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JULY --- NEWSLETTER Year 2015

WE ARE IN THE MIDDLE OF SUMMER Someone mentioned just yesterday how fast the year is flying by ... and I think we all would agree with that assessment. I also think about all the projects I want to do before year end!!! Now if I can just figure out how to fit it all in to the time I have?



****DATES TO ADD TO YOUR CALENDARS****

August 19th First Day (for Secondary) School

September 7th, Labor Day

October 16th, National Boss' Day

August 20th First Day (for Elementary) School

September 13th, Grandparents Day

October 23rd, Autumn Begins

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HOSPICE MEMORY BEARS

For those that have graciously volunteered to do Memory Bears for Hospice and are new to the process (or anyone wanting some help). We now are offering a class to help answer any questions you might have in putting them together. These are fun to put together and each bear has its own personality. Mary is experienced in doing these bears and has a lot to offer to help you through the process.

We are offering this at No Charge Give us a call here at the store 249-1600 and we can work out the details as to day and 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 Good eats and a whole lot of laughs!!

DATES: Fridays..... July 31st, August 28th, September 25th, 2015

Fee: \$12

COME JOIN US FOR AN EVENING OF SEWING AND FUN! Call to reserve your spot

A NEW KIND OF SHOP HOP --- ALL 50 STATES AND CANADA TOO!!

2015 Dates Travel and collect rows ... **June 21 - Sept. 8, 2015**

Bring in completed quilt for prize ... **June 21 - Oct. 31, 2015**

How about this ... a shop hop type event with no fees, no passports and all summer to play. Simply visit any of the participating shops and receive a FREE pattern for a row in a quilt..... **AND LADYBUGZ IS A PARTICIPATING SHOP THIS YEAR!!!** Combine your favorite rows in any way to create a unique quilt that represents the fun you had traveling throughout the summer. Travel with friends, discover new quilt shops and have fun collecting rows.



Create a quilt using at least 8 different 2015 rows from 8 different 2015 participating Row by Row shops and be the first to bring it into a participating shop to win a stack of 25 fat quarters (6-1/4 yards of fabric. Use that shop's row in your quilt and win a bonus prize.



Exclusive Fabric Plates by Zebra Patterns will be available in shops around the country. Each one is unique. Collect a bunch to create fun projects, sewing studio wall art or even a fun backing for your quilt.

← Check out our version!



Each area has their own Facebook page. Like the page from areas you visit to see pics of the rows, shop displays, winning quilts and fabric plate projects.

Check the website: www.rowbyrowexperience.com. Click the state you are traveling in to see the listing of shops. A Google map and a downloadable list will be available before summer.

Class Schedule / July, August, September, 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 or you.
****FEES ARE NON-REFUNDABLE FOR CANCELLATIONS WITHIN 48 HOURS OF CLASS** *****
- It is always appreciated if fabric/supplies are purchased at Ladybugz .. **a15% discount on all class supplies.**
- We will teach any class with two or more participants --Find a friend or two & call to schedule your class today
 - Individual classes are available as well.
- **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).

NOTE : IF THERE IS A CONFLICT IN CLASS DATES – LET US KNOW

OR :

IF THERE IS SOMETHING YOU WOULD LIKE TO HAVE ACLASS ON --- LET US KNOW.

JULY CLASSES:



TOMORROW'S QUILTERS - Youth

This class is geared for the youth who know how to use a sewing machine... We will be doing a Charming Circles Pillow ... NO PARENTS ALLOWED ... Bring a lunch.

Time: 10:30 AM - 3:30 **Fee:** \$25.00 + Template and Supplies

Date(s): Wednesday, July 17th, 2015



MOCK HAND APPLIQUE - Technique Class

In this class, we will teach one method of doing nearly invisible machine applique using a Southwestern pattern by Madeline Vail and the method she taught here at Ladybugz last summer. The project will be an 8" applique block. Some of the keys to success are specific supplies and correct machine settings..

Date(s): Friday, July 24th, 2015 **Time:** 10:30 AM - 1:30 PM

Fee: \$25.00 + pattern

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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.

REQUIREMENTS: 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.

----- OR -----



GET OUT OF TOWN DUFFLE - SIZE -16"Lx10"Hx7"D

Functional yet stylish, this sturdy duffel 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.

REQUIREMENTS: 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

Time: 10:30 AM - 5:00 PM

Fee: \$35.00 + Pattern

Date(s): Wednesday July 30, 2015 **AND** Thursday, July 31, 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:** \$30.00 + Pattern

Date(s): Wednesday, July 29th, 2015 ...

Note: If after the class further instruction is need we can schedule another day at your discretion

AUGUST CLASSES: NO CLASSES FOR AUGUST

????????? CLASSES: YOU SET THE DATE ??????????

There has been interest in these two classes ... but dates haven't worked ... so... let us know what works for you!

Or

Do you have a pattern that you need help with ... we can help get you through it!

Price: All day help Depends on the simplicity of the pattern

Contact us to discuss the details.

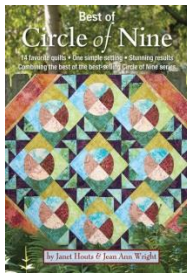


CRAZY EIGHT STRIP TEASER TABLE TOPPER – Advanced Beginner

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: TBD **Fee:** \$30.00 plus Pattern

Date(s): Either a 2-day class or we can break it up to 3-evening classes what works for you?



CIRCLE OF NINE Sampler Block Classes - This is a great follow-up class to Basic Quilting 101

We will offer nine weeks of classes, teaching a different block every week from the book, "Circle of Nine." This book includes endless possibilities for setting 9 blocks together which will all be made from coordinating fabric. We will then offer an additional optional class with instruction in setting the blocks together for a Circle of Nines Lap Quilt. **NOTE:** DEPENDING ON THE INTEREST WE CAN OFFER THIS CLASS EITHER AS A MORNING OR EVENING CLASS WHICH WILL BE DETERMINED BY THOSE SIGNING UP. **THERE WILL BE 10 CLASSES** ... one block for nine weeks and a makeup week for those weeks that may be missed.

Date(s): Depends on those signing up **Time:** TBD

Fee: \$100.00 + book and supplies

AUGUST CLASSES: THERE WILL BE NO CLASSES SCHEDULED FOR THE MONTH OF AUGUST