October-December 2011

Sew What's New?

Calendar of Events:

Oct 1, Nov 5, Dec 3	BoM: Snowday Sewday 10:30 am—12:30 pm Snowday Autumn Wool 1:30 pm—3:30 pm
Oct 5, Nov 2, Dec 7	Art to Heart 10:00 am—4:30 pm
Oct 7, Nov 4, Dec 2	Power Serge 10:30 am—4:00 pm
Oct 8	8th Annual Fiber Arts Faire
Oct 8, Nov 12, Dec 10	BoM: Tonga Rhapsody 10:30 am—12:30 pm Little Red Barn Something Fishy 1:30 pm — 3:30 pm
Oct 14, Nov 11	Cotton Theory 10:30 am — 4:00 pm
Oct 15, Nov 19, Dec 17	BoM: Elenor Burns Block Party 10:30 am - 4:30 pm
Oct 19, Nov 16, Dec 21	Art Group 1:30 pm - 4:30 pm
Oct 28, Nov 8, 29, Dec 9, 20	UFO 11:00 am-4:00 pm
Oct. 20-22	Customer Appreciation Shop Hop
Oct 24, 31, Nov 7, 14	Kindergarten Quilting 1:00 pm—4:00 pm
Oct 27, Nov 10	Double Stitch Log Cabin 1:30 pm — 3:30 pm
Oct 29	Crazy Quilt 10:30 am — 4 pm
Nov 24	Thanksgiving Day Closed
Nov 26	Surface Design and Thread Painting 11:30 am — 3:30 pm
Dec 1	Aunt Philly's Toothbrush Rug 1:30 pm –4 :30 pm
Dec 24, 25	Merry Christmas! Closed

* Store Hours *

Monday—Friday: 10 am—6 pm

Saturday: 10 am-5 pm

Closed Sunday

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Stitch n' Snip

*** 2011 Block of the Month Program ***

At spring market we found several great block of the month. We will be starting some new block of the month in October, sign up and have a great time making a new quilt with friends or at home.

Remember that all Blocks of the Month can be mailed to your home.

Autumn — 1st Sat. of each month starting October 1 1:30 pm -3:30 pm

Use a simple whipstitch to appliqué hand-dyed felted wool in wonderful autumn colors on cotton backgrounds.

Pattern by: Heart to Hand

13 month program; finished size: 58" x 72"

Cost: \$20.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the wool, fabric and patterns for finishing the quilt top & binding).



Trunk Show

The Little Red Barn Quilt by The Quilt Company will be in our shop from

Nov. 21st to Dec 12th



Little Red Barn — 2nd Sat. of each month starting October 8

1:30 pm -3:30 pm

Four pieced barns each with their own personality. And there are farm friends as well! Roosters and appliquéd fuzzy sheep along with horses, hens and pigs! The easy, easy pieced Star Border completes this folk art look.

Pattern by: The Quilt Company

6 month program; finished size: 72" x 62"

Cost: \$25.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns, assembly kit for finishing the quilt top & binding).

***We are still waiting for the fabric, hopefully it will come in time or we will have to start in November! Please check with us before coming to class. ***

Something Fishy — 2nd Sat. of each month starting October 8

1:30 pm -3:30 pm

Cast your line! Reel in pike, bass, and perch. Turtles mosey among eel grasses and minnows. These appliqué techniques are perfect for quilters of all abilities. Don't let this be the one that got away.

Pattern by: McKenna Ryan

5 month program; finished size: 44"x 42"

Cost: "To be announced" per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns and embellishment kit for finishing the quilt top & binding).



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Classes

Class Registration:

Classroom space is limited, so please sign up early. A supply list will be available when you pay for the class and reserve your place. We reserve the right to cancel any class four days prior, if there isn't enough to fill the class. Class participants will receive a 15% discount off class supplies and purchases the day of class. (Block of the Month kits not included)

UFO Day — Our most popular class! Bring those unfinished projects and see how much you can accomplish while enjoying a beautiful

day in the mountains quilting with friends. Space is limited so sign up early. Cost: \$7.50 for lunch per class
Friday-October 28: 11 am—4 pm
Tuesday-November 8: 11 am—4 pm
Tuesday-November 29: 11 am—4 pm

Friday-December 9: 11 am—4 pm Tuesday-December 20: 11 am—4 pm

Power Serge — Bring your serger and your lunch & join Mary Kay for a day of serging. Share your tips and tricks, and learn from others.

