

Sewing Studio

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FALL SEWING CLASSES 2018

Please note the following information regarding registration and class policies. Payment in advance is required to reserve your place in class (phone registration will reserve your place for only 7 days unless payment is received). Supplies are not included in class fee unless so stated. To achieve the best results, we want to help you select the supplies and fabrics for your projects. 15% discounts will be given on fabrics and notions for the duration of the class. Refunds will be given if cancellation is received 5 days prior to the first class. Classes may be cancelled if a minimum registration is not received and refunds will be given. Sewing machines are furnished in all sit and sewing classes unless otherwise noted. Please check the supply list when you register.

JELLY ROLL PLACEMAT

Have you seen the jelly roll rug? Why not make placemats instead. Phyllis will guide you through the process of using the precut cotton batting and a jelly roll to make this placemat. One jelly roll could make 4 placemats. Pattern required.

Tuesday, September 18, 1:00 – 4:00 pm. \$15

FABRIC DYEING

Join Vickie as she leads us through the process of three different dyeing techniques. Dye kits will be provided. Come with enthusiasm. You won't be disappointed. Kit supply fee \$12.00.

Tuesday, Sept 25, 10:00am - 12:30 pm OR 1:30 – 4:00 pm. \$12.50

MACHINE EMBROIDERED T-SHIRTS

Adding machine embroidery to a Child's T-shirt will turn it into an adorable top! Come learn what stabilizers and design to use for knits, "hoop-less" embroidery, placement and how to get to hard areas on the shirt. We will break for lunch.

Thursday, September 27, 10:00 am – 2:30 pm. \$20

BEGINNING QUILTING I

Have you always admired hand-made quilts? Have you wanted to learn how to make them? Then join Anita where you will learn the basics of quilting the Square Dance quilt from Alex Anderson Start Quilting Book. Book required.

Wednesday, October 3, 10, 17, 24, November 7. 6:00 – 9:00 pm. \$75

FINLEY'S FENCE

Playful rings of interwoven colors create this modern play on the Irish Links quilt. Pattern and tool required.

Tuesday October 2, 9, 16. 1:00 – 4:00 pm. \$45

HOLIDAY HOUNDSTOOTH

Join Teresa while making this Holiday Houndstooth quilt using two of your favorite color families. Pattern required.

Thursday, October 4, 11, 18. 6:00 – 9:00 pm. \$45

LEFTOVER BUSCUITS

Have fun making this table runner. Make it up to match your décor or in seasonal colors. Pattern required.

Sunday, October 7, 12:30 – 3:30 pm. \$15

POLE TWIST TABLE RUNNER

Create this fun table runner using half square triangles made easy. Pattern required.

Wednesday, October 10, 12:30 – 4:00 pm. \$17.50

FABRIC GREETING CARDS

Join Anita in creating four fabric greeting cards. Copy hers or be your own designer. This is your chance to let those creative juices flow. Previous experience making fabric greeting cards is recommended but not required. Please bring craft scissors, small cutting mat and rotary cutter with an old blade if you have one. Kit fee required.

Sunday October 21, 12:30 – 3:00 pm. \$12.50

ROLLY-THE SNOWMAN QUILT

A snowman is love and laughter rolled into one. This a great quilt for the winter season. Pattern required.

Tuesday, October 23, 30, November 13. 6:00 – 9:00 pm. \$45

HOLIDAY STARS

Need a holiday decoration for the tree or gifts? This could be the option for you. Come join us to get a jump start on holiday ideas and directions you will need to complete one or two stars. Pattern required.

Thursday, October 25, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm. \$25

LEXI

This modern quilt designed by Gudrun Erla can be made with 10" squares. It looks more difficult than it actually is. Pattern required.

Sunday, October 28, November 4, 11. 12:30 – 3:30 pm. \$45

ADULT BEGINNING SEWING

Learn the basics of sewing – reading a pattern, measuring, and basic seams while using your machine to make this quick and easy pair of pants. Pattern required.

