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QUILTERS CORNER HIGHLIGHTS

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We'll Be Closed:
Memorial Day, May 28;
Independence Day, July 4;
Labor Day, September 3.

Welcome Spring!



Frederick Frieseke (American artist, 1874-1939) Sewing

Time seems to go by faster as we get older, but somehow this past winter felt like it would never end! We hope that by the time this newsletter is in your hands, warm, sunny days will be a reality.

The longer days and pleasant weather bring a burst of creative energy. This is a great time to start a new project or two! We have lots of new fabric, books, and classes here at Quilters Corner, and plenty of new samples. Come visit soon!

New from Pfaff!

We are so excited to tell you that Pfaff has developed another Icon! The new Performance Icon made its national debut in April, 2018. We have been extremely impressed with the Pfaff Creative Icon, introduced last year. It is an amazing sewing, quilting, and embroidery machine. The Performance Icon is built on the same frame as the Creative Icon, but doesn't have an embroidery unit. We eagerly await its arrival here at Quilters Corner!



BLOCKS OF THE MONTH

BEL CANTO

STARTS IN JUNE



Bel Canto is our new Block of the Month from Cozy Quilt using 2-1/2" strips and yardage from Timeless Treasures batiks. Bel Canto is Italian for "beautiful song," and that's what your sewing machine will sing as you make this gorgeous 110" x 110" quilt. During this seven month program, you will receive the patterns and fabrics needed to complete the quilt top; borders and binding are included. The first six patterns are special as they serve double duty. Each includes a bonus stand-alone strip quilt pattern in multiple sizes perfect for any strip bundle, as well as the next step to complete Bel Canto. The seventh pattern shows you how to turn your blocks into a stunning quilt.

You will actually have seven quilt patterns by the end of the program. The monthly fee is \$47.99 which includes all your patterns, strip sets, and yardage to make your quilt top. This program begins in June.



*Month 1
bonus pattern*

STARFALL

CONTINUING BLOCK OF THE MONTH



Starfall is made with a lovely array of grays, taupes, and tans as the background and rich, vibrant colors for the varied stars. At 72" x 92", this contemporary quilt is perfect for a dorm room, guest room, or that special someone's bed. We have adapted the Starfall pattern to be a six month program. Each month you will piece a different style and size star; the last month you will receive the filler fabric along with directions and fabric for the borders & binding that we've added to make the quilt twin size. The kits are \$24 per month; the pattern is sold separately for \$9. This program started in January and continues through June. We still a few kits left.

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NEW STUFF



Kim Diehl has long been one of our favorite quilt authors and designers because of her warm and charming quilts. The quilts and projects in her book **Simple Appeal** are no exception. From the book, we chose a beautiful 65-½" square quilt, **Late Bloomers**, to make as a sample and offer a kit. The warm, colorful fabrics, and simple, whimsical machine appliqué result in a cheerful quilt you will love to have in your home.

String Quilts were originally utility quilts made from scraps of fabric deemed too small for other projects. The random nature of construction ensured each one was unique and original.



Fassenating Pinwheels

is string pieced on foundation squares and offers a myriad of possible outcomes. This is a great project to use up your leftover strips and pieces, or purchase one of the packs of 20 fat quarters we have put together in your choice of two colorways. Also available for your convenience is an optional template to mark placement lines on your foundation square.



White and Light is another quick and easy, beginner friendly quilt from Zen Chic that calls for precuts. Mini charms (2 ½" squares) or charm packs (5" squares) would be great, or use your scraps. The finished size is 65" x 65"; add a coordinating border fabric if you'd like to make it bigger.



Mandala Floor Cushion by Aardvark Quilts is a gorgeous 32" round floor pillow. Enjoy it for meditation or yoga or as a cozy, comfy seat for the kids to curl up on.



Mini Charm Drawstring Bag is useful and cute too! This little pattern is great made with mini charm packs or a charm pack cut into 2-½" squares, and it's also an excellent way to use your scraps.



Transform your 10" squares into **Wrapped in Love**, a perfect quilt to welcome a new baby. The pattern is in the book **A Piece of Cake**. Grab a layer cake and some background fabric, and you'll have an adorable gift in no time. This book

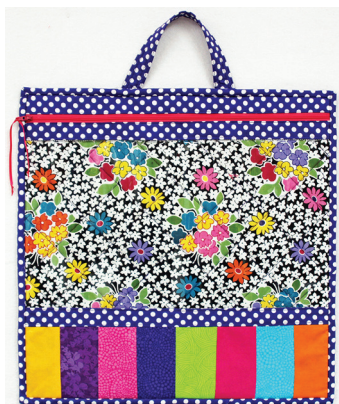
has fourteen all new patterns that mix simple piecing with 10" squares.

