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FEBRUARY --- NEWSLETTER Year 2015

THE NEW YEAR IS WELL UNDERWAY ... HOW

TIME FLYS. There are UFO's to finish and new projects to start which is exciting.

We have our POS System in place ... we can keep better track of inventory and we will have record of what you have purchased so if you need "just a little more" of that certain fabric we have record of exactly what is was and more. With the system we also bring to you our new improved website. With just one click of the button you have information regarding classes, events, newsletters, and you will have the availability to see and purchase online. We also have a REWARDS program in place ... ③③⑤

DATES TO ADD TO YOUR CALENDARS

February 14, 2015 Valentine's Day March 8, 2015 DAYLIGHT SAVINGS BEGINS March 17, 2015 St. Patrick's Day April 5, 2015 Easter May 10, 2015 Mother's Day May 25, 2015 Memorial Day June 21, 2015 Father's Day February 16, 2015 President's Day March 20, 2015 Spring Begins April 3, 2015 Good Friday April 22, 2015 Earth Day May 16, 2015 Armed Forces Day June 14, 2015 Flag Day July 4, 2015 Fourth of July



We are now ready!!!! how many times have you wished you could finish that particular quilt from start to finish? We now have "Freddie" available to do just that. Come in to get your "driving license". Once you have the opportunity to finish those tops. Call or come by the store and we will give you all the details.

****** It's Not Too LATE

To take part in the challenge quilt sponsored by Moda Fabrics to honor our country's military families.



This challenge is to recognize and honor the sacrifices that are made by our country's military families.

E N G E ★★★★ January 1 - March 15, 2015

Check with the store for more details. Prizes provided by MODA Which are pretty-y-y nice!!

MYSTERY QUIL T- <u>Mystery Quilt Open Sewing</u>. Remember for those signed up for the mystery quilt our classroom is available to hide out and sew for the whole day on the day that the new installment is available! Take advantage of this Free and uninterrupted time!



Last Friday Sewing Fun-

Hang out and sew from 6pm to midnight (or whenever). We'll provide a casual dinner and you just get to spend time on your project. What more could you ask for? *AND we have lots more space to spread out!!!!!*

When: Last Friday of each month - 6:00 PM until 12:00 PM ?????? ... come and join!! (February 27th, March 27th, April 24th, May 29th, June 30th)

Fee: \$12

COME JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF SEWING AND FUN!



Class Schedule / February, March, April, 2015

GENERAL CLASS POLICIES

- Pre-registration is required for ALL classes.
- Class fees **MUST** be paid in full at time of registration to hold a spot for you.

****FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE FOR CANCELLATIONS WITHIN 48 HOURS OF CLASS** ******

- **You will receive a 15% discount on any class supplies.**
- All classes are subject to minimum number of three participants in order to hold class.

You need to bring your own machine in good working order.

(If you need to borrow a machine; please let us know when you register).



IF THERE IS A CONFLICT IN CLASS DATES - LET US KNOW



IF THERE IS SOMETHING YOU THINK WOULD MAKE AN INTERESTING CLASS LET US KNOW.

CLASSES:

TOMORROWS QUILTERS - Youth 10 years and older interested in sewing This class is geared for

the youth who know how to use a sewing machine... NO PARENTS ALLOWED .. The project for this class ... Bring a lunch.

Time: 10:30 AM - 3:30

Date(s): Saturday, February 21, 2014 - Sleep Over Bag --- Fee: \$20.00 Includes Pattern ...

Tuesday, March 31, 2015 - ???? Saturday, April 18, 2015 - ????



BRITTA HOOPSTER BASKET - Two different sizes of quilted basket ... pieced or solid it sits pretty on a table with your fruit or works to store and organize. Gift giving is another option. Bring a lunch and enjoy the day.

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$35.00 includes pattern

Date(s): Tuesday, February 10, 2015



TROPICAL FRUIT PINEAPPLE This is a tropical fruit pineapple. It is fun to see how all the colors play out into the pineapple design. A super good project to use up your scraps. When done you will have a 52"X62" top. See sample at the store. Three or four blocks and you will have a table topper. There will be some pre-class preparation. Bring a lunch.

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$25.00 includes pattern + plus Grid Trim Tool

Date(s): Friday, February 20th, 2015



HUNTER'S STAR SIMPLIFIED - This truly is a simplified version of this classic design. The designer Debbie Maddy uses half square triangles and no Y-seams or trapezoids but still bring the same stunning effect

(See sample at the store.) Bring your lunch. SEWING LEVEL: Intermediate

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$35.00 includes Pattern

Dates(s): Friday, March 20th, 2015 ... & another day at your discretion if further instruction is needed.



ADORABLE BAG .. Size 12" wide X 11" high X 8" deep) ... it is ADORABLE!!! Perfectly sized everyday bag.

Simply oven with 2-1/2 fabric strips filled with fusible batting and two kangaroo pockets inside.

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$35.00 includes Pattern

Dates(s): Tuesday, February 17th, 2015 AND Tuesday, February 24th, 2015

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---YOUR CHOICE OF BAG ----





CARRY ON TRAVEL BAG!

Looking for that truly neat travel bag... this is it. Has side grab handles and a detachable, adjustable strap with pad for comfortable over-the-shoulder carrying. Lots of pockets inside and out provide easy access to travel needs and plenty of organized storage. Carry on compliant, too! Side note – a smaller sewing machine fits well in this bag, hence, works great for a carrying case for your machine. Size 14-18 sewing machine needles ...bring extra ... COME IN AND SEE STORE SAMPLE ... Two day back to back class.

<u>REQUIREMENTS</u>: Extra Needles and also need size 14-18 size needles. Quilt before cutting out which needs to be done before class ... SEWING LEVEL: Intermediate or experienced beginner.

