

# News & Happenings ~ Fall 2022

**HOURS:** Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday 10:00 am-5:00 pm | Thursday 10:00 am-6:00 pm | Saturday 9:00 am-3:00 pm

#### Dear Quilters:

It's been an awesome summer at The White Daisy Quilt Shop!!!

We've had the chance to meet some amazing people, help put together really great fabric choices for customers' projects that I'm really looking forward to seeing complete and spent a bunch of time making shop samples for our new kits.

Cynthia did a great job covering the shop while I was on my bus tour in Alaska and I can't thank her enough!! I wouldn't be able to do my tours without her help and I want to put it out there for all to know. Thank you Cis.

We had a fabulous time in Alaska seeing amazing scenery and visiting six shops. Our group was a mix of quilters and non-quilters but everyone enjoyed their trip and we found some really great fabrics and kits in the shops. There will be more later in this newsletter about our upcoming trips hosted by Cotton Road Tours, LLC. If you ever have questions, don't hesitate to give me a call. We've been traveling for 19 years now and we have some very "interesting" adventures – and stories to tell  $\mathfrak{G}$ .

The shop is gearing up for a great fall season and we have some new kits available for your home decorating - stop in and check them out.

We will be starting our class schedule in November and we have a list of classes and dates included in this edition. If you have ideas for a class, let me know.

# The shop will go back to regular hours starting Tuesday, September 6.

So until we see you in the shop again, safe travels, be well, enjoy your projects and always remember, "it's not a contest, just enjoy the journey."

Karl & Cheryl Eggert



#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Annual Fall Retreat

**Dates:** Nov 6-9 Session A

Nov 10-13 Sesssion B Price \$325 (p/session)

We are hosting our second annual fall retreat at the Alpaca Fun Retreat Center. The retreat will begin on Sunday/Thursday 3pm and run until Wednesday/Sunday at noon. Each session will include 3 nights lodging and 8 meals. Bring your projects and we'll all work on "finishing" something! I'll introduce a couple of quick & easy last minute holiday gift ideas which are totally optional. Any questions and for registration, contact the shop.

# 2022/2023 Fall/Winter Classes

#### Anything Goes Bag

December 8 & 15

10a -3p Fee: \$30

Hosted by: Cheryl Eggert



Join us to make this great bag that is big enough to carry all your "needed" items. Take that jelly roll you've been admiring and wanting to do something with and we'll help you turn it into a great accessory .

Pattern purchase required, \$9.50. Please contact the shop to sign up – seats will be limited to 5.

### Free Motion Quilting - Seats fill quickly!!

Session A: Oct 18, 25 Session B: Jan 17, 24 Session C: Feb 28. Mar 7

9:30a - 12:30p Fee: \$125

Instructor: Eric Drexler

Learn free motion quilting on your domestic machine! Eric Drexler is a well-known instructor with a national thread company, hosting online tutorials and many regional/local in-person classes in the art of free motion quilting. This class will be limited to 6 students so there will be extensive one-on-one instruction and plenty of opportunity to ask questions and practice. I've seen the sampler that will be made and it is a great piece when completed – I know you'll enjoy it.

Further information and supply list will be available upon registration.



#### 3-D Leaves

January 10<sup>th</sup> 9:00am – 1:00pm

Fee: \$55

Instructor: Eric Drexler

Eric is going to show you the intricate details on how each leaf is done. You'll have fun making 3 different types of leaves. Fabric leaves look alive; lacy thread leaves look like leaf skeletons; and magical free-motion, thread-painted leaves. He will also show you an innovative way to do a perfect, multiple, straight-stitch leaves for quilting the background material. Once you see how easy it is to create, you will be adding leaves to everything, like quilts, clothes, and purses. This and lots more about stabilizers, thread, and needles, while you sew.

Further information and supply list will be available upon registration.

#### Beginning Quilting

Session A: Nov 15, 22, 29, Dec 6, 13 Session B: Feb 22, Mar 1, 8, 15, 22

9:30am - 11:30am

Fee: \$55

Hosted by: Cheryl Eggert

Learn from beginning to end the techniques and skills needed to create your own quilt. We will work on all aspects of making a small lap quilt from picking fabrics, learning the tools "toys" of the trade, understanding your machine, block assembly and quilt finishing (top may not be finished in class).

A supply list will be provided upon registration, a book with patterns is required (\$27) for the class and will be available for purchase at the shop.

## Beginning Applique

Nov 15, 22, 29, Dec 6 1:00pm - 3:30pm

Fee: \$40

**Hosted by: Cheryl Eggert** 

Class is hands-on instruction in the art of hand applique (limit 4 students per session).

There will be  $3 - 1\frac{1}{2}$  hour sessions for 4 consecutive weeks.