Chunky Wee Zippy Pouches are fully lined and fast to make. Three sizes are provided in the pattern, PLUS easy instructions for making a custom size pouch with any dimensions you choose! Check out our samples. The pencil case made with cork took about ½ hour to sew! These make unique, fun and personal gifts.



Bunny's Knit Nightie is a baby gown designed for knit fabric that is easy to make. The three sizes included in the pattern fit babies up to 25 pounds. The gown has overlapping front and back shoulders for ease in dressing the baby. Also included are bib, bootie, and hat patterns, and instructions for a 35" receiving blanket and a burp cloth. Our

collection of lovely knit fabrics is growing with designs suitable for adult clothing as well as for children.



Need some help organizing? **Project Bags** will help keep all your odds and ends together for easy access. The base is quilted for stability, a zippered closure keeps everything secure, and a see-through vinyl window allows you to see at a glance what is in each

bag. See Kaye's class on these bags on page 15.



Let's Go Baby! Diaper Clutch is the perfect grab-and-go bag for outings with baby. Unroll the clutch to reveal a padded changing mat and pockets for diapers and wipes. This

is a simple project that can be finished in an afternoon. What a great and thoughtful shower gift!

Hello Pouches are sweet little see-through zippered pouches with lots of size options. They feature a quilted base for stability and a see-through vinyl top, so you can say "hello" to all your treasures.



Meet the newest addition to our family of stuffed critters from Funky Friends Factory. **Baby Bunny** is adorable and cuddly!





The **Poppins Bag** from Aunties Two is a large 18" x 12" x 14" zipper top bag great for all your magical stuff! Two pockets on the outside and inside keep everything organized. Structural stays keep it in shape and keep the bag open when filling.

Use a focus fabric and channel stitch the body of the bag OR stitch and flip 2-½" strips. The pattern includes the metal stays. Additional stays are sold separately for the next one you make!

The Prima Diva

wallet can be made using fat quarters, fat eighths scraps, or any combination of these. It is nice as a wallet and roomy enough to be used as a clutch. Add loops and a chain or a longer strap and you have a little purse.



Bring your bling on your next travel adventure!

Jetset Jewelry Holder from Pickle Pie Designs can be made with any brand of machine that does hooped embroidery. These modular zipper cases



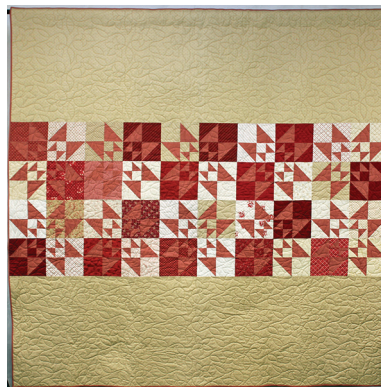
feature optional hardware, allowing you to hook them together for more storage capacity. Vinyl fronts allow for easy visibility, and the optional ribbons tie into a pretty bow when you fold the extra large or large holders in half for easy packing. Stash extras like sunglasses in the back pocket. There are four size options from small to extra-large. File formats include ART, PES, EXP, JEF, VP3, HUS, VIP and DST.



Mariner's Compass is one of those spectacular block designs that is on many to-do lists, but rarely gets made, because the construction is difficult and often involves lots of paper piecing.



Knowing that, we were somewhat surprised at Quilt Market last fall to see so many of the top designers using a Mariner's Compass block as a focal point in their quilts. We discovered their secret was a new line of rulers for making *strip-pieced* Mariner's Compass blocks by Robin Long of Robin Ruth Designs. Set in motion by a quest to make a Mariner's Compass quilt for her submarine officer husband, Robin took an idea she had and developed rulers, patterns, and books based on her technique to make strip-pieced blocks, in 16 sizes, without any tedious paper piecing. The system begins with the Skinny Robin 45° and Fat Robin 60° Mariner's Compass Books/Rulers; each used to create slightly different Mariner's Compass blocks in 16 sizes from 6"-36" using the exact same process. Cyndi has completed a sample pillow, is working on a larger quilt. See her class on page 14. In the meantime, you can go to robinruthdesigns.com and look at Robin's excellent intro videos and video tutorials. We are excited to bring you this opportunity to create these stunning blocks in an easier way.



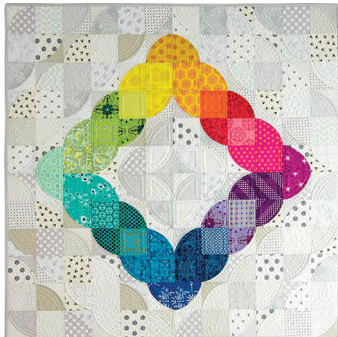
Star in a Star comes together in a snap! Grab a layer cake or use 10" squares from your stash to make this 81" square quilt. Depending on your fabric selection, you can create a subtle star pattern or one with more contrast.

There is lots of space for creative quilting as well. From modern quilt designer Zen Chic, this is great for a beginner.

