November and December 2026 Newsletter

Quilt Works Olé
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Shop Hours:
Monday-Saturday: 9:00-5:00
(Closed Wednesday)
Sunday: 12:00-4:00

New Mexico's Only
Judy Niemeyer Certified Shop

Important Dates:

- Thursday, November 26: Thanksgiving (Shop will be closed)
- Friday and Saturday, November 27-28: Small Business Saturday Sale
- Thursday, December 24: Christmas Eve (Shop closes at 1:00)
- Friday, December 25: Christmas (Shop will be closed)
- Thursday, December 31: New Year's Eve (Shop closes at 1:00)
- Friday, January 1: New Year's Day (Shop will be closed)

Certified Shop: Quilt Works Olé is a Judy Niemeyer Certified shop. In addition to offering patterns, replacement papers, and kits, we are also authorized to teach the Quiltworx.com, Judy Niemeyer Quilting patterns. We have 2 Certified Instructors on staff who are authorized to teach Quiltworx.com patterns.

Online Shopping: Most items offered in store at Quilt Works Olé are available online. Shoppers may pick up purchases in store, have their items mailed, or choose curbside service. Additionally, services such as class registration and gift cards are available online at quiltworksabq.com

Seasonal Schedule: In an effort to better serve our quilting community, starting April 1, 2026 Quilt Works Ole will be closed to the public on Wednesdays.

Sewing Days

Friday Free Sew: Join us on select Fridays each month for a free sew day! Bring your machine, tools, and projects to socially sew. No need to sign up at this time, just show up and have some fun. Refer to our calendar on the following pages for dates.

Albuquerque Modern Quilt Guild: Regular meetings of the AMQG are scheduled on the first Tuesday of each month, from 6:00 pm – 9:00 pm. For more information go to: www.amqg.wildapricot.org.

Cover Girls Sew For Project Linus: 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm on the third Monday of each month. In part, the mission of Project Linus is to provide a sense of security, warmth and comfort to children who are seriously ill, traumatized or otherwise in need, through gifts of new handmade blankets and afghans lovingly created by volunteer "blanketeers". The Cover Girls make fleece isolette covers for the University of New Mexico Neonatal Intensive Care Unit and accept donations of cotton fabrics, yarn and completed quilts. For more information, contact Judy Miller at: jem1255@yahoo.com.

Quilts of Valor Sew Day: Our mission is to thank service members for Service, sacrifice, and valor in serving our nation. We meet at 9:00 am – 2:00 pm on the first and third Thursday of each month. Pat Forshaw, the local Group Leader for the Quilts of Valor Foundation, is our leader for these events. There is no fee and no advanced sign up is necessary. New participants are encouraged to join us. For more information contact Pat at: plfnm@aol.com

Day at the Office: This is an open sewing event held on Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday of the second and fourth weeks of each month from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm. Participants are welcome to bring any project to work on. The cost is $10.00 per session which may be paid on the day of the event or purchased in a 6- or 12-block unit. For more information, contact Paulette Taylor at: itsmeloggingon@gmail.com.

Basic Skills Classes:

Homebody Pillow: Beginner Rotary & Patchwork with Debbie Williams: Student will learn to use a Rotary cutter, quilting rulers, and sew with ¼" seams to create a simple patchwork pillow top, they will prepare a "quilt sandwich," quilt their patchwork piece, finishing with binding to make a simple envelope pillow backing.
6 hrs: $90.00.

Saturday, November 21	12:00 am - 3:300 pm
Saturday, December 12	1:00 am - 4:30 pm

Weekend Rag Quilt with Debbie Williams: The Weekend Rag Quilt is super-cute, comfy and great for gifting. And it's so quick and easy that you can make it in a weekend! Great for beginners or anyone looking for a quick finish with a big impact.
2 ½ hrs: $36.50

Saturday, November 14	1:00 am - 3:30 pm

Returning Favorites Classes:

Hand Appliqué-Tion with Kathi Dineen: We continue to explore the richness and depth of hand appliqué techniques, materials, notions, and designs in quilting. Almost nothing is out of bounds: fabrics such as linens and wool, threads that are variegated in color and heavier than usual, reverse as well as "ordinary" appliqué, and "sew" on. We shall have something different each month as we explore the edges of our comfort zones. This group is not recommended for people new to hand appliqué.
2 hrs: $30.00.

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Important Information

Military Discount: To express our appreciation to those who have served or are serving our country in the US armed forces (including the National Guard and the reserves), we offer a 10% discount to the member and his/her dependents on all full-price merchandise.

Birthday Discounts: Be sure to shop on your birthday! You will receive a 25% discount on all full price merchandise purchased on that day. This also includes on-line shopping. (Special arrangements will be made if your birthday falls on a day when the shop is closed.)

Student Discount Coupon: As an additional incentive to take classes at *The Quilt Works Olé*, we offer Student Discount Coupons. This Coupon entitles you to a one-time 20% discount on full-priced merchandise and is valid for 30 days. You will receive this Coupon at the first class meeting. (*Basic Rotary Skills* and visiting instructor classes are excluded.)

Senior Discount Day: Every Tuesday is "Senior Discount Day". Your senior discount (for those 60 and older) is 10%.

"We've Got Your Back" Discount: Bring in and show us your finished quilt top, and we will give you a 20% discount on the cost of full-priced fabric for your quilt back.

End of Bolt Discount: If you take all of the full priced fabric that remains on a bolt, regardless of the amount, your discount is 10%.

Fat Quarter/Fat Eighths Purchase: When you purchase 10 Fat Quarters or 10 Fat Eighths in a single purchase, you receive an 11th at no additional cost. This reward does not apply to custom cuts.

Class Policies: Payment in full is required to reserve a seat in the class. You may register in person or by phone or on-line using a credit card. If you need to cancel a class, we would appreciate it if you could notify us in advance.

Please come to class fully prepared and ready to sew! In preparation for a class, go to the **Classes** page on our website, choose the page that describes the class for which you have signed up, and scroll down to find the class requirements. You are expected to bring the required fabric, equipment, notions, patterns and/or books to the class.

If you miss a class, a make-up session may be available for $20/hour. Private lessons are $25/hr. Sewing machines may be rented for Classes and Sew-Ins for $10/day.

Gift Cards: They are great presents and can be purchased at the front desk or on-line. For cards purchased at the shop, you may choose any value for the card. Gift Cards purchased on-line are available in values of five only: $25, $50, $75, $100, and $150.