Teacher: Mary Kay Jones Fridays: October 7, November 4, December 2: 10:30 am — 4:00 pm No Charge



A Year of Cotton Theory — Make this beautiful Bed Sized Mystery Quilt or project of your choice featuring the Cotton Theory construction method in which your quilt is completely quilted as you go. You'll work with small units and simple but elegant quilting. The seams add a decorative appeal unique to this type of quilting. 2nd Friday each month except Teacher: Mary Kay Jones, Certified Cotton Theory Instructor

December: October 14, November 11, 10:30 am-4:00 pm

Cost: One time fee of \$75.00 for the year, or \$25.00 per class (plus supplies). Additional supplies include the bed quilt pattern - \$60.00 — which must be pre ordered or one of the Cotton Theory books.

Art Quilt Support Group – Would you like to add some Art to your quilts but don't know how? Or, would you like to add some quilting to your Art? This is not a class in the traditional sense, but a gathering of quilt artists who will teach, learn, and inspire each other. Quilters and artists of all levels are welcome – No experience necessary. No class fee; some supplies will be required. Third Wednesday of each month: October 19, November 16, December 21: 1:30-4:30pm



Kindergarten Quilting — a beginning quilting class — Summer chores are finished and winter is on the horizon. How about a new activity to warm the cold months! You will learn all the basic skills needed to make a quilt. The class project will be a small simple table topper.

Teacher: Kathy Passie

Mondays: October 24, 31, November 7, 14: 1:00 pm—4:00 pm Cost: \$50.00 (plus supplies)

Double Stitch Log Cabin These delightful log cabin blocks are all done by hand using a technique called "Double Stitch", no sewing machine needed. You can use leftover scrap for this wallhanging and it makes a great takealong project.

Teacher Rena Hastings

Thursdays: October 27, November 10: 1:30 pm—3:30 pm Cost: \$20.00 (plus supplies)



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Crazy Quilt — Learn a simple way to make a fun, easy, crazy quilt wall hanging or table topper using a new and modern technique. Use common utility stitches on your machine with surprising results or show off those decorative stitches

Teacher: Kathy Passie

Saturday October 29: 10:30 am-4:00 pm Cost: \$30 (plus supplies)

Surface Design & Thread Painting — Create your own block or art quilt using color crayons, then enhance and embellish with simple free motion machine stitching. It's fun and creative.

Teacher: Kathy Passie

Saturday November 26: 11:30 am—3:30 pm Cost: \$30 (plus supplies)



Aunt Philly's Toothbrush Rug — The "Toothbrush Rug" is made from torn strips of fabric and a modified toothbrush. These rugs are quick to make and require no sewing and have a fast tearing technique. Choose from rectangle or oval.

Teacher Rena Hastings

Thursday: December 1: 1:30 pm—4:30 pm Cost: \$20.00 (plus supplies)



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More Block of the Month..... Starting in 2012

***Call or stop in to sign up so we can get your kits ready!

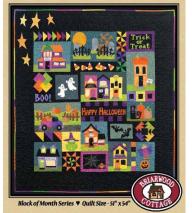
Merry Christmas— 1st Sat. of each month starting January 7, 2012 10:30 am -12:30 pm

Snowmen and angels and Santa, oh my! Use a simple whipstitch to appliqué hand-dyed felted wool on cotton background to create this whimsical Christmas treasure.

Pattern by: Heart to Hand

13 month program; finished size: 58" x 72"

Cost: \$20.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the wool, fabric and patterns for finishing the quilt top & binding).



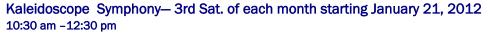
Booville!— 2nd Sat. of each month starting January 14, 2012 10:30 am –12:30 pm

Join witches, ghosts and a friendly jack-o-lantern on a visit to the graveyard just in time for Halloween. Featuring machine appliqué, basic embroidery and pieced blocks.

Pattern by: Heart to Hand

10 month program; finished size: 51"x54"

Cost: \$12.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric and pattern for finishing the quilt top & binding).



Brighten any room with this wonderful sampler quilt featuring a variety of kaleidoscope blocks. Available in two color ways: lovely florals found in the Garden of Enchantment collection from Maywood Studios



Or bright yellows and blues from Moda's New Summer Breeze II collection.

Book by: Quilt Moments

11 month program; finished size: 83"x104"

Cost: \$18.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric and book for finishing the quilt top & binding).



Bella Verona— 3rd Sat. of each month starting January 21, 2012 1:30 pm –3:30 pm

The Bella Verona 2012 Block of the Month features an Italian inspired textural palette designed by Wing and a Prayer Design. This queen size quilt uses basic tools and piecing methods. Varying block sizes ranging from 4" to 10" combine to create a beautiful quilt resembling Italian tile work.