Home Sweet Home features the irresistible combination of kittens and quilts! A kit is available that contains everything you need to make the top plus the binding, buttons, and pearl cotton. We added a border to make this purrfect, 17" x 21" wall hanging.



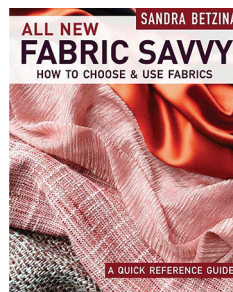
Mini Wonderful Curves, a new book featuring the Mini Quick Curve Ruler, contains another collection of gorgeous curved quilts from the gals at Sew Kind of Wonderful. There are sixteen small projects from table runners to wall hangings. The one size curve block is the basis of each of the



quilts that look complex but are amazingly simple. Instructions and illustrations thoroughly explain the curved quilt process from cutting and piecing to squaring up the blocks to pressing curved seams. We are happy to demonstrate the technique in the shop – just ask.

We've made so many samples that use either the original Quick Curve Ruler(QCR) or the Mini QCR; Sew Kind of Wonderful has produced four books and over fifty patterns for these rulers. We have already started making samples from this book!

All New Fabric Savvy by Sandra Betzina is a comprehensive guide on how to choose and use fabrics. It came to our attention through the glowing recommendation of one of our customers. He loved the alphabetical listing of over 100 different fabrics, the detailed information on laying out, marking and cutting, instructions on choosing the best thread, needle, stitch length and presser feet, tips on removing stains, choosing interfacing, working with knits and so much more! He said, "It just makes so much sense". It's an indispensable reference book.



Visit with Larry Scheckman! Wednesday, May 2, 4-5:30 PM



A really fun part of our job at Quilters Corner is a visit from a fabric rep. He or she comes in with big suitcases full of fabric samples for us to choose from. We usually want it all! Come share some of that fun with us! Meet **Larry Scheckman**, a veteran of the textile business and our rep for several fabric companies. He will talk about how he got into the fabric business, and show you fabric. Find out how fabric companies prepare for Quilt Market, the huge trade show that we attend twice per year, and see some of the fabric that Timeless Treasures and their associated modern line, Dear Stella, will debut at Spring Market later in May. Touch fabric, ask questions, and tell him what you look for when you shop for fabric. There will be prizes, refreshments, and lots of fun! Please RSVP so we know how many prizes and refreshments we'll need.

Lecture by Alex Veronelli **INSIDE AURIFIL** **AURIFIL INSIDE**

Sunday, September 16th

**Noon - 1:30PM or
2:30 - 4PM**

- Find out what's new at Aurifil
- Learn about thread weights, tips on the best uses for each weight, and care instructions
- Enjoy an inspiring collection of artworks by popular designers
- Gifts & Giveaways



Call (607)266-0850 to save your spot – \$10

SUMMER BLOCK OF THE WEEK



Ocean Waves is this summer's weekly program. This 75" x 75" quilt is a classic. We've pulled together 42 different blues and greens for this program. Starting Monday, June 25th, you will receive four or five 10" squares every week for ten weeks. The 42 squares, along with the background fabric you provide, will make this wonderful quilt. Using a **Moda Cake Mix Recipe 4** makes piecing all those triangles a day at the beach!

How does it work? Each week just visit the shop to pick up your squares. We'll release a new set each Monday for ten weeks starting June 25th. Each weekly pack of squares will be \$4. However if you* pick up your strips in the shop the week they are released, you will get a \$2 discount for that week. What a deal! Call or stop in today to sign up. Supplies are limited.

*You personally – sending a friend or family member in to pick up your squares doesn't count. You may sign up for more than one set of strips, but the discount will not apply to the additional sets.

You are Invited

Feliz Navidad Party

Friday July 13, 3-6pm

Bring your sombrero and wear your brightest summer colors!

Mexican Munchies

Margaritas

Non-alcoholic Punch

Christmas Fabric

New Christmas samples: decorating & gifts

Free easy-to-make patterns

Demonstrations

Join the fun and get a head start on your holiday sewing with inspiring ideas at this popular summer party.

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Quilters Corner Classes Summer 2018

Come in and look at the teachers' samples in our classroom or view them on our website. You can stop by the shop to register, pick up the phone, 607-266-0850, or see classes online at www.e-quilterscorner.com. We hope to see you soon!

Key: ♥ = great for beginners ☀ = daytime class

Getting Started

♥ Sewing School 101

Linda VanNederynen

Join the fun - step into the world of sewing. You will gain useful sewing skills and learn techniques as you make several projects.

Fabric choices for clothing, home décor, quilting, and crafting projects will be covered. Learn to select the proper tools and supplies for your sewing projects. Projects include: Carry All Clutch, Table Runner/Topper, Apron, Pillow with Zipper, and Lined Drawstring Bag. Sewing machine and book required.

