# Rae-Bon Sew & Quilt Shop **SPOOLS OF NEWS** March 2020 for the sewist in the know

# NATIONAL QUILTING MONTH

It's National Quilting Month and we've got a month of activities to celebrate!

Do you know how to choose the right batting for your project? Join us this month for **Batting Basics** to learn about the different types of battings and how to choose. We'll also have samples so you can see how different types of battings will feel in a quilt.

Joan Friedrich, Baby Lock National Education Specialist will be here for **Quilting with Pizzazz** to help us bring our quilting to the next level. You'll make seven projects in three days while having a great time sewing with friends. Joan needs time to put together all the kits so you are running out of time to sign up for this one. You can get all the details on page 8.

Is learning to quilt on your to do list? Do your quilting skills need refreshing? This is the month to join us for **Beginning Quilting** as the whole class has gotten a revamp! We've got a new project and a whole new class structure. You'll learn how to accurately cut your fabric, match your points, add

borders, and so much more.

**Tula Pink's** new fabric line, **Homemade**, arrives this month You don't want to miss this gorgeous fabric featuring the tools we use everyday: scissors, cutting



**Store Hours:** Monday-Friday: 10am-5:30 pm ● Saturday: 10am-4pm ● Sunday: Closed 3060 25th St SW Fargo, ND ● 701-433-7203 ● www.rae-bon.com ● reddoor@rae-bon.com

mats, pins, sewing machines, and more. The line features three colorways: morning, noon, and night. Tula Pink also has coordinating tools like scissors, tweezers, and rotary cutters in an iridescent purple. You'll want to stop in the shop around mid March to see the full line of fabric and tools.





# FABRIC ARRIVING in March





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		Snuggle Pillow I - 4 pm or 6 - 9 pm	Beginning Quilting Session I I - 4 pm	Sewcial Hour 10 am - 5 pm	Batting Basics I pm	Beginning Quilting Session 2 10 am - 4 pm
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
	Cedar Mills Block of the Month Demo I pm or 6 pm	Embossed Leather Notebook I - 4 pm or 6 - 9 pm	Beginning Quilting Session 2 I - 4 pm or 6 - 9 pm	Westalee Ruler I pm or 6 pm	KimberBell Embroidery Club Noon - 9 pm	Youth Sewing: Candy Pouch Ages 8-15 I - 4 pm
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
	Batting Basics I pm or 6 pm	Demo & Dessert I pm or 6 pm	Beginning Quilting Session 3 I - 4 pm	Quilting with Pizzazz 9 am - 5 pm Country Inn &	Quilting with Pizzazz 9 am - 5 pm Country Inn &	Quilting with Pizzazz 9 am - 5 pm Country Inn &
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	HoopSisters Retreat: In the Kitchen Noon - 9 pm	Beginning Sewing: Drawstring Bag I -4 pm or 6 – 9 pm	Beginning Quilting Session 4 I - 4 pm or 6 - 9 pm	Sewcial Hour 10 am - 5 pm	<b>King's Dash Quilt</b> Noon - 5 pm	Youth Sewing: Throw Quilt I - 4 pm
29	30	31				
	Pass the Hot Dish I - 4 pm or 6 - 9 pm	Sewcial Hour 10 am - 5 pm				

#### **CLASS POLICIES**

Call or stop in to sign up and pay for the class of your choice. Class fee is due when you register. Phone registrations (701-433-7203) accepted only with a credit card payment.

The class supply list will be available when you register and pay for the class. Supplies are not included in the class fee unless otherwise specified. Please have supplies purchased before class. Kits required are available at the store. No photocopied or sharing of patterns or books will be allowed in classes.

We consider your enrollment to be a commitment by you to take the class and we in turn make a commitment to the instructor. No cancellations are allowed on classes. Thank you for not asking us to make exceptions.

Your sewing machine or serger must be in top working condition before you arrive at class. Students whose equipment is not working properly disturb and slow down the class. We service all brands of machines and sergers so come see us prior to the start of the class.

