee you get the gift you want by coming in and filling out your wish list for an upcoming birthday or holiday! We can list your wishes for you under your history file in our store computer system.

Now, when that special someone wants to purchase something for you, we can help by letting them know exactly what you've been wishing for. We also have free gift-wrapping service available upon request. How easy is that?!



We are happy to have you use our classroom for working on your projects. Need a big surface to pin a quilt or layout other projects? Use our classroom! We are happy to have you use it anytime we are not having a class.

Call us to check on availability and come on over!

APRIL 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4	5	6	7 2 - 4 Block of the Month Club
8	9	10 10:30 Software Club	11	12	13	14 10:30 Bernina Club 1 QUILT SITTERS
15	16	17 6 - 9 Tote Tutoring	18	19 10:30 - 12:30 Iron Caddy	20	21 1 - 5 Basic Operation I
22	23 10:30 - 12:30 Jacob's Table Runner	24 10 - 1 830 Basic Operation I 2 - 5 830 Stitch Fun II 5:30 - 8:30 Beginning Quiltmaking	25	26 10:30 - 12:30 Iron Caddy 6 - 9 Beginning Sewing	27 10 - 3 Embroidery Basics & Beyond	28 1 - 5 Stitch Fun II
29	30 10:30 - 12:30 Jacob's Table Runner					

MAY 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
<div> Check out recently updated photos of Berry Patch Fabrics classes showcasing Gail Cunniff's projects at: WWW.GAILSQUILTS.COM </div>		1 5:30 - 8:30 Beginning Quiltmaking	2 2 - 5 Color Magic	3 10 - 3 830 Embroidery Basics 6 - 9 Beginning Sewing	4 10 - 12 Quilted Placemats 1 - 5 Bay Watch	5 9:30 - 12:30 Serger Guide 2 - 4 Block of the Month
	6 10:30 - 12:30 Jacob's Table Runner 1 - 5 Oh My Stars	7 10:30 Software Club 2 - 5 Creative Options II 5:30 - 8:30 Beginning Quiltmaking	8 2 - 5 Color Magic	9 1 - 5 Machine Embroidery Quilting	10 10 - 12 Quilted Placemats 1 - 5 Bay Watch	11 10:30 Artista Club 1 QUILT SITTERS
	12 1 - 5 Oh My Stars	13 10 - 12:30 Beginning Smocking 6 - 9 Apron Apprentice	14 10 - 1 Quilters Quick Course 2 - 5 Color Magic	15 1:30 - 5 Bonnet 6 - 9 ABC's of Baby Apparel	16 10 - 1 Pot Pinchers 2 - 5 Freedom of Free Motion	17 9:30 - 12:30 Creative Options III
	18 1 - 5 No Fear Invisible Applique	19 1 - 5 Oh My Stars	20 10 - 12:30 Beginning Smocking 5:30 - 8:30 Finishing a Quilt	21 10 - 1 Quilters Quick Course	22 1 - 5 Basic Operation I 6 - 9 ABC's of Baby Apparel	23 2 - 5 Freedom of Free Motion
	24 1 - 5 Oh My Stars	25 10 - 12:30 Beginning Smocking 5:30 - 8:30 A+ Bindings	26 10 - 1 Quilters Quick Course 1:30 - 5:30 Stitch Fun	27 6 - 9 KISS		
	28 Memorial Day CLOSED					

JUNE 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
					1 10 - 12:30 Advanced Smocking 2 - 5 Freedom of Free Motion	2 3 - 5 Block of the Month Club
3	4 10 - 1 Quilting in the Hoop 2 - 5 Applique in the Hoop	5	6 10 - 1 Quilters Quick Course 1 - 5 Eclipse	7 10 - 1 Binder Workbook 2 - 5 BSR Blitz 6 - 8 Pillow Perfection	8 10 - 12:30 Advanced Smocking 1 - 5 Tapestry Garden	9 10:30 Bernina Club 1 QUILT SITTERS
10	11 10 - 12 Kids Camp I	12 10 - 12 Kids Camp I	13 10 - 12 Kids Camp I 1 - 5 Eclipse	14 10 - 12 Kids Camp I 6 - 8 Pillow Perfection	15 10 - 12 Kids Camp I 1 - 5 Tapestry Garden	16 10 - 1 830 Basic Operation I 2 - 5 830 Stitch Fun II
17	18 1:30 - 3:30 Iron Caddy	19 1 - 5 Basic Operation 6 - 9 Tote Tutoring	20 1 - 5 Eclipse	21 10 - 3 Embroidery Basics & Beyond 6 - 9 KISS	22 10 - 12:30 Advanced Smocking 1 - 5 Cool River	23 9:30 - 12:30 830 Creative Options III
24	25 10 - 12 Kids Sew Sweet II 1:30 - 3:30 Iron Caddy	26 10 - 12 Kids Sew Sweet II 1 - 5 Stitch Fun	27 10 - 12 Kids Sew Sweet II 1 - 5 No Fear Invisible Applique	28 10 - 12 Kids Sew Sweet II 1:30 - 3:30 Jacob's Table Runner	29 10 - 12 Kids Sew Sweet II 1 - 5 Cool River	30 10 - 3 830 Embroidery Basics & Beyond

