Yankee Pride Class Schedule Fall/Winter 2023 – Spring 2024

Yankee Pride Hours

 $\begin{array}{ll} \mbox{Monday} & 10-5 \\ \mbox{Tuesday} - \mbox{Friday} & 10-5 \\ \mbox{Saturday} & 10-5 \\ \mbox{Sunday} & \mbox{Closed} \end{array}$

Please call us at 872-9300 if you have any questions regarding classes, hours, or anything quilt related. We're happy to help you!

General Information

Yankee Pride is now offering the Winter 2023/Spring 2024 schedule of classes for Beginner, Intermediate, and Advanced students. In addition to offering expert and experienced teachers, we are also pleased to offer each student a 20% discount on all class materials, excluding the Mystery Quilt classes. Class descriptions include the discounted price for any needed books or patterns.

Cancellation Policy

Any class may be cancelled if there is not the minimum number of students five days before the class is scheduled to begin. Refunds will be given to all students at that time. No refunds can be given thereafter.

Class Supply List and Yardage

Supply lists are provided online in the class description. Yardage for specific classes may be given to students if the class has previously been taught at Yankee Pride. Yardage for new classes will not be available until the initial class meeting. Students who purchase their fabric and class supplies before the first class do so at their own risk. Yankee Pride cannot be responsible if the class is cancelled due to low enrollment.

Note: Unless otherwise specified, all classes include all directions needed to complete the projects.

Class Registration

We require a minimum of **six** students for each class. We must receive payment for the class upon registration. You can now register for classes at yankeepridequilts.com!

Winter Weather Advisory!!!

During the winter months, please call before coming if the weather is bad – we may decide to close the shop early, or open late.

Also, classes may have to be postponed sometimes due to the weather situation. If you have any questions about a class you have signed up for, please feel free to call us. We will try to reach students when a class needs to be postponed; but it is much easier if you call us.

**NOTE: If you want to take a class with us but feel you would have a problem getting your machine downstairs to our classroom, please let us know. Our staff can help you get your sewing machine where it needs to go!

Introduction to Quilting

with Ruth Julianelle

[Beginner]

Learn the fundamentals of quilting in this class. You will complete two projects: a pillowcase, and a baby or lapsized quilt. Topics discussed are the parts of a quilt, materials used, basic block construction (including seams and pressing), assembling the quilt top, and finishing techniques. Class fee patterns and copy of class notes. Fall 2023 and Spring 2024 sessions have been scheduled for your convenience.

[Minimum of 3 students; maximum of 8]

Sat. Oct. 28, Nov. 11, Dec. 2 & 16, Jan. 6

1:00 - 3:30 \$125.00

Sat. Mar. 2, 16, 30, Apr. 13, 27

10:00 - 12:30 \$125.00

Machine Piecing

with Ruth Julianelle [Confident Beginner]
Learn how to make accurate quilt blocks using both standard and fast-piecing techniques. Studio 180 rulers will be used. By the end of class, you will have made a twin-sized sampler quilt. The class covers instruction on the blocks, sashing, and borders. Fall 2023 and Spring 2024 sessions have been scheduled for your convenience. [Minimum of 3 students; maximum of 8] Sat. Oct. 28, Nov. 11, Dec. 2 & 16, Jan. 6

10:00 - 12:30 \$125.00

Sat. Mar. 2, 16, 30, Apr. 13, 27

1:00 - 3:30 \$125.00

Make a State with Karen Abrahamovich

[Confident Beginner]

Join Karen to make a quilt of our beloved State of Vermont for yourself or pick from the wide selection she has available. She will share her tips and techniques to make it easy for you to complete one of her patterns. Sat. Sep. 23 Noon -4:00 \$55.00

Thread Painting Workshop with Anne Standish [Confident Beginner]

This 2-part thread painting workshop is designed for quilters and other textile artists who are interested in creating exquisite texture and detail in their work through combining hand and machine stitching. Students should already have experience with free motion stitching, and some basic knowledge of hand embroidery. 10-hour class over 2 sessions.

Fri. Oct. 20 10:00 – 4:00

Fri. Nov. 3 11:00 – 3:00 \$85.00

Machine Applique with Ruth Julianelle [Beginner] Ruth shares methods for both raw-edge and prepared applique by machine. She will cover transferring your pattern to fabric, preparing the pattern for applique with either fusible web or freezer paper, and stitching the pieces to the background. A 1-hour break is included in the time listed.

Paper Piecing by Machine with Ruth Julianelle

Sun.

Oct.29

Beginner]

10:00 - 4:00 \$75.00

Paper piecing is very useful when you're making small blocks or using intricate angles or detailed designs. Join Ruth and learn the secrets. She will start with basic paper piecing methods, then move on to more complex elements where sections are created and assembled into a final design. Patterns will be provided in class. A 1-hour break is included in the time listed. Kit Fee: \$10.00

Sun. Nov. 12 10:00 – 4:00 \$75.00

Machine Quilting with Ruth Julianelle

[Confident Beginner]

Ruth will go over several techniques, including straight line quilting using your walking foot as well as free motion quilting with the feed dogs dropped. A walking foot and a free motion foot for your machine is required for this class. A 1-hour break is included in the time listed. Two separate classes are scheduled for your convenience.

