

# Red Deer Sewing Centre

## Winter/Spring 2020 Classes

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### Canadian Critters with Debbie Woods—the Critter Creator and Designer

Canadian Critters are a whimsical critter that celebrates our wonderful country. The 18 1/2 inch finished block can be used as a wall hanging, a pillow or finished as a quilt! For this class we will be making Rueben the Rabbit. You should have an understanding of the principles of appliqué for this class.

Thursday February 6, 2020 10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hr lunch

Cost: \$94.00 includes kit and pattern—supplies extra

### Twisted Star with Billie Prost—Her own Original Design!

This elegant quilt is sure to become an heirloom for someone special in your life. It is a combination of two different building blocks which gives it a striking look, demanding the attention of the onlooker's eye.

Saturday March 21, 2020 10:00am—5:00pm with 1 hr, lunch

Cost: \$77.00(includes pattern) - Supplies extra

**Billie Prost** is a local Award winning quilter. In Billie's own words.....**After my very first quilt, I was hooked! Now as I'm embarking on my fourth year of quilting, I've started looking back at all I've created, the great quilting friends I've made, and how happy quilting has made me. It's filled this creative need that I didn't know was there.**

### Quilt as You Go Placemats with Lynn Burdett

Quilt as You Go is a fantastic technique that allows you to create beautiful projects with ease. In this class, Lynn will guide you through the process. You will be amazed how easy it is to assemble and quilt your placemat all at the same time!

Wednesday March 25, 2020 10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hr for lunch

Cost: \$ 65.00—supplies extra

### Simply Charming—Beginner Quilting with Lynn Burdett

Lets start at the beginning! (it's a very good place to start)

Lynn will guide you step by step on how to cut, layout , assemble and bind this great lap/baby quilt. Pair a basic neutral with a colourful variety of fabrics and you will be amazed how quickly this project comes together.

Wednesday April 1, 2020 **AND** Wednesday April 15, 2020 (this is a 2 day class)

10:00am-5:00pm each day with 1 hour for lunch on your own

Cost: \$140.00 includes pattern—fabric and supplies extra

### Zip-up Tray Pouch with Mary Schick

**It's a pouch!!! It's a tray!!! - It's both-**

It keeps your sewing, crafts, kids toys and travel accessories close when you need them—and it's great for storage when you don't.

Saturday April 4, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hr lunch

Cost: \$60.00—supplies & pattern extra

# Great Quilting Classes

## Free Motion Quilting with Wendy

Experience Wendy's exciting stress free class and learn how to do your own free motion quilting. You will be learning sixteen different patterns and you will be amazed at what you can do by the end of this class. Wendy will cover everything from needles to thread and accessories that will make quilting so much easier! Plus you'll have a collection of great handouts to refer back to. Wendy will show some bonus tips as well. Do not miss your opportunity to take this class and learn to save \$\$\$ by quilting your own quilts.

Friday February 7, 2020 OR

Saturday April 25, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hour for lunch on your own

Cost: \$65.00—supplies extra

## Introduction to Ruler Work with Wendy

In this stress-free class you will learn ruler work basics and have a "hands on" experience with Wendy (know for her relaxed teaching style, ideal for learning)

**This class requires a machine with free motion table or base, the ability to drop the feed dogs and a ruler foot available prior to workshop (if not available in store, we can order it) through Red Deer Sewing Centre.**

Saturday February 15, 2020 OR

Friday April 3, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hour lunch on your own

Cost \$65.00—supplies extra

## Beautiful Bindings with Lynn Burdett

Bindings can make or break a project! In this class you will create samples with the following techniques: \*Double fold binding by hand and by machine. \*Bias Binding applied by hand or by machine. \*Mitered and flanged binding applied by machine. \*A decorative treatment to be inserted is applied by machine.

Wednesday April 22, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm with 1hr lunch

Cost: \$65.00 - supplies extra

## Precision Piecing with Lynn Burdett

When you are quilting, do you ever find yourself asking: Why don't my blocks work out to the size intended? Why are my blocks misshapen or warped? Why don't my points line up? Why won't my block press flat? Wonder no more! Lynn is here to show you how to cut, stitch and press more accurately in this techniques class.

Wednesday April 29, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hr lunch

Cost: \$65.00—supplies extra

## Rag Quilt with Lynn Burdett

This class will instruct students on the basics of how to make a Rag Style Quilt. Students may choose between a Traditional Square block layout or a more Modern Strip style. We will be making a baby sized quilt. Students may choose to make a larger version by purchasing more material if needed.