Tues. May 1, 8, 15 and 22, 6-9 PM

\$90



♥☀ Learn to Quilt Cyndi Slothower

This class will take you through the basics of making a quilt: rotary cutting squares and triangles, creating a variety of blocks, then playing with layouts and sewing a top for a small quilt. Finally, we will baste, machine quilt, and bind. All sewing can be done in class. Machine required, but you may use ours!

Thurs. May 24, 31, June 7, 14, 21, 28 and July 5, 5:30-8:30 PM OR

Mon. July 9, 16, 23, 30, Aug. 6, 13 and 20

Choose 9:30 AM-12:30 PM or 6-9 PM

\$158



♥☀ Borders and Binding Basics Sheila Meehan

Finish quilts with great-looking borders and bindings. Learn to frame your quilts with borders that do not get "wavy". Sheila will teach you to make bias and straight grain bindings, mitered and curved corners. Binding by hand and with a machine will be covered. Machine required.

Wed. July 18, 1-4 PM

\$23



♥ Basting Cyndi Slothower

Do you have a quilt top finished that you need to baste or sandwich in preparation for quilting? Many hands make light work! Learn to baste in a frame, one top each, and more if there is time.

Thurs. July 19, 5:30-8:30 PM

\$23



♥☀ Intro to Machine Appliqué Fran Fairbairn

You will learn how to use your machine to create both raw edge and turned edge appliqué pieces. As we work on a small sampler piece together, we will talk through how to read appliqué patterns, how to choose appropriate threads, needles, and stitches, how to work with fusible stabilizers, and much more! Machine with zigzag stitch required.

Sat. June 9, 9:30 AM-1:30 PM

\$30

♥☀ Color Confidence Kaye Tea

Learn about color and fabric "personality"! Kaye will broaden your color experience and stretch your imagination. You will learn about value and how to create beautiful color combinations for quilts.

Sun. Aug. 19, 1-3:30 PM

\$19

♥☀ Studio with Cyndi Cyndi Slothower

Do you want to finish a project begun in one of Cyndi's classes? Gather it up and come on in! Cyndi will help you. DONE IS GOOD!

Tues. May 29, 6-9 PM OR

Thurs. July 12, 5:30-8:30 PM OR

Mon. Aug. 27, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM OR

Mon. Aug. 27, 6-9 PM

\$23



**Use a classroom machine for FREE!
Reserve one when you sign up.**

Advancing Skills

Machine Quilting

♥☀ **Stitcher's Garden**

Kristin Thompson

Create a beautiful quilt and learn more about your sewing machine and many different presser feet.

Try many decorative stitches with guided instruction and hands-on practice. Each month explore new techniques like pin tucking, machine appliqué, couching, sewing on a button by machine, and candlewicking. Open to all makes and models of sewing machines. Each class stands alone.



\$30/session

Sun. May 27, June 24, July 29, Aug. 26, 12-4 PM

♥ **Intro to Foundation Paper Piecing**

Linda VanNederynen

Do sharp points and exact corners elude you? Paper piecing makes it easy to be extremely accurate even when sewing tiny pieces. You need only know how to sew on a line! Book and machine required.



\$23

Mon. June 4, 6-9 PM

♥☀ **Ithaca Garden**

Fran Fairbairn

You don't need land to have an Ithaca Garden! Choose from one of three of Fran's original designs - Bluebirds, Cardinals, Nuthatches - and create a bird-themed block that will bring the outdoors into your home. These pieces are completed using raw-edge machine appliqué. Experience with appliqué is not required: we will cover the basics as well as top tips for appliqué success. Make one block or go for all three! Pattern and machine required.



Fri. Aug. 3 and 17, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM \$45

Make Your Own Class

♥☀ **Make Your Own Class**

Cyndi Slothower

Are you stuck on a quilting or sewing project? Dedicate some time to sew with other like-minded folks. Bring whatever you wish to work on, and Cyndi will assist.

Fri. June 1, 12-5 PM OR

Fri. Aug. 3, 1-6 PM



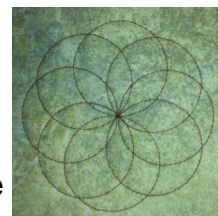
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Quilters Corner is committed to helping you learn to quilt your own quilts with your home machine! These classes will provide experience and confidence so you can give your tops the finish they deserve.

♥☀ **Getting Started with Westalee Rulers**

Linda VanNederynen

Linda will teach you to properly attach the free-motion ruler foot to your machine, then you'll learn to move the fabric while the foot hugs the edge of the ruler. You'll practice using several ruler/templates. With Linda's helpful tips and encouragement, you will soon be creating beautiful designs! Machine, foot, and rulers required.



Thurs. May 3, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM

\$23

♥☀ **Intro to Machine Quilting**

Cyndi Slothower

So many quilt tops, so little time!