JULY 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
1	2	3	4 Independence Day CLOSED	5 1:30 - 3:30 Jacob's Table Runner	6 1 - 5:30 Moon Dance	7 2 - 4 Block of the Month Club
8	9	10 10:30 Software Club	11 1 - 5 Stitch Fun II	12 1:30 - 3:30 Jacob's Table Runner	13 1 - 5:30 Moon Dance	14 1 QUILT SITTERS
15	16 10 - 12 Kids Quilt Camp 1 - 5 Drunkard's Wave	17 10 - 12 Kids Quilt Camp 2 - 5 Emb Tile Design	18 10 - 12 Kids Quilt Camp 1:30 - 4:30 Beginning Quiltmaking 5:30 - 8 Beginning Smocking	19 10 - 12 Kids Quilt Camp 1:30 - 4:30 Creative Options III	20 10 - 12 Kids Quilt Camp 1:30 - 4:30 Sergers Guide	21 5 - 10 ANNUAL POTLUCK
22 1 - 6 ANNUAL POTLUCK	23 1 - 5 Drunkard's Wave	24 2 - 5 Emb Tile Design 6 - 9 Apron Apprentice	25 1:30 - 4:30 Beginning Quiltmaking 5:30 - 8 Beginning Smocking	26 10 - 1 830 Basic Operation I 2 - 5 830 Stitch Fun II 6 - 9 Beginning Sewing	27 10 - 3 Embroidery Basics & Beyond	28 1 - 5 Basic Operation I
29	30 1 - 5 Drunkard's Wave	31 2 - 5 Emb Tile Design				

AUGUST 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
			1 10 - 12 Quilted Placemats 1:30 - 4:30 Beginning Quiltmaking 5:30 - 8 Beginning Smocking	2 10 - 1 830 Creative Options II 2 - 5 Freedom of Free Motion	3 10 - 1 Smocked Construction	4 2 - 4 Block of the Month Club
5	6 5:30 - 8:30 Quilters Quick Course	7 1 - 5 Machine Embroidery Quilting	8 10 - 12 Quilted Placemats	9 2 - 5 Freedom of Free Motion 6 - 9 Beginning Sewing	10 10 - 1 Smocked Construction	11 10:30 Bernina Club 1 QUILT SITTERS
12	13 10 - 1 BSR Blitz 2 - 5 Binder Workshop 5:30 - 8:30 Quilters Quick Course	14 10:30 Software Club	15 10 - 12:30 Advanced Smocking 1:30 - 4:30 Finishing a Quilt	16 10 - 3 830 Embroidery Basics 6 - 9 Pillow Perfect	17 10 - 1 Smocked Construction	18 1 - 5 Stitch Fun II
19	20 5:30 - 8:30 Quilters Quick Course	21 10 - 1 Creative Options III 6 - 9 Tote Tutoring	22 10 - 12:30 Advanced Smocking 1:30 - 4:30 A+ Bindings	23 2 - 5 Freedom of Free Motion 6 - 9 KISS	24 1 - 5 Basic Operation	25
26	27 5:30 - 8:30 Quilters Quick Course	28 10 - 3 Embroidery Basics & Beyond	29 10 - 12:30 Advanced Smocking 2 - 5 Which Way Did He Go	30 6 - 8 Pillow Perfection	31 2 - 5 Color Magic	

SEPTEMBER 2012

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
						1 2 - 4 Block of the Month Club
2	3 Labor Day HOLIDAY	4	5 2 - 5 Which Way Did He Go	6 6 - 8 Pillow Perfection	7 10 - 12 Iron Caddy 2 - 5 Color Magic	8 10:30 Artista Club 1 QUILT SITTERS
9	10 10 - 1 Pot Pinchers	11 10:30 Software Club 1 - 5 No Fear Invisible Applique	12 10 - 12:30 Beginning Smocking 2 - 5 Which Way Did He Go	13 1 - 5 Basic Operation 6 - 9 ABC's of Baby Apparel	14 10 - 12 Iron Caddy 2 - 5 Color Magic	15 10 - 3 Embroidery Basics & Beyond
16 1:30 - 4:30 Beginning Quiltmaking	17	18 10 - 1 Serger Guide 6 - 9 Apron Apprentice	19 10 - 12:30 Beginning Smocking 1 - 5 Cool River	20 10 - 1 Applique in Hoop 2 - 5 Quilting in Hoop 6 - 9 ABCs of Baby Apparel	21 10 - 1 830 Basic Operation 2 - 5 830 Stitch Fun II	22
23 1:30 - 4:30 Beginning Quiltmaking <hr/> 30 1:30 - 4:30 Beginning Quiltmaking	24	25 10 - 1 Creative Options III	26 10 - 12:30 Beginning Smocking 1 - 5 Cool River	27 2 - 5 830 Creative Options 6 - 9 Beginning Sewing	28 1 - 5 Stitch Fun II	29 9:30 - 1 Heirloom Bonnet