# CLASSES

#### BEGINNING QUILTING

Wednesday, March 4, 11, 18, & 25: 1:00-4:00 pm or 6:00-9:00 pm

Do you want to learn to quilt or improve your skills? This is the class for you; no experience needed. At the end of the 4 sessions, you will have learned the basic skills of quilt making: fabric selection, rotary cutting, accurate piecing, setting



triangles, adding borders, quilting, and binding. In the first class, we'll be discussing tools and selecting fabrics. A 20% discount will be given on supplies purchased during the first class. We want to make sure your quilt is completed at the end of the four sessions, so there will be homework each week. Bring your own machine. Class fee is \$75 plus supplies and book.

#### BEGINNING SEWING: LINED DRAWSTRING BAG

Tuesday, March 24: 1:00-4:00 pm or 6:00-9:00 pm

If you have little to no sewing experience, this class is for you! While making this bag, you'll learn rotary cutting skills, boxing corners, and how to insert a drawstring. This is the second project of 12 from the book, *School of Sewing*. We'll be



working through all of the projects in the coming months. The book is a great reference guide as you learn the basics to sewing and purchase is required for class. The class fee is \$30 and includes all fabric and supplies needed (with the exception of the book). You'll have 10 minutes at the beginning of class to select your fabrics, so feel free to arrive early if you want more time to select your three fabrics. Bring your own sewing machine or borrow one of ours. Class is open to those 16 and older.

#### **CEDAR MILLS**

Monday, March 9: 1:00 pm or 6:00 pm

Would you like to improve your accuracy as you stitch up the Cedar Mills Block of the Month? Each month we will demonstrate the technique and rulers used for the monthly block. We'll also provide modified fabric cutting instructions if you'd like to use the featured ruler.



In March, we'll be demoing a quick way to make four flying geese using the Wing Clipper tool.

#### **DEMO & DESSERT**

Tuesday, March 17: 1:00 pm or 6:00 pm

We'll provide a tasty dessert while you learn about new products, machines, or fabrics that have arrived in the past month. Receive a 10% discount on any new items highlighted that day.



#### EMBOSSED JOURNAL COVER

Tuesday, March 10: 1:00-4:00 pm or 6:00-9:00 pm

Take a piece of ordinary vinyl and transform it into an embossed leather look! Learn tips and technique for using difficult fabrics. Leave with a high end looking journal cover that you have created. Class fee is \$50 and includes all supplies and the embroidery design for use in class. If you would like to make additional embossed journals, the



embroidery CD can be purchased (contains this design as well as others). Bring your embroidery machine and  $6'' \times 10''$  hoop.

#### HOOPSISTERS BLOCK OF THE MONTH: MOROCCAN SUNSET

Due to Quilting with Pizzazz, the sewing day will return in April.

Since we are not able to have a sewing day this month, bring in your finished blocks March 23-25 to receive a prize.



#### HOOPSISTERS RETREAT: IN THE KITCHEN

Monday, March 23: Classroom open from Noon - 9:00 pm

Join us to stitch In the Kitchen: Apron, Pot Holder Pinchers, & Fridge Magnets. The classroom will be open from Noon-9:00 pm to stitch up the projects with friends. Kits are available upon request. Retreat fee is \$39.



#### KIMBERBELL EMBROIDERY CLUB

Friday, March 13: Classroom Open from Noon - 9:00 pm

Make a new project each month of 2020 with KimberBell. Club members can bring in



their embroidery machines and stitch with us on the 2nd Friday of each month. The classroom will be open from Noon - 9 pm. Cost for all 14 projects is \$60. Bring your jump drive in each month to receive the design. You will also need to bring a 5x7 hoop, no show mesh stabilizer, and thread to match the leather. You will also need ribbon to coordinate with leather.

Club members receive 20% off all embroidery CDs and 10% off all stabilizers on the 2nd Friday of each month.

In March, we'll be stitching with Embroidery Leather. The quilted leather projects are chic and shiny, with hearts,

loops, and crosshatch motifs on beautiful Embroidery Leather. Slip your home address behind the clear vinyl window of the luggage tag, tie to you suitcase and bags with coordinating ribbon, and travel in style! The Tissue Holder is nothing to sneeze at, perfectly sized for a travelsized pack of disposable tissues. Order your tube of leather today to ensure we have your color in stock!