Learn the basics of machine quilting, both with a walking foot and free motion. You will learn some simple designs that are beginner-friendly so you can finish your quilts with confidence. Machine required.



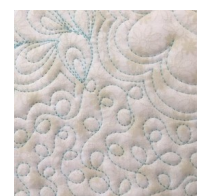
Sun. July 15, 12-5 PM

\$38

♥☀ **Free-Motion Basics**

Karen Miller

Learn the basics of free-motion quilting on your domestic sewing machine. We'll cover fundamentals including basting, batting options, needle and thread choices, tension, and more. We'll take the mystery out of the process so you can finish your quilts at home. Designs such as echo, swirls, pebbles, loops, and paisley will be discussed, drawn, and stitched. Machine required, extension table recommended.



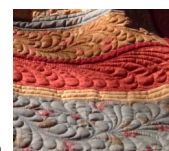
Fri. June 22, 9:30 AM-1:30 PM

\$30

☀ **Free-Motion Quilting: Feathers**

Karen Miller

Learn how to quilt free-motion feathers on your home sewing machine. Several feather designs will be discussed, drawn and quilted. A basic knowledge of free-motion quilting, a previous beginning machine quilting class, and machine required.



Thurs. Aug. 16, 1-4 PM

\$23

Hand Work

♥☀ Intro to English Paper Piecing: Hexagons Linda VanNederynen

Learn the basics of English Paper Piecing and the delight and Zen of hand work. We will explore the many possibilities of using hexies: classic, modern, and trendy. You will create a flower hexie to turn into a trivet, expand into a placemat, or a larger piece. A perfect portable project.

Thurs. May 10, 1-4 PM

\$23



♥☀ Big Stitch Quilting and Hemstitch Binding Cyndi Slothower

Learn a quick and easy hand quilting stitch, then a hand embroidery stitch that will make binding your quilts lots of fun. Stitch on your own quilt in progress or make a small wall hanging in class.

Wed. June 6, 9-11 AM

\$15



♥☀ Tokens of Thyme Pat Miller

This cheery, seasonal sampler-style, appliqué design is suitable for all skill levels and created with a single pack of wool squares and a creamy wool background fabric. Each 6"x6" block is quick to stitch: Pat will teach the simple embroidery stitches and block construction. Kit available.

Sun. June 10, 1-3 PM

\$15



♥☀ Intro to Hand Appliqué Fran Fairbairn

In this two-part session, we will work on small appliqué projects and spend time mastering basic shapes. The class will focus on using needleturn technique to appliqué curves, stems, and points, on understanding appliqué patterns, and on thread and needle selection. A two-week gap between classes will allow you to practice at home and come back with questions for clarification.

Fri. July 13 and 27, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM

\$45

♥☀ Intro to Hand Embroidery Pat Miller

Join Pat for an afternoon learning some basic hand embroidery stitches. You will make a sweet and useful needle book. It's such fun and so portable!

Sun. Aug. 12, 1-3 PM

\$15



Serger Fun

♥☀ Absolutely Beginning Class for Sergers Nancy Crouch

This class is for anyone who has a serger and needs help from the very beginning: basic threading, inserting needles, adjusting tension. Class size is kept small. Serger required.

Thurs. June 7, 1-4 PM OR

Fri. Aug. 10, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM

\$25



♥☀ Make Friends With Your 4-Thread Serger Nancy Crouch

Increase your four-thread serging skills: more threading, changing needles, stitch length and width, turning inside and outside corners, making circles, even a casing. Serger required.

Thurs. June 21, 1-4 PM

\$23

♥☀ More Serger Techniques Nancy Crouch

Learn rolled hems, flatlock, faux blanket stitch and more. 3 or 4 thread serger required.

Thurs. July 19, 1:30-4:30 PM

\$23

♥☀ Easy Serged Picture Frame Placemats and Rolled Hem Napkins Edith Johnston

Use your serger to make rolled hem napkins and fashion a decorative edge for the picture frame placemats. You may use a classroom machine to do the conventional machine sewing on the placemats. Serger needed or try out one of our shop sergers.

Mon. June 11, 10 AM-2 PM

\$30

♥☀ Gifts to Make on Your Serger Nancy Crouch

Using your serger, make a pair of pajama pants with elastic and a zippered flat bottom storage tote. Basic serging skills required. Bring your serger or use one of ours to learn new skills.

Sat. Aug. 18, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM

\$23

Sign up for a class online!

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Gifts & Fun Things

♥☀ Microwave Bowl Cozy Edith Johnston

Have fun making some very handy microwave cozies in 3 sizes all in 3 hours during this class. You will love using them and get a stash started for gift giving in very little time. Basic sewing skills required. Edith will provide the pattern. Bring your own machine or use one of the classroom machines.