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GET OUT OF TOWN DUFFLE - SIZE -- 16"L x 10"H x 7"D

Functional yet stylish, this sturdy duffle bag carries everything you need for a weekend trip and easily fits in the overhead bin or under the forward seat. The full-zippered top allows easy access to all your gear. A comfortable padded adjustable carrying strap and quick-grab side handles make it convenient for all sorts of travel. With one zippered and four slip pockets on the outside and three more slip pocket inside, the bag will keep everything organized and close at hand. ... COME IN AND SEE STORE SAMPLE ... Two day back to back class.

<u>REQUIREMENTS</u>: Extra Needles and also need size 14-18 size needles. Quilt before cutting out which needs to be done before class ... <u>SEWING LEVEL</u>: Intermediate or <u>experienced</u> beginner.

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$40.00 includes Pattern

Date(s): Wednesday March 4th, 2015 AND Thursday, March 5th 2015



TRIANGLE FRENZY HEXAGON TABLE TOPPER—for intermediate level or experienced beginners

This is an amazing looking table topper. Cut some triangles, spin them around, rearrange them, sew them together, large or small. So many variations. It's a Triangle Frenzy! Fun to put together and you'll admire the end result. Bring your lunch and we'll do it together

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$35.00 includes Pattern

Date(s): Wednesday, February 4th, 2015

or Wednesday, March 25th, 2015



CRAZY EIGHT STRIP TEASER TABLE TOPPER - Advanced Beginner

This is an amazing looking table topper. It is made up of strips pieced together, cutting them in triangles and piecing them back together. Fun to put together and you'll admire the end result Two day class ... bring lunch and see it come together.

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$30.00 includes Pattern Date(s): Thursday, February 5th, - 10:30 AM - 3:00 PM

AND Friday, February 6th - 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM



BEGINNING PAPER PIECING •• Want to know how to do paper piecing ... then this is the class for you! We will teach you the basics of paper piecing.

Time: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Group Class Fee: \$35.00 - Supplies included

Individual Class Fee: \$40.00 - Supplies included

Dates(s): Wednesday, February 25th, 2015



<u>76 CLAMBONES</u>... While we happily share our quilting techniques, this is not for beginners. The first class will be about the collaborative process of enjoying color and design, and sharing ideas, fabric and ourselves with other quilting lovers and the second class will be about the quilting technique.

Time: 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM Fee: \$30.00 for the two sessions + plus pattern

Date: Friday, February 6th, 2015 AND Friday, February 13th, 2015



BARBADOS BAG •• Size 10-1/2" Wide X 10" Tall X 2" Deep ... Just right for traveling ... Six pockets, 4 outside including one for a cell phone, zipper top closure and 48" strap (you can make this any length) fat quarter friendly Great idea for gift giving!!!

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$35.00 includes Pattern

Dates(s): Wednesday, February 11th, 2015



The QUATTRO •• This is such a good overall bag ... named because of four storage areas - Features: 2 wraparound style pockets- accessible from the front of the bag. A zippered back pocket. And pouch-style front storage - perfect for keys or a cell phone. This is a two day class.

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$40.00 includes Pattern

Dates(s): Saturday, February 7, 2015 AND Saturday, February 14, 2015



PORTAPOCKETS PURSE_INSERT •• A toolbelt for your handbag!! Dedicated storage pockets make it easy to see, secure, and access all of your daily items ... Cellphone, Credit Cards, Money, Change and much more ... Can be made in two sizes ... Two classes

Time: 10:30 AM - 2:00 PM Fee: \$30.00 for the two sessions + pattern

Per Individual Class Fee: \$40.00 for two session + pattern

Dates(s): Tuesday, March 10th, 2015 AND Wednesday, March 11th, 2015



DIAGONALLY WOVEN BASKETS •• This has turned out to be a darling basket!! Fill with candy, put on your desk for mail and cards Would make for a great Easter basket for a child or grandchild!

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM Fee: \$35.00 includes Pattern

Dates(s): Saturday March 14th, 2015 OR
Wednesday March 18th, 2015



BEGINNING QUILTING CLASSES 101 -

Ever wish you knew the ins and outs of quilting?? Now is your chance This class will give you the basic knowledge of how to get started on the quilting project you have longed to do. Kristi and Mary are not only informative but are excellent quilters in their own right so you are learning from the best. This is a 4-session class and there will be homework.

Class hours: 10:30 - 12:30 each session.

Date(s): (1st Class) Saturday, February 28th, 2015 (2nd Class) Saturday, March 7th, 2015,

(3rd Class) TBD, (4th Class) TBD

Fee: \$ 85 + book

Teacher(s): Kristi Thaute / Mary Porter



BUGGY BARN -

For those that have been wanting to do a Buggy Barn now is the time. Select the Buggy Barn pattern you want to work on, (there is a large variety of patterns to choose from)and we will guide you through this fun process. This is probably the most forgiving quilting experience you'll have ... and that's why it's called Buggy Barn! This is an all-day class, so bring a lunch and let's have some fun.

Date(s): Friday, April 10th, 2015 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Fee: \$ 30.00 + Book



*** LOCAL GUILD MEMBERS ***

FREE --- SECOND WEDNESDAY OF THE MONTH

With our AccuCutter ... just for you

Ladybugz will cut your fabric ---

Dies presently available are:

★ 5" Squares

≫ Sunbonnet Sue

≫ Overall Sam

We will be adding other dies on a requested basis Let us know what die you might be interested in that we do not have....so we might add it to our inventory of dies.



COMING WATCH FOR

SAMPLER QUILT BLOCKS ----

Can't seem to find the time??? Come join us ... we will do different blocks each month and at the end add the borders and Wha La!! you will have a quilt top done. If you have a particular technique that you are interested in or want to perfect please share that information with us