#### KING'S DASH QUILT

Friday, March 27: Noon - 5 pm

A royal refresh on the traditional Churn Dash quilt block turns ordinary triangles and rectangles into an entrancing optical illusion. Class fee is \$20. Kit purchase required for class. Bring your sewing machine or borrow one of ours.

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#### PASS THE HOT DISH

Monday, March 30: 1:00 - 4:00 pm or 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Is your baking dish to hot to pass around the table? Problem solved with these quilted baskets. The pattern has two sizes for 9x13 and 9x9 pans. It even folds flat for easy storage. Class fee is



\$20. You will also need to purchase supplies and the pattern. Bring your sewing or borrow one of ours.

#### **SNUGGLE UP PILLOW**

Tuesday, March 3: 1:00 - 4:00 pm or 6:00 -9:00 pm

These snuggly pillows are perfect for lounging. Make them scrappy from your stash or color

coordinated from pre-cut



strips. Use a standard bed pillow in these simple to sew and quilt patchwork pillows. Class fee is \$20. You will also need to purchase supplies and the pattern. Kits available. Bring your sewing machine or borrow one of ours. Class is free for those in the Sew Creative Club.

#### WESTALEE RULER: SPIN-E-FEX 13 ON FLYING GEESE

Thursday, March 12: 1:00 - 4:00 pm or 6:00 - 9:00 pm

Get inspired to finish all your quilt tops at home with the Westalee Design Quilting Template Club. Each month we'll teach you how to use a different quilting template with the Westalee Ruler Foot.

During each class session, we'll demo how to use the template. You'll bring in your sewing machine for an opportunity for hands on practice with our instructors guidance. Then you'll go home with the month's template, printed instructions, access to instructional video by Westalee Design, and the pattern for piecing that month's quilt block. You'll also receive three additional quilting designs that would look great on that month's quilt block. A full year membership is \$450 or a quarterly membership is \$150. Sign up is required by February 29.

To each class you will need to bring your sewing machine, extension table, Westalee ruler foot, two 8" square quilting sandwiches, Aurifil or Mettler thread, and a Frixion pen.



Does the batting section leave you confused? Do you know when to select a cotton versus polyester batting? Or when to use wool, bamboo, or silk? During this lecture class we'll cover characteristics of different types of batting and how to choose the right batting for your project. Samples will be available so you can see how different types of battings feel in a quilt. The registration fee is \$5 and all attendees will receive a \$10 coupon for batting.

> Friday, March 6 at 1 pm Monday, March 16 at 1 pm Monday, March 16 at 6 pm

#### YOUTH SEWING: CANDY POUCHES (AGES 8-15)

Saturday, March 14: 1:00-4:00 pm

If you missed the zipper installation in the fall, never fear! In this class, we will be making a candy bag zipper pouch, which is all the rage! You can keep pencils, pens, or use it as a wallet. Come and see



how everyday packaging can be reused to create something brand new, practical, and cute! Class is limited to the first 6 students. Class fee of \$25 includes all project supplies and use of a Baby Lock machine. While not required, parents or grandparents are welcome to come assist their young sewer.

#### **New Owners Class**

Explore the features and stitches of your new sewing machine. You will stitch samples, learn the functions of your machine, and basic cleaning. Open to Baby Lock, Pfaff, and Viking owners. No charge for machines purchased at Rae-Bon; \$50.00 for others. Bring your machine, accessory feet, foot control, power cord, spool of thread, and bobbin.

A new owners class is also available to learn the basics of machine embroidery. No charge for machines purchased at Rae-Bon; \$150 for others. New Owners Classes are by appointment. Please call the shop at 433-7203 to register.

#### SEWCIAL HOUR

Never enough time to get everything done? Join us to sew with friends (or make some new ones). The classroom is open for you to work on any unfinished projects (or start a new one).



Bring your machine and project to work on. Advance registration is required to reserve your spot.