Fri. May 4, 10 AM-1 PM

\$23



♥☀ Fast Fold Hexies Cyndi Slothower

Here's a quick, fun way to make coasters, a table topper, or even a quilt. You can use your batting scraps to make these quilt-as-you-go hexagons. They can be made by hand or machine. Book required.

Fri. July 6, 10 AM-12 PM

\$15



♥☀ Fabric Greeting Cards Sally Sumner

Looking for a quick project that uses your scraps? This class is for you! Greeting cards are fun, creative, and a great way to

explore new stitches and techniques. Machine required. Supply fee of \$5 payable to the instructor in class.

Thurs. July 12, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM

\$23



♥☀ Rosette Pillow Lori Benjamin

This lovely pillow is easy enough for beginners! In the first class you will learn to create beautiful twisted flowers using a Bali pre-cut pack, and design the layout for your unique pillow top. In the second class we will construct the pillow and learn how to create matching piping for your pillow. Machine required.

Thurs. Aug. 9 and 16, 6-8:30 PM

\$38



♥☀ Tuffet Workshop Kristin Thompson

Everyone needs a tuffet, a one-of-a-kind piece of upholstered furniture for your own home or for a great gift. In this two-session workshop, you will sew a tuffet cover and build the upholstered foundation. There will be some sewing required between sessions. Basic sewing skills, pattern, tuffet upholstery kit, and sewing machine required.

Fri. July 20, 9:30 AM-4:30 PM and

Sat. July 28, 9:30 AM-1 PM

\$79



♥☀ Tuffet Studio Kristin Thompson

Do you want to make a second tuffet but don't remember all the steps? Bring what you have completed, and Kristin will help you with the little details and assembly.

Sat. July 7, 10 AM-1 PM

\$23

CLASS POLICIES

- Payment must accompany class registration.
- You may withdraw from a class and receive a full refund up to one week before the class begins. After that time, no refunds will be issued.
- We'll notify you and give a refund if we cancel a class.
- Be considerate of your teacher and other class members; please leave children and guests at home.
- We encourage you to make sure the class has the minimum enrollment before you purchase supplies.
- Sewing machines are available and free for class use; be sure to reserve one when you register.
- Remember to request your 10% discount when buying supplies for Quilters Corner classes.
- Please purchase supplies before class begins so you don't miss anything!
- If your class will be held outside of store hours, please use the back door near the parking lot. If it is locked, use the doorbell.

New Owner Classes

♥☀ PFAFF and Baby Lock Sewing Machine New Owner Classes

We are committed to helping you learn the features of your new computerized sewing machine. Second helpings are welcome and cheerfully served. Each session is FREE w/ machine purchase from QC or \$125. If you do not see your model listed, please call for an appointment.

Baby Lock Verve, Soprano, Accord, Presto - Pat, by appointment

PFAFF Creative 1.5 - Edith, by appointment

Baby Lock Destiny- Linda, by appointment

Baby Lock Sergers, All Self-Threading - Edith

A. Basic Operation, Learning Icons, Basic Feet

Mon. June 25, 1-4 PM

Triumph, Ovation, Evolution, and Enlighten also take:

B. Specialty Feet and Special Techniques

Mon. July 23, 1:30-4:30 PM

Baby Lock Unity, Aventura (A and B) - Pat Symphony, Aria, and Crescendo (A only)

A. Basic Operation, Learning Icons, Basic Feet

Thurs. June 14, 9 AM-12 PM

B. Embroidery

Wed. Aug. 1, 9 AM-12 PM

PFAFF Ambition and Expression - Cyndi

Mon. June 4, 12-4 PM OR

Thurs. Aug. 30, 5-9 PM

PFAFF Performance and Creative - Edith

A. Basic Operation, Learning Icons, Basic Feet

Sat. May 5, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM OR

Thurs. May 10, 1:30-4:30 PM

B. Special Techniques

Sat. May 19, 9:30 AM-12:30 PM OR

Fri. July 13, 1:30-4:30 PM

C. Embroidery and Precise Positioning

Sat. June 16, 1-4 PM OR

Thurs. Aug. 16, 1:30-4:30 PM

PFAFF Creative Icon- Linda

Wed. May 9, 16, 23 and 30, 9 AM-12 PM

Destiny Club

☀ Destiny owners can join Linda to expand your knowledge and skills regarding the endless features of this amazing machine. Projects and techniques will be covered. \$23/session

Fri. June 1 or Aug. 24, 9 AM-12 PM

Software

♥☀ Premier Plus 2 New Owners Training - Linda

Learn to configure and set up your new software and build skills with basic functions. Then learn components such as Lettering, Encore, Photostitch, Wordsculpt, and Crosstitcher. Free with software purchase from Quilters Corner, or \$125.

