

# Paw Patch

QUILT SHOP

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## Spring Newsletter & Class Schedule

Hello Quilters:

March 28<sup>th</sup>, 2019

I think that we are finally close to spring being here. I know that it is officially spring, but Mother Nature has not received the memo yet! It has been a rough winter and I will personally be glad to see the end of it.

Hopefully you have each been able to do a lot of quilting since getting out has been an issue for many days this winter.

Changes are always happening at Paw Patch. The classroom has been expanded to allow for more room and more students. We have begun our free demo series again and has been very well attended. Please see upcoming demos on the schedule below. I am offering two different demos each month, and each being offered at two different times during the week. The demos are free and then I am offering classes later that the students can have hands-on experience.

We are still dealing with our grief over Rhonda's death. We miss her so much, both as a dear friend and as a Paw Patch family member. With heavy hearts we are replacing her physical presence here; we are training two new service technicians and God has given us two Junior High Students that are replacing all the other jobs did and with Ronda's same speed, efficiency and enthusiasm. Rhonda will never be replaced in Spirit. But we will be united again one day!

Check out the class/demo schedule below. Holiday Hours are listed. Upcoming Special Event information.

Peacefully in Stitches,  
Carol & Staff

### Regular Hours:

Monday – Friday 10 – 5 pm

Saturday 10 – 3 pm

Closed Sunday & most holidays

### Holiday Hours:

Easter	Closed	April 19 – 21
Memorial Day	Closed	May 25 <sup>th</sup> – 27 <sup>th</sup>
Independence Day	Closed	July 4 – 6th

### Class Policies

We keep our class sizes small so that you will receive the teacher's attention during class. You will not be considered registered for a class until you have registered and paid for the class, either on line or in the shop. If for any reason we need to cancel a class, it will be rescheduled at the student's convenience. If you need to cancel a class and do so 24 hours in advance you will receive an in-store credit.

10% discount on all class supplies

# Classes



## **Boxy Tote or Feather Weight Bag**

3 Weekly Sessions

Tuesdays April 9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup> from 2-5pm

Instructor: Joanne

Cost: \$45

Pattern: \$23.99 includes hardware

This bag is designed to carry a feather weight machine but is great as a carry-on for travelling or to just tote any valuables anywhere. It's a small version of Mary Poppin's carpet bag!



## **2018 Amish Shop Hop PPQS Spinning Block**

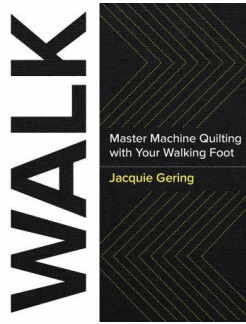
1 Session

Wednesday April 24<sup>th</sup> from 2 – 5pm

Instructor: Jean & Barb

Cost: \$15

Optional: Template Set E \$25.99, to make cutting 40 corners easier and accurate  
This class will be for those who would like help only making a spinning block from our finishing quilt.  
In this one session we will instruct you how to cut and assemble one corner of a spin block.



## **Practice Walking**

### Monthly Sessions

Wednesdays April 10th, May 8th, June 5th

From 10 – 1pm

Instructor: Carol

Cost: \$15 per session

Book: Walking \$28.99

Are you a quilter? How often do you use a walking foot? Do you know what a walking foot is? Do you know that you can quilt a bigger quilt with a walking foot and not just straight-line designs?

We are meeting monthly to work/practice through Jackie Gehring's new book, Walk.

Great usable designs for any quilt. We practice on sandwich squares.



## **Beginning Quilt Making**

### 7 Weekly Sessions

Tuesdays April 16th through May 28th from 10am – 1pm

**or**

June 21st – August 9th from 9am - Noon

Instructor: Carol

Cost: \$105

This is a thorough beginning class that will begin with picking fabrics and cover everything up to putting a binding on. My goal is not to just teach you skills but to help you to understand what you are doing, why and how to trouble shoot. We will be making this runner or skinny quilt.

## **Beginning Free Motion Quilting**

3 Weekly Sessions

Thursdays

April 11 from 2-4pm Lecture/troubleshooting

April 18<sup>th</sup> from 2-5 pm Hands-on work

April 25<sup>th</sup> from 2-5 pm Practice on a Panel

Instructor: Carol

Cost: \$45

Free motion quilting is such an effective and beautiful form of quilting that you can accomplish on your own home sewing machine. We do not work on a quilt for this class. We start on practice squares and then move to a preprinted panel sample the 3<sup>rd</sup> week and then also discuss design.



## **Women Who Rule** **Beginning Ruler Work**

1 Session

Monday April 22 from 2-5pm

**or**

Monday June 3<sup>rd</sup> from 10am - Noon

Instructor: Joanne

Cost: \$20

Ruler Set: \$99.99

Add ruler work to your creative process! This method of quilting helps finish quilts at home much simpler and easy. In this beginning ruler work class, you will learn the basics while working just on practice squares versus starting on a big quilt!