Thursday, March 5: 10 am-5 pm Thursday, March 26: 10 am-5 pm Tuesday, March 31: 10 am-5 pm



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Full year membership (\$450) Includes:

- 13 Traditional Block Patterns
- 50+ Quilting Designs (4 per block)
- 13 Westalee Design Templates (available in Low shank, High shank or Long Arm Thicknesses)
- 13 Instructional Videos
- Notebook with Design Tools & Patterns
- Crosshair ruler
- Stitching line discs

Quarterly membership also available (includes 3 templates, patterns, and videos). Each quarter is \$150. You will also need a Westalee Ruler Foot for your sewing machine and an extension table.

The club will meet the second Thursday of each month from I-4 pm or 6-9 pm.

- Thursday, March 12: Spin-e-fex 13 on Flying Geese
- Thursday, April 9: Flying Bell Curve on a Log Cabin Block
- Thursday, May 14: Artisan Marquis Curve 85 on a Dresden Block

To each class you will need to bring your sewing machine, extension table, Westalee ruler foot, two 8" square quilting sandwiches, Aurifil or Mettler thread, and a Frixion pen.





# PIECED BLOCK OF THE MONTH **CEDAR MILLS**

Cedar Mills is a dazzling quilt featuring Speckled from Ruby They take the accuracy of your piecing to the next level. Star Society. This fabric has hints of metallic giving it the appearance of paint splatter. You have an option of a dark background or a light background (both grunge).

You also have two different layout options: one more modern and one more traditional. The blocks in both quilts are set on point.

Each month you'll receive one block pattern and the fabric needed to complete that block. Each month we will demo an optional Studio 180 ruler that will assist you in piecing the blocks. The Studio 180 tools have instructions to piece oversized blocks and then trim to the exact dimensions.

There's Still

Time to Join

In January 2021, you'll receive the finishing instructions as well as the remaining fabric for the top and binding.

> Starts in February 12 month program \$15 per month

Pattern and fabric for top and binding are included with the monthly fee.

> Option I: 62" x 79" Option 2: 68" x 90"

# Join Rae-Bon Sew & Quilt Shop for QUILTING WITH PIZZAZZ!

Featuring Joan Friedrich, Baby Lock National Education Specialist

March 19-21 9 am - 5 pm Country Inn & Suites \$349 Includes Lunch each Day and Fabric Kit Just Bring Thread! We'll use a multitude of different functions on the sewing & embroidery machines to create seven fun projects. You'll learn some great techniques like:

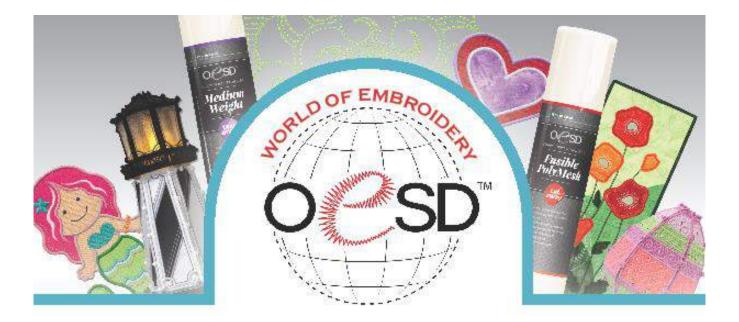
- In the Hoop Quilting
- Super Easy Drunkards Path (no pinning!)
- Appliquéing with Ease
- Plus SEVV MUCH MORE

Projects include:

- In the Hoop Purse
- Scallop Table Runner
- Dollie Placemat
- Tablet Keeper
- Drunkards Path Wall Hanging
- Applique Skinny Runner
- Cork Change Purse.

Everyone will go home with a USB stick with design files and video tutorials. If you do not own a Baby Lock embroidery machine, we'll provide a machine for you. Free machine cleaning provided for those who bring their own machine.

# Make 7 Projects in 3 Days



#### A WHOLE WORLD AWAITS

Learn essential embroidery techniques, including how to choose the right stabilizer, hooping placement and more from an embroidery expert. You will also learn how to create exciting project techniques like freestanding lace, tiling scenes, appliqué, quilting, and in the hoop projects. You'll be inspired by the beautiful embroidery samples and projects, and you'll learn tips to make your embroidery stress-free and fun! This seminar is perfect for embroiderers of all skill levels and embroidery machine types.