Wed. June 13, 20 and 27, 9-11 AM

♥☀ Premier Plus and Premier Plus 2 Embroidery Software School Merrie Wilent

Software lessons for beginners focusing on the basics. Gain an understanding of the basic Embroidery Extra module of Premier Plus or Premier Plus 2 software.

Each stand-alone session will focus on a different technique. Bring laptop, cord, and dongle.

\$19 per session

Word Sculpt Wizard:

only available with

Premier Plus 2 software.

Fri. May 11, 2-4:30 PM



Create a **Beach Bookworm** using super designs and lettering.

Fri. June 15, 2-4:30 PM

Learn about the **Lettering tab**. Font Manager will be introduced for those who own Premier Plus 2 software.

Fri. Aug. 10, 2-4:30 PM

☀ Software Club

Merrie Wilent

Anyone with Premier Plus or Premier Plus 2 is welcome to join anytime for software continuing education. You'll explore many techniques and modules in our Software Club. Bring laptops, power cord, and dongle only. \$19 per session



Use a variety of tools to digitize an in-the-hoop **Door Hanger** with a pocket.

Fri. May 18, 2-4:30 PM

Create **Mock Sashiko** stitches in the shape of a pinwheel.

Fri. June 22, 2-4:30 PM



Learn to add **Cutwork** lines to a filigree super design.

Fri. Aug. 24, 2-4:30 PM

Art Quilting with Ruth

♥☀ Random Acts of Piecing (Improv Piecing) Ruth White

Learn to piece with the improvisational approach used by the Gee's Bend quilters and adapted by quilt luminaries such as Nancy Crow and Ricky Timms. We'll cut free form strips and curves to create your own unique quilt top. Possible finishing techniques will be discussed. Machine required.

Sat. June 23, 10 AM-1 PM AND
Sat. June 30, 10 AM-2 PM

\$53



☀ Holey Quilt! Let's Face It Ruth White

Ruth sometimes incorporates 'windows' in her quilts to show off the backing fabric or creates complete holes to add different dimensionality. She'll teach you her methods and show when and why to add windows or holes. She'll also demonstrate two alternatives to binding: facing and pillow-casing. You'll make a small sampler quilt with an irregular edge for a reference. Machine required.

Sat. July 14, 10 AM-3 PM

\$38



EPP Club

We invite you to attend this group and share in learning the diverse designs, styles, and techniques which English Paper Piecing offers. There is no charge to participate. At each gathering, Linda and Kristin will share with you

what is trending in the world of "EPP" : the latest tools and gadgets available as well as techniques in basting, sewing, layout and design. Share your tips and findings, and bring your project. If you are new to EPP, please come and see what it is all about. (Also consider the class Intro to English Paper Piecing: Hexagons listed under Hand Work)

Wed. June 13, July 18, Aug. 15, 6-8 PM



Wearables

♥☀ A Little Somethin' Jacket Edith Johnston

Update your wardrobe with this cute unlined jacket in one of four versions. Our cotton batiks, fun prints, or voiles are perfect to accent your fashion sense. Basic sewing skills, pattern, and machine required.

Sat. May 12, 10 AM-4 PM

\$45



♥☀ Simple Start Shirt Cyndi Slothower

Choose one of two shirt patterns by Anna Maria Horner. The simple instructions are written with quilters in mind who do not have experience sewing clothes! Cyndi will help you size, cut, and sew your shirt. It's so much fun to wear your favorite fabric! Machine required.

Thurs. July 26, 5-9 PM

\$30



♥☀ Art to Wear Series Hilary Gifford

Explore design techniques and approaches used in the samples displayed for each group of classes. These include color and pattern choices, fabric weight and structure, and best of all serendipity, accident and necessity - your best design tools! Layout: take inspiration from the unconventional, exotic, historical, as well as art, nature, and narrative. Sewing machines not needed in class.

Saturdays, 2-4 PM

\$15 per session

May 5, 19, June 9, 23, July 7, 28, Aug. 4, 18

May: Tamarack Jacket

June: Amelia Dress and Bedtime Boots

July: Button Down Shirt

August: Clare Coat

♥☀ Garment Construction and Sewing Techniques Series Hilary Gifford

For the garments listed above, we will cover fit and styling, and choices of fabric type. Learn to layout patterns, to read, alter, modify. Use tools in the new machines to look like an expert. Learn how interfacings and underlinings are important and transformational. Each project will come with its level of difficulty and a choice of options. Every experience level is welcome to all classes.

Wednesdays 10 AM-12PM

\$15 per session

May 16, 30, June 13, 27, July 11, 25, Aug. 8, 22

These 2 series will work in tandem or as separate units. There will be value in combination or singly.

Sew Many Quilts!

♥☀ Fabric Collage Quilt

Valerie Leftwich

A giraffe, an elephant, an owl, a fox! Choose a fabric collage quilt pattern from Laura Heine, and Valerie will help you bring it to life! This is easy enough for a beginner and so much fun! Pattern required.