Pattern by: Wing & a Prayer

12 month program; finished size: Queen

Cost: \$20.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric and pattern for finishing the quilt top & binding).



******Sit & Knit"-New Time, New Day—Catch-up with old friends and meet new ones over your latest knitting project. This popular get together is moving to Wednesday's—4pm—6pm so we can all get home a little earlier on those dark winter nights.. (No charge)****

Blocks of the Month

Are you admiring those wonderful Block of the Month quilts your friends have been working on all year. Here's your chance to join in the fun. These quilts are still available in limited quantities as Blocks of the Month and/or whole quilt kits. See store for availability.



Chanticleer and Company - Roosters, hens, baby chicks and a worm are charming everyone. The designs are great for all sorts of home decor, too.

Pattern by: With Needle and Thread

12 month program; Finished Size: 72" x 96"

Cost for BOM: \$15.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns, & accessories for finishing the quilt

top & binding). Full Kits: \$179.99

Snow Friends - Snow men, snow women, and a snow baby combine with silk ribbon embroidered snowflakes on a background of numerous navy prints. Enjoy!

Pattern by: With Needle and Thread

12 month program; Finished Size: 84" x 90"

Cost for BOM: \$16.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns, & accessory for finishing

the quilt top & binding). Kit does not include silk ribbon for snowflakes

Full Kits: \$192.99



Back to Nature — Monthly enjoy the beauties of nature creating this wonderful queen size quilt. Flying geese, log cabin and zigzag geese picture frame the block, finishing the quilt with a beautiful border print. Back to Nature comes in two color ways. Pattern by: Wing & a Prayer Design, LLC

11 month program; Finished Size 96" x 106"

Cost for BOM: \$22.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns for finishing the quilt top, backing & binding-this program also includes the backing but only in the block of the month not in full kit).

Full Kits: \$179.99



Piece, Love, & Appliqué — A variety of pieced blocks and whimsical appliqué unite to create this fabulous quilt.

Pattern by: Lizzie B Cre8ive

12 month program; finished size: 62" x 82"

Cost for BOM: \$12.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns, & accessories for finishing the quilt top & binding).

Full Kits: \$143.99



All Cooped Up — Choose roosters with personality or cute baby chicks with flowers for the center of this pieced and appliquéd wall quilt from popular designer McKenna Ryan. Pattern by: Pine Needles Designs 8 month program; finished size: 53 "x 57 1/2"

Cost for BOM: \$16.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric and patterns for finishing the quilt top & binding).

Finishing Quilt Kit: \$62.99

Rooster/Chicken Kits for center: \$16.99 each (you need four for the center of the quilt) or you can just make the rooster/chicken kits and turn them into pictures.

Little Escapes - This is a wonderful take along project, easy and fun with stitchery and beading. Pattern by: Quilted Escapes

9 month program; Finished Size: 40" x 40"

Cost for BOM:\$9.00 per month for kit (kit price includes the fabric, patterns, & accessories for finishing the quilt top & binding).

Full Kit: \$59.99







Anniversary Sale

Come join us in celebrating our 7th Anniversary

30% off All Fabric, Books, Patterns, Notions, Yarn

(Stock on hand no special orders)

Sample Quilts- 25% off marked price

Remember our

Clearance Fabric - 50% off reg. price

And Selected Kits- 40% off reg. price

(excludes all kits, class fees & gift cards—punch cards are not punched on sale items)

Starting Monday Oct. 3 — Sat. Oct. 8: 10 am—6 pm

Special Holiday Hours:

Wednesday, November 23 - Early Close — hours 10am—2pm

Thursday, November 24 - Happy Thanksgiving — CLOSED

Saturday, December 24 - Christmas Eve—CLOSED

Saturday, December 31—Early Close —hours 10am—2pm

Other news

8th Annual Fiber Arts Faire —Fiber Arts Through the Ages

Fiber artists from Garden Valley and beyond will gather at the Garden Valley School on **Saturday, October 8th, 2011 from 9:00-5:00** in the multi-purpose room. Vendors will offer items to sell — great for early holiday shopping. Come enjoy displays of small art quilts and antique sewing items. Bring the family and learn a little about what fiber artists do and how they have done it over the years. Hands-on participation such as hand quilting on a large quilting frame will be available, so come prepared to spend some time trying out the various fiber arts.

Everyone is welcome and it's free. Moms especially — bring your daughters and other family members along and learn some new things or just enjoy all the antiques and new ideas that you are bound to see there.