Thursday, November 1, 8, 15. 6:00 – 9:00 pm. \$45

T-SHIRT QUILT

Got a lot of t-shirts? Want to make a t-shirt quilt? Join De De as you learn to prepare, cut, and sew together T-shirts to make a keepsake. We will discuss different sizes and methods of putting your shirts together. Bring a minimum of 9 shirts. Basic pattern suggested.

Tuesday, October 30, November 6, 13. 1:00 – 3:30 pm. \$37.50

VERSATILE PURSE/BAG

This beginner bag has a sophisticated look and includes several pockets. It can be used as a purse, tote bag or weekender. The possibilities are endless. Pattern required.

Join Jo Ann on Wednesday, Nov 7, 14, 28. 12:00 – 3:00 pm. \$45

CANDY CANE PLACE MAT

Get a head start on your Christmas gift list or home décor for the holidays. Candy Cane Place Mat has embroidered applique designs on each side with the center of the place mat being quilted in the hoop. In this class you will learn exact placement, “hoop-less” embroidery, embroidered applique and quilting in the hoop. Pattern with CD required.

Thursday, November 8, 9:30 am – 4:30 pm (with a lunch break). \$32.50

BEGINNING QUILTING II

Perfect your quilting skills while making this small Wild Goose Run quilt. You will learn the trick to making perfect flying geese, as well as reviewing quilting basics.

Wednesday, November 14, 28, December 5. 6:00 – 9:00 pm. \$45

MINI CLASSES

Come to these FREE one to three hour classes. Just purchase the kit and have fun making these quickie projects for gifts or for yourself. Please bring basic sewing supplies. Machines provided. Sign up today!

SEWING STUDIO TOTE BAGS

Friday, September 14, 10:00 am

We are still thinking green as more and more people say I don't need a sack. If you don't have one of our bags, come make one and be eligible to win a monthly prize when you bring your bag along to shop.

KITCHEN BOA

Friday, October 26, 10:00 am

Have you ever been cooking and couldn't find your dishtowel? Join us as we make this hang around your neck boa. Your dishtowel is always handy.

TEA TOWEL APRON

Friday, September 21, 10:00 am

This adorable apron is made from a tea towel and coordinating fabric – great gifts.

PILLOWCASE

November 2, 10:00 am

Learn this quick method for making this popular pillowcase. Make one for charity (fabric provided) and/or one for a gift.

SIMPLE PILLOW

Friday, September 28, 10:00 am

Make this 18” pillow – with a zipper- and maybe piping trim.

FLIP FLOP POTHOLDER

Friday, November 9, 10:00 am

A fun gift to those who love flip flops but these fit your hands.

MITERED PLACEMAT

Friday, October 5, 10:00 am

Learn this easy technique for making a mitered placemat.

SOFTWARE INSPIRATIONS

Formerly known as Software Sampler, we continue our sessions on BERNINA software and related projects. Projects will still be offered on the class CD. Many say these presentations have really helped them learn their software and the possibilities for their use. Join us on Saturday, September 15, October 27, November 17. 10:00 am. \$10.

EMBROIDERY CLUB

All Embroidery Machine owners are welcome. We will meet on Saturday, September 15, October 27, November 17. 12:30 pm. Jayne and Vickie will have some fun and interesting projects to present. Please bring any projects you have been working on for sew and tell. \$5.00

SEWING MACHINE INSTRUCTION

Free for those who purchased BERNINA or Husqvarna Viking machines from the Sewing Studio. (If purchased elsewhere, there is a fee of \$50 per 2 ½ - 3 hour session or \$100 per full day session.) These classes validate your warranty. Please bring your sewing machine, accessories, instruction manual, colored polyester thread and scissors. (If you are unable to attend at the times listed, please contact us whenever you need help and sign up for the next available class.)

For Sewing Machine owners:

BERNINA 700 series

Saturday, September 8, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Saturday, September 29, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Saturday, November 3, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

BERNINA 530, 550, 570

Saturday, October 6, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

BERNINA (new generation) 535, 570, 590

Wednesday, October 3, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

BERNINA 215, 330, 350

Wednesday, October 24, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

Jade 35, Sapphire 900 series

Wednesday, October 24, 10:00 am – 4:00 pm

DATES TO PUT ON YOUR CALENDAR

CENTRAL ILLINOIS SHOP HOP

Friday October 12 through Saturday,
October 20.