#### WHAT'S INCLUDED?

- Learn new embroidery tips and techniques.
- Informative stabilizer education learn which stabilizer to use for any project or fabric.
- · Behind the scenes look into the OESD embroidery design process.
- Trunk show of beautiful embroidery projects.
- Door prizes and giveaways.
- Goody bag valued at over \$200 with fun sewing & embroidery items.
- Exciting design and project offerings available ONLY to World of Embroidery attendees.

#### Friday, April 17

Country Inn & Suites

\$99 registration fee includes lunch and a Goody Bag valued at over \$200

#### Save by signing up for both OESD Events:

Only \$299 when you sign up for Welcome Home with Baby Lock and World of Embroidery

# A TWO DAY MACHINE EMBROIDERY EVENT



# MAKE 6 BEAUTIFUL PROJECTS

Welcome Home with Baby Lock is a fun, hands-on event for embroidery enthusiasts of all Skill Levels! Welcome Home is a Baby Lock exclusive event that utilizes top-of-the-line machine features and cutting edge techniques.

BONUS - EVENT ONLY DESIGNS



Saturday, April 18 & Sunday, April 19

Country Inn & Suites

\$249 registration fee includes all supplies (fabric, stabilizer, thread, and embroidery designs),

use of a Baby Lock Embroidery Machine, and lunch on both days.

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## HOOPSISTERS'S RETREATS

HoopSisters has designed a ton of new fun projects for 2020. Each month we'll have a new set of three projects based on a theme like Game Room, Tis the Season, Kids Play Room, In the Kitchen, and more! You can sign up for only the months you are interested in, sign up a quarter at a time, or sign up for the full year.

Bring your embroidery machine and sew with us!

# 12 MONTHS OF PROJECTS

Optional Shop Sewing Day: 4th Monday of the Month Classroom is open from Noon - 9 pm

Monthly Retreat: \$39

Per Quarter: **\$99** Each retreat is only **\$33**.

All 12 Retreats (full year): \$299 Each retreat is only \$25!

# Sembusy Box

#### MONTHLY SEWING SUBSCRIPTION BO>

All the supplies you need to make a complete sewing project delivered to your door each month.

\$45 per month +\$5 Shipping or free in shop pick up





### WHY SUBSCRIBE TO SEWBUSY BOX?

- A fun new project delivered to your door each month will all the supplies included. No need to hunt through your stash or run out to the store for one more item.
- Enjoy the surprise of a new project each month. Projects could be a wall hanging, purse/bag, home décor item, table runner, etc.
- Learn new techniques and test out new products.

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Calling on quilters to create a project using Grunge fabrics and submit entries to their local fabric shop for display and voting. Each shop will submit their most Grunge-tastic quilt

to Moda for judging and you could win a prize!

Quilts must be turned into Rae-Bon by August 29.

Customers will vote on their favorite and the quilt selected will be submitted to Moda PRIZE AWARDS

First Place \$2,000

Second Place \$1,000

Third Place \$750

All three winning quilts will be displayed in the Moda booth at Fall Quilt Market 2020!

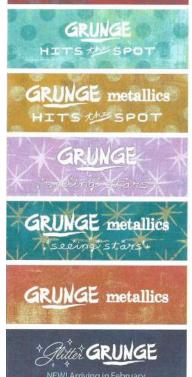
#### RULES

- Quilt top and backing must contain only Moda Grunge brand fabrics— Grunge, Grunge Metallics, Grunge Seeing Stars, and Grunge Hits the Spot.
- Any type of piecing, quilting, embroidery, thread art, etc. can be used. Original work only, no quilts from patterns will be accepted.
- 3. The total perimeter of the quilt should measure 240" total or less.

 Quilts must be fully completed, quilted, and bound. No quilt tops will be accepted.

- 5. Quilts must be labeled with Maker's and Quilter's name, city, and contact information.
- 6. There is no limit to the number of entries per individual.

# GRUNGE









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# **ARIA SEWING AND QUILTING MACHINE**

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