



## The Quilt Tree

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**Supply List: “Clam Up” Zipper Pouch**

**Instructor:** Marcy Lawrence

**Dates and Times:**

**Wednesday, May 20<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-5:00pm OR**

**Sunday, June 7<sup>th</sup>, 1:00-5:00pm**

### **Pattern Requirement\*:**

“Clam Up” by Patterns by Annie. I will be demonstrating on the XL size, but you may choose any size you like. I suggest making the M, L or XL size.

**Fabric Requirements\*:** (Note: Try to avoid using directional fabrics)

**Main Fabric** – 1 fat quarter

**Lining** – 1 fat quarter

**“Soft and Stable”** – One 18”x58” package – one package will make all 5 bags in the pattern

**Handbag Zippers:**

M, L – One 20” or longer double slide handbag zipper

XL – One 24” or longer double slide handbag zipper

**OR**

For all sizes – One package of By Annie **“Zippers by the Yard”** – Highly recommended! You can make all 5 sizes with one package and have 50” of zipper tape left over for other projects.

### **Tools Required\*:**

**Thread** to match your fabrics and zippers

**Rotary Cutter**

**Ruler** (at least 6 ½” by 24” in length)

**Clover Clips** – These are important! You will need these clips to hold the pieces together while sewing as the layers are too thick for pins. The clips come in either a 10-pack or 50-pack. The 10-pack gives you enough clips for the project but I feel it’s worth it to invest in the 50-pack because you will find these clips indispensable for any project that involves thick layers. Also fantastic for attaching binding to a quilt.

Please do not substitute plastic clips you might find on Amazon, they're not as high quality as the Clover Clips.

**Stylus** – Wonderful to use to keep thick layers and zippers straight while sewing the pieces together. You can use the point of a seam ripper instead, but a stylus works much better.

**1 pkg size 90 Topstitch or Jeans needles**

**Pins**

**Marking pencil or chalk** (my favorite is the Clove Chaco liner marker in white, yellow or gray).

**Notes:** The pattern comes with a \$5 coupon for a video that highlights the construction of the bag. I strongly recommend using the coupon and viewing the video before class to get a better understanding of how this bag is made.

If you are bringing your own machine, please bring, if available, a ¼” foot and an edge stitch foot. If you are a **BERNINA** owner and your machine uses the feet with the “red” numbers, please bring, if you have any, a #37 (1/4” foot) and #10 (edge stitch foot). We have a few of these feet available for our classroom machines but we are in short supply.

**Before Class Homework:**

Please trace or copy the pattern for your selected bag size. Trace onto regular paper, plastic quilting template material or tracing paper. If you decide to copy and print the pattern, use either regular paper or card stock. Make sure that your printer is set to print at actual size.

**\*We are grateful when you buy your required supplies at our shop.**