Friday and Saturday hours:
9:00 am – 7:00 pm

Get your passports today.

HANDS ALL AROUND QUILT GUILD

1st Thursday of month
at Mennonite Church of Normal

What's New

- ✓ BERNINA gold editions (880 Plus, 790 Plus, 770) with lots of extras – arriving in September
- ✓ Extension table and tote bag for the Singer Featherweight
- ✓ BERNINA new 400 series coming this fall
- ✓ Husqvarna VIKING Brilliance – coming this fall
- ✓ BERNINA branded fleece and cottons – coming
- ✓ For P Buckley Moss fans – panels and coordinates
- ✓ More digitally printed cottons– more brilliant colors
- ✓ New Grunge dots and stars
- ✓ From OESD – free standing designs – nutcracker, Mr. and Mrs. Santa, Christmas tree and more
- ✓ New stabilizers from OESD
- ✓ Beautiful embroidery tile panel of Santa, and thread kit
- ✓ New bennette serger 44– coverstitch only
- ✓ Cork – new colors and patterns
- ✓ Amanda Murphy fabric, patterns, rulers, embroidery designs
- ✓ Rayon Batik scarves – coming in October
- ✓ 500 series BERNINAs - now in stock
- ✓ BERNINA L460 overlocker – now in stock

DISCONTINUED MODEL CLOSEOUTS

Husqvarna Viking Sapphire – \$1999
Husqvarna VIKING Ruby - \$3999
BERNINA 1300MDC overlocker with coverstitch - \$1499

EXPERIENCED SEWING MACHINES

BERNINA 820 (sewing only) - \$2500
BERNINA 1090 - with extra feet - \$400
BERNINA 730 E –with embroidery, BSR,
and rolling tote - like new - \$2000

Labor Day Sale

**Monday
September 3
7 to 11am
ONLY**

Notes from Margaret

I can't believe that it is back to school time. Where did the summer go!!! Time to get back to your sewing rooms. We have a new schedule of classes all ready for your enjoyment.

My daughter Judy from Texas visited for a week and we drove up to Michigan to visit my other daughter Jane and family. We had a mini family reunion there including one of my great granddaughters, my son and his wife from Naperville, 4 grandchildren and 1 dog. What fun!! We enjoyed a walk on the Boardwalk and a local Art Show while in Grand Haven.

In late June I and several colleagues attended BERNINA University in Chicago and helped celebrate BERNINA 125th anniversary. It is still a family owned business with the next generation stepping up to learn the trade. Several new Gold edition machines were introduced.

They include the B880 Plus, the B790 Plus, and the B770 – all with extra packages (roller bags, gold feet, new embroidery designs, quilt kit and more). They sport a gold face plate and are a limited edition. They should be arriving soon. Order yours today. We are still offering until the end of August the trade in deal with 25% off the MSRP price on any sewing machine or serger over \$1399. A new B400 series will be introduced this fall. Lots of updated features at an affordable price. The L460 serger has finally arrived. It has the famous BERNINA free hand system, DC motor, extension table and more. See it today.

Coming later this fall are new arrivals from Husqvarna VIKING. Stay tuned for more information.

We will again have our Labor Day Sale on Monday, September 3 from 7:00 – 11:00 am. For extra savings, please bring non-perishable items for a local food pantry. You have been so generous in the past and the items are really needed (please check expiration dates on your donations).

We want to thank our many valued friends for their continued support of the Sewing Studio and voting us the Number One favorite sewing store in the area. What an honor!! We are looking forward to a great fall. Happy Sewing from us all.

Margaret and Staff

E-Mail Addresses – if you head South or West or wherever for part of the year and would still like to receive our newsletter, please fill in the form below and send or bring it in so we might add you to our growing list of e-mail addresses. Otherwise newsletters are returned. E-mails also get to you quicker for those of you outside the 617 area code.

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Address _____

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