Sun. Dec. 3 10:00 – 4:00 \$75.00 Sun. Mar. 17 10:00 – 4:00 \$75.00

Tucker Techniques

Do you own one or more Studio 180 Design rulers but are not sure how to use them? Have you ever wondered what more they can do beyond their original intent? This series with Joan Shortsleeve, Certified Studio 180 Instructor, will cover several rulers that most of us have in our sewing spaces.

Tucker Trimmer I with Joan Shortsleeve

[Confident Beginner]

Joan will show you how to make multiple half square triangles at one time, hourglass blocks, combination and non-mirror blocks, shaded four patch, as well as more about half square triangles. Ruler and Technique Sheets are required for class.

Sat. Sep. 9

1:00 - 5:00 \$55.00

Wing Clipper with Joan Shortsleeve

[Confident Beginner]

Joan will show you how to make Flying Geese (2 1/2 x 4 1/2), Identical Flying Geese (2 1/2 x 4 1/2), Flying Geese Log Cabin, Picket Fences (2 1/2 x 4 1/2). Ruler and Technique Sheets are required for class.

Sat. Sep. 30

1:00 - 5:00 \$55.00

Rapid Fire Hunter's Star - Petite Star

with Joan Shortsleeve [Confident Beginner] Joan will show you how to make these traditionally difficult blocks with ease using the Rapid-Fire Hunter's Star tool since it allows for more streamlined construction and precision trim down. Ruler is required for class.

Sat. Oct. 14

1:00 – 5:00 \$55.00

Wedge Star with Joan Shortsleeve

[Confident Beginner]

Hesitant to try a pattern with diamonds? Joan will show you how to create beautiful designs using the Wedge Ruler, a 45-degree angle ruler. The units she will cover are the Wedge Star, Wedge Block, Mixed Block, and Diamond Four Patch. Ruler and Technique Sheet are required for class.

Sat. Nov. 4

1:00 - 5:00 \$55.00

Square Squared Half Inch with Joan Shortsleeve [Confident Beginner]

Joan will show you how to perfect your Square in a Square blocks. This is an all-in-one tool that gives you a window template for accurately cutting the center square, a chart printed on the ruler to cut the triangles sewn to the four sides of the center square, and a trim down section that simplifies the alignment of the ruler to allow everyone to clean up the unit to a precise measurement every time. Ruler and Technique Sheet are required for class.

Sat. Nov. 18

1:00 - 5:00 \$55.00

Star 60 with Joan Shortsleeve

[Confident Beginner]

Do you avoid hexagons or 60-degree angles? Joan will show you how easy these blocks can be using this ruler. She will show you how to make a basic Square 60 unit, as well as making hexagons and a Hollow Cube (Studio 180's Tumbling Block). Ruler and Technique Sheet are required for class.

Sat. Dec. 9 1:00 – 5:00 \$55.00

Pouch Club Series

Join Marti to learn to make a variety of different pouches. Whether you are new to pouch making or a master at installing a zipper, this series is for you! We will try out different blocks and piecing techniques. We will sew with a variety of interfacing materials; and show you how to get perfect corners with zipper tabs.

Sunflower Pouch with Marti DelNevo

[Confident Beginner]

In addition to learning how to insert a zipper, learn to piece a partial seam while making the sunflower for the front of this pouch. Pattern needs to be purchased. Class attendees are welcome to come early and enjoy some free sewing time during the monthly sew-in.

Fri. Jul. 28 1:00 – 4:00 \$10.00

Pencil Me In with Marti DelNevo

[Confident Beginner]

Learn how to insert a zipper while making a cute pouch perfect for students or for carrying notions. Pattern needs to be purchased.

Fri. Aug. 18 1:00 – 4:00 \$10.00

Autumn Breeze with Marti DelNevo

[Confident Beginner]

Colorful maple leaves to celebrate Fall. Learn how to insert a zipper while making a pouch perfect for gift giving or yourself. Pattern needs to be purchased. Class attendees are welcome to come early and enjoy some free sewing time during the monthly sew-in.

Fri. Sep. 22 1:00 – 4:00 \$10.00

Triangle Pouch with Marti DelNevo

[Confident Beginner]

Make this cute pouch to carry small items, such as ear buds, lipstick, etc., in your purse. Perfect for gift giving. Pattern needs to be purchased. Class attendees are welcome to come early and enjoy some free sewing time during the monthly sew-in.

Fri. Oct. 27 1:00 – 4:00 \$10.00

Pouch Club Series (cont'd)

Spools Scrap Basket with Marti DelNevo

[Confident Beginner]

No zipper in this project but it's still a fun little basket to sew up for your own sewing space or a friend's. Perfect for gift giving. Pattern needs to be purchased.

Fri. Nov. 17 1:00 – 4:00 \$10.00

Monthly Sew-Ins

[All Levels]

Need help with a project? Stuck on a technique? Want some sewing time on your own or with friends? Join us on the 4th Friday of the month any time between 11 a.m. and 4 p.m. Someone from our staff will be available to help you if needed. Not scheduled in November and December due to the holidays.

Fri. Jul. 28, Aug. 25, Sep. 22, Oct. 27

1:00 - 4:00 \$10.00

Lone Star with Ruth Julianelle

[Intermediate]

Let Ruth guide you through making a stunning Lone Star quilt. Ruth will demonstrate multiple methods for construction. You will be able to choose from 3 patterns. This class requires three sessions to complete.

Thur. Mar. 28, Apr. 11, 25 6:30 – 8:30 \$75.00