**Slice Rug**  
from Shabby Fabrics

2 Weekly Sessions  
May 3 & 10<sup>th</sup> from 10 -Noon  
Instructor: Samantha  
Cost: \$20  
Pattern: \$14

Choose your favorite coordinating fabrics or a jelly roll from your favorite collection to decorate your home just the way you want it with the Slice Rug by Shabby Fabrics!  
Rug finishes to approximately 18" x 31"

**Scary Quilting Techniques!!**  
**Taking the fear out of:**  
**Circles, Inset (Y) seams & Miters**

1 Workshop Session  
Wednesday May 15<sup>th</sup> from 10 – 4pm  
Instructor: Carol  
Cost: \$45 and will include a kit

This is a companion class to the free demo. You will have hands on instruction to learn how to stitch circles, inset (Y) seams and to make a mitered corner. We will make a block with each of these skills. You will see that when you know the tips to each technique, they are very easy and will take your quilting to a new and phenomenal level.



Quote: Nancy Halvorsen



## **Walking Big**

1 Session

Thursday May 9<sup>th</sup> from 10 – 1pm

Instructor: Carol

Cost: \$15

This is a companion class to the free demo.

Bring a completed quilt project that is layered and basted.

We will work on quilting with a walking foot. This will be hands on with Carol. We will talk about design, managing a quilt while working with the walking foot, marking options and actual quilting on your project.



## **English Paper Piecing**

1 Session

Tuesday May 21 from 6 -9 pm

Instructor: Barb

Cost: \$20

This is a companion class with our Free Demo Series.

Sit with Barb and learn hands on how to English Paper Piece.

If you attended the demo you will receive a 10% discount on this class. The demo is not a prerequisite to this class.

## **Friendship Mystery Quilt**

### **Block of the Month**

Quilt size: 70" x 98" can be enlarged to 104" x 104"

*"A friend is someone  
who knows the song in your heart  
And can sing it back to you  
when you have forgotten the words."* Anon.

### **8 Monthly Sessions**

Starting

Wednesday May 22 from Noon – 3 pm

Or

Thursday May 23 from 6-9 pm

Instructor: Jean & Carol

Cost: upfront Kit & Pattern \$160 eligible for discount

Class: \$15/month

Monthly Fee: \$29- kit, pattern & class

Friendships, recipes and stories to warm your heart!

You may see the fabrics before, but not the finished quilt.

We will share a meal each month and then work on that month's portion of the mystery.



## **Tuffet**

### **2 Monthly Sessions**

Wednesdays June 12 & July 10

From 10 – Noon

Instructor: Sam

Cost: \$225 includes class & all supplies except fabric

Create your own custom piece of furniture. These are so incredibly easy to make. Straight line sewing and simple assembly with the correct tools and you get to use our tools!



## **Towards the Sun** by Robin Pickens

Companion class to Scary Quilting Technique demo

3 Weekly Sessions

Fridays May 24<sup>th</sup> & 31 from 10 – 1pm

Instructor: Jean

Cost: \$30

Pattern: \$10.99

Towards the Sun is a modern quilt pattern of flowers. Reaching to the sun uses pieced circles and half circles. This 40in x 50in wall quilt is shown in two colorways in the pattern and a paper template is included to make the 6in diameter circles. We will demo using the Creative Grids Circle Savvy Ruler if you have one, then templates are not required.



## **Catch All Caddy from By Annie**

2 weekly Sessions

Saturdays June 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> from 10 - 1pm

Instructor: Joanne

Cost: \$30

Pattern: \$10.00

You'll love this over-sized, sturdy caddy with lots of easy-to-access slip pockets and dividers to hold and organize all your supplies. Seven slip pockets on front, back, and one end provide easy access to tools and supplies. A zippered pocket on one end keeps personal items safe and secure. Expanding dividers on the inside open to organize a multitude of supplies or collapse to fall flat against the interior of the caddy affording a wide-open interior for plenty of storage possibilities. Comfy padded fabric handles make carrying easy and attach with rectangle rings allowing them to fall flat along the side.





Finished Quilt Size: 88 1/2" x 88 1/2"

**Farmhouse Quilt “88 square  
Block of a month**

*with an option to enlarge to 109” square with additional cost.*

10 Monthly Sessions

Beginning Monday June 10<sup>th</sup> from 10 – 1 pm

Instructor: Linda

Cost: Upfront Kit \$199.99 eligible for discount

Class cost: \$15/month

**Or**

\$37.99 monthly which will include class & kit

This is a stunning quilt with loads of quilting techniques to either expand your skills or practice your skills; piecing, applique, templates etc. The quilt is just stunning in person stop in to see it. We have made our sample 109”. Class costs are based on the 88” square sample, which is pictured above.

There will be an option to enlarge.

Local Artist





### **Hunter's Star Table Runner**

#### 2 Weekly Sessions

Tuesdays June 11 & 18<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Instructor: Jean

Cost: \$20

Templates & Pattern: \$25.99

We will be using Marti Michell's wonderful template Set E to make a Hunter's Star runner. If you have not worked with templates before this is a great first project and you will want to convert all your future projects to being able to use templates. Piecing is perfect with engineered templates.