Wednesday May 13, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hr lunch

Cost: \$65.00—supplies extra

# Serging with Susan

## Get to Know Your Serger with Susan Nicholson

Your serger can be a wonderful addition to your sewing room, but it can also be a source of frustration for many. Join Susan for this hands on class and eliminate those frustrations! Learn how to thread, oil, and clean your serger, and then take full advantage of all the amazing things it can do. You will be making a sample book with stitches that include 4 thread, 3 thread, decorative flat-locking, rolled edging, and using your differential feed.

Dates: Saturday January 25, 2020 9:30am-12:30pm OR

Saturday February 22, 2020 9:30am-12:30pm OR

Thursday April 2, 2020 6:00pm-9:00pm OR

Thursday April 30, 2020 6:00pm-9:00pm

Cost: \$35.00 includes workbook and fabric—supplies extra

## Get to Know Your Coverhem Serger

In this workbook style class, learn how to make full use of all those coverhem stitches built into your coverhem serger. Learn how easy it is to thread and set it from regular serging to coverhem. You will be making a sample book of all the great stitches it can do.

Thursday March 12, 2020 6:00pm-9:00pm

Cost: \$35.00 includes workbook and fabric—supplies extra

## Serger Secrets-Beyond the Basics

Did you know that your serger can do rolled edge weaving, pintucking, lace edging, piping and flat locking? If the answer is “NO” you need this hands on class to unlock the secrets of your serger.

Saturday March 28, 2020 9:30am-1:00pm

Cost: \$42.00 includes workbook and fabric—supplies extra

## Decorative Threads on Your Serger

Are you wondering how to use decorative threads on your serger, and still achieve perfect tension? Do you have a basket of threads and wonder if they will work on your serger, but haven't had the chance to try? This 3 hour “hands on class” will open the world of decorative threads and serging for you.

Saturday March 28, 2020 2:00pm-5:00pm

Cost: \$35.00 includes workbook and fabric—supplies extra

## Get to Know Your Embroidery Machine with Susan Nicholson

Do you have an embroidery machine, but haven't got a clue where to start to get it to embroider? Whether you have had it for many years, or just purchased a new machine, this is the class for you.

Saturday February 29, 2020 1:30pm-5:00pm

Cost: \$40.00 (includes fabric and workbook) - supplies extra

# Sewing with Susan

## Get to Know Your Sewing Machine

Wipe the dust off your sewing machine and discover it's many possibilities as you learn how to put in a zipper, make buttonholes, sew on buttons, blind hem, mend and more!

Dates: Saturday January 25, 2020 1:30pm-5:00pm OR

Saturday February 22, 2020 1:30pm-5:00pm OR

Thursday March 26, 2020 5:30pm-9:00pm OR

Thursday May 14, 2020 5:30pm-9:00pm

Cost: \$40.00 includes fabric and workbook—supplies extra

## Sewing Labs With Susan

You've procrastinated long enough on those unfinished sewing projects! Susan has the expertise and encouragement to help you finish them, whether they involve quilting, alterations, crafts, serging or whatever. You'll also find the great atmosphere with fellow sewists to be contagious.

Dates: Saturday January 18, 2020 OR

Saturday February 8, 2020 OR

Saturday March 14, 2020 OR

Saturday April 18, 2020 OR

Saturday May 2, 2020

10:00am-5:00pm (with 1 hour lunch)

Cost: \$60.00—supplies extra

## Spring Cape—Beginner Sewing with Susan

A Cape is the perfect spring accessory! They are stylish, easy to wear and even easier to make. This is the perfect beginner class to learn how to use patterns and create a beautiful garment from start to finish.

Date: Saturday March 7, 2020 10:00am-5:00pm(1 hr. lunch)

Cost: \$70.00(includes pattern) - supplies extra

## Are You Afraid of Sewing Stretch Fabrics?

Do you avoid sewing with knit fabrics? When you get up the courage to sew do you find that the garment looks stretched out and wavy? Do you cringe at the thought of putting in a zipper in a knit fabric? Fear no more. Under the guidance of Susan, you will learn how to tackle knits while creating a sample book of techniques

Date: Saturday February 29, 2020 9:30am– 12:30pm

Cost: \$35.00 (includes sample kit and workbook) plus supply list

## The Perfect Fit

Do you struggle to get patterns to fit? In this "hands on" class, you bring those questionable patterns and we will alter them to fit. You might also want to bring that favorite garment and learn how to make a pattern from it. Dress forms will be demonstrated to show how they can make pattern fitting easier.

Date: Saturday February 1, 2020 10:00am-5:00pm with 1 hour lunch on your own

Cost: \$65.00 plus supply list