Supply list will be provided upon registration.



#### Thread Sketching

Session A: Dec 7 Session B: Feb 7 9:00am - 1:00pm

Fee: \$55

Instructor: Eric Drexler



You will be amazed at the artwork created with a simple straight stitch. This is a great introduction to Free Motion. Learn how easy it is, using some of Eric's helpful tips and techniques. He will also bring show and tell of variations of this technique like, Redwork, Monogramming, stippling, and many other quilting goodies. Your only limitation will be your imagination. So drop those feed dogs and run free.

**Student Supply List**: Sharpie or Frixion Marker, Scissors, 12" X 18" White cotton material for the top and bottom. 12" X 18" low loft batting. White Daisy has both.

Glass of wine (optional).

#### Materials in Kit:

Sulky 30 wt Blendable and Solid color Cotton Threads

Sulky 50wt. Cotton bobbin thread Schmetz 80/14 Metallic needle

Stabilizers: Sulky Cut away Soft N Sheer Extra, and Sulky Sticky Back Fabri-Solvy

White material

**Batting** 

Kit Cost \$20

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#### T-shirt Quilt

Session A: Nov 17 Session B: Jan 19 9:00am – 3:00pm

Fee: \$55

**Hosted by: Cheryl Eggert** 

We will teach you how to turn your shirts/t-shirts into a memory for your loved ones. There are as many ways to put a memory guilt together as there are types of shirts but we'll show you the basics and get you started on creating a treasure.

Space will be limited to 5 per session, please contact the class to sign up and receive the supply list.



#### Kids Camp

Jan 3, 4, 5 10:00a – 12:00p Fee: \$30

Instructor: Cheryl Eggert



Join us during your holiday break from school to make this great little bag to carry your tablet or any important treasures. Selecting the fabric that best suits you will be part of the fun and you'll have a finished item when you're done. We will have 5 seats for this project so sign up early.

#### Monthly Minis Classes

1st Session: Oct 26, Nov 2, 9, 16, 30 Time A: 9a – 12p Time B: 1p – 4p 2nd Session: Jan 11, 18, 25, Feb 1, 8, 15 Time A: 9a – 12p Time B: 1p – 4p

Fee: \$150

Instructor: Darla Parks

Six weekly classes to complete 12 mini hanging quilts. Morning or afternoon sessions.

You will learn how to do raw edge applique, binding and quilting as you go. Also, how and where to put your embellishments and how to apply them.

Kits available and include fabric for appliques, backing, binding and batting. Does NOT include hangers, embellishments, or patterns. Hangers can be pre-ordered. Supply list will be provided. **Kit Cost** \$25

Pattern required and will be available at White Daisy, approx. \$9 each.

#### Class Policies:

- Payment is required at the time of registration
- A supply list and special instructions will be given out upon registration
- Most classes require a solid working sewing machine
- It is best if you have your own equipment (rulers, rotary cutter, etc.)
- Our quilt workshops are for piecing the top only
- If you are unable to attend a class, cancellation must be made one week prior to the class. You may apply the fee
  to another class. Failure to notify the shop one week prior will result in forfeiture of class fee. If we cancel a class,
  you will receive a full refund
- As appreciation to our customers, we offer a 10% discount for fabric and supplies purchased for our classes, clubs and workshops





# ~~~ Cotton Road Tours ~~~

We have operated Cotton Road Tours, LLC for the past 17 years and we are excited to introduce our tours to our new friends in Florida. We have organized and hosted cross-country shop-hops for our group in Wisconsin each year, as well as for several individual shops throughout the years. We have traveled to 49 states and Canada, and we've had wonderful adventures along the way.

We have the following tours available:

#### Houston Quilt Festival

Oct 31, - Nov 5, 2022

We will visit New Orleans for the Natchez Riverboat live Jazz band dinner cruise, enjoy preview night at the show on Wednesday evening, have all day Thursday at the show to explore the vendors and meet quilting celebrities and visit a few shops on the way there and back. Space is limited so contact the shop for more details.

## Spring'23 Tour (TBD)

#### April 31-May 7, 2023

Our plans at this time are Amish country in Pennsylvania, Statue of Liberty, DC and Myrtle Beach. More info will be coming as this trip evolves.

## All Florida Shop Hop

#### March & April '23

We are so excited to be part of the first annual State Wide Florida Shop. More info on the shop hop will be coming throughout the fall and winter months – you won't want to miss this one!!

In an attempt to visit as many shops as we can and to get those stamps towards the prizes, we will be hosting an over night bus trip to visit shops in March to the Jacksonville area and again in April to the panhandle area. This is just starting to get organized but we know it'll be a Fri/Sat trip each time. You are welcome to put your name on an "interested" list if you wish by contacting the shop.