### **Welcome**

24" x 24" Claudia's Creations

#### 2 weekly Sessions

Mondays June 17 & 24<sup>th</sup> 9am – 1pm

Instructor: Chris

Cost: \$40

CD: \$20 Multi-format.

Create a striking wall hanging with beautiful 3-D wild roses set atop a checkerboard border to Welcome everyone to your home. Pattern includes all instructions and designs for piecing the border, crafting the 3D roses & leaves and putting them all together. Embroidery formats: DST, EXP, HUS, JEF, PES, SEW, SHV & VIP. JPEG images for use with cutting machines and software. Requires a 5-3/4in x 10in hoop. Finished size: 13in x 33in

# Quilt Diva

Free Demos

## April Demo Schedule

### It's Really not Hard- Quilt Math

Thursday April 11th from 10 – Noon

Or

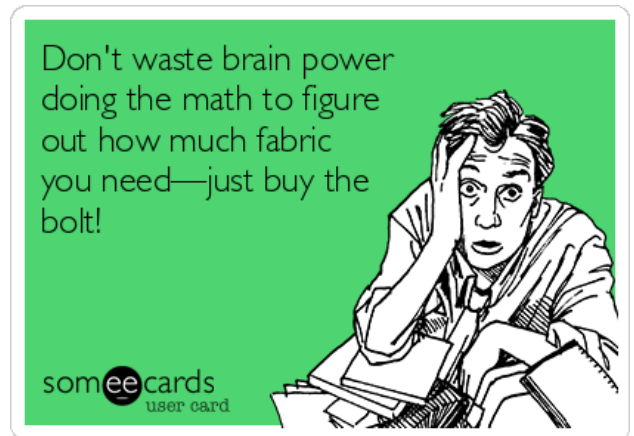
Saturday April 13<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Diva Carol

Ladies I still count on my toes and fingers and even I can make basic quilt calculations...do not be afraid.

I will make it so simple for you to understand and I will share some of the tools that I use to get you over the fear.

Of course, you can always just buy the whole bolt!!



### Try & Buy Ruler Work

See Joanne demo several rulers.

See how easy they are and the infinite designs that can be created with one ruler

Thursday April 18 from 5-7pm

Demo Diva Joanne



When I was a boy and I would see scary things in the news, my mother would say to me, "Look for the helpers. You will always find people who are helping."

- Mister Rogers

BitsOfPositivity.com

### Scary Quilting Techniques!!

Taking the fear out of:

**Circles, Inset (Y) seams & Miters**

Let me help you see how easy these techniques really are and how spectacular they will make every quilt look.

Thursday April 25<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Or

Saturday April 27<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Diva Carol

See companion workshop for hands on sewing.

Wednesday May 15th

# May Demo Schedule

## English Paper Piecing EPP



English Paper Piecing (or EPP for short) is a quilting technique that sounds more complicated than the name suggests. In fact, it's quite simple! It is a hand quilting method that allows quilters to sew intricate and complex shapes with the aid of acrylic or paper templates. Once upon a time this technique was only used for traditional designs. But now there are many modern twists.

Thursday May 2<sup>nd</sup> from 10 – Noon  
Or  
Saturday May 4<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon  
Diva Barb

See companion class for hands on sewing.  
Tuesday May 21<sup>st</sup>

## Threads, Needles and My Machine!



Most times that you think your machine is not working probably, it is most likely your needle, thread or how the thread is feeding onto your machine

Thursday May 30<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon  
No Saturday Demo  
Diva Carol

# June & July Demo Schedule

## Bindings- 3 Parts



### **Part 1- Double Fold or Straight Binding**

Thursday June 20<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Or

Saturday June 22<sup>nd</sup> from 10-Noon

Diva Carol

### **Part 2- Bias Binding**

Thursday June 27<sup>th</sup> from 10 -Noon

Or

Saturday June 29<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Diva Carol

### **Part 3- Flange Binding**

Thursday July 11<sup>th</sup> from 10 – Noon

Or

Saturday July 13<sup>th</sup> from 10 -Noon

Diva Carol

See companion workshop for hands on sewing.

Tuesday July 16



## Mark your calendars:

### Sit, Sew & Chat

Every Friday from 1 – 5pm in the classroom. Free.

### Sew Charming Hop

NEW!

Friday May 17th- 10 am to 7 pm

Saturday May 18th- 9 am to 5 pm

6 Local Shops

Stay tuned for details

### Ohio's Amish Country Quilt Festival

September 5-7th

2<sup>nd</sup> year

Mt. Hope Event Center

Visit: [www.ohiosamishcountryquiltfestival.net](http://www.ohiosamishcountryquiltfestival.net)

Class registration begins May 1st

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### Ohio's Amish Country Quilt Shop Hop

October 30 – November 2

Stay tuned for details

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