Thurs. May 17, 10 AM-4 PM OR

Sat. July 21, 10 AM-4 PM OR

Sat. Aug. 11, 10 AM-4 PM



\$45

♥☀ One Block Wonder

Valerie Leftwich

Choose one great fabric and one block shape and make a one-of-a-kind quilt. No fussy cutting and no set-in seams. Book and machine required.

Sat. June 2, 10 AM-4 PM



\$45

☀ Strip Pieced Mariner's Compass

Cyndi Slothower

Make a Mariner's Compass without paper piecing! Cyndi will lead you through creating your own 18" Mariner's Compass block using Robin Ruth Design's very clever Fat Robin ruler. Cyndi made a pillow with her block, but you can carry on and make a whole quilt! Ruler and machine required.

Sun. June 17, 12-4 PM



\$30

♥ Turn Photos into Quilts!

Jean Gerow

We all have taken great pictures and thought: that should be a quilt! In this class, make a 16" sunflower applique quilt as you learn the steps to start with a picture and end up with an art quilt. We'll begin with a sunflower picture (supplied); create a pattern from it; talk fabric and color; transfer the pattern to fabric; fuse, thread paint and finish the work. Use these steps and start turning pictures on your camera into works of art! Machine required.

Tues. Aug. 14 and 21, 5:30-8:30 PM



\$45

♥☀ Quick Curve Ruler

Sheila Meehan

Sew curves quickly and easily, even if curved piecing is new to you. Choose a pattern and fabric using the Quick Curve Ruler or the Mini QCR, and Sheila will show you how! Suitable for advanced beginners with rotary cutting skills. Ruler and machine required.

Wed. Aug. 8, 1-4:30 PM

\$27

♥☀ Studio with Valerie

Valerie Leftwich

Whether you have a One Block Wonder quilt in progress or need help with a fabric collage quilt, Valerie will help you finish your project.

Thurs. Aug. 9, 12-4 PM



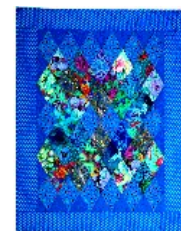
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Diamonds

Cyndi Slothower

Learn to cut 60° diamonds, sew them in diagonal rows and add side and corner triangles. You will make a lap or baby quilt. Machine required.

Thurs. Aug. 23, 5-9 PM



\$30

♥☀ Florida Sunrise

Sjoukje Schipstra

A Florida Sunrise can produce the most spectacular colors, especially on the water. Sjoukje designed this original 2-block pattern while she was "down south" but used fabrics she found at Quilters Corner. It would also be wonderful in red, white and blue, or fall colors, or your favorite palette. Easy strip piecing will have you reaching for your margarita in no time! Pattern and machine required.

Sat. Aug. 25, 10:30 AM-4:30 PM

\$45



Open Sewing at Quilters Corner!



Most Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 12-4 PM. Work on your project in our beautiful classroom. Make new friends! Machines and irons are ready. Call to reserve a table. Only \$5 per session!

Additional times may be available during shop hours—call to find out. 607-266-0850

Ithaca Modern Quilt Guild

Meetings are the first Sunday of every month from 1 to 3 PM at Quilters Corner. All are welcome. Bring show and tell!

Hold Everything!

♥☀ **Boxed Bottom Cork Bag**

Linda VanNederynen

Cork is natural, versatile, renewable, washable, durable, pliable and anti-microbial. It's the new leather! Quilters Corner has a wonderful selection of cork in many colors and sizes. Join Linda as you combine cork with your favorite fabric to create this versatile and useful bag. Learn to "box" the bottom of this bag with cork, put in a lining and insert a zipper. Enjoy learning this technique to create a variety of bag sizes in this style. Machine required.

Thurs. May 10, 9 AM-12:30 PM OR

Thurs. July 19, 9 AM-12:30 PM

\$27



♥☀ **Mad About Mesh**

Sally Sumner

Easy-to-make bags feature mesh fabric. Sort, protect, and organize with these breathable, washable see-through bags. They make great gifts. All skill levels welcome. Pattern and machine required.

Sat. June 16, 10 AM-12:30 PM

\$19



♥☀ **Sew Together Bag**

Ellen Burlew

Learn to make this extremely functional bag that can be used for sewing notions to go, for makeup, or to carry in your tote as a "grab-and-go" for a quick trip to shop. It holds an amazing amount! Pattern and machine required.

Mon. July 2, 11 AM-4 PM

\$38



♥☀ **Project Bags**

Kaye Tea

Sew project bags in 3 different sizes to carry and store all your project needs. Sturdy quilted bases and fun fabric borders add interest to these handy totes. A zippered closure keeps everything safe and secure, and a clear vinyl window allows you to see at a glance what is in each bag. Pattern and machine required.

Thurs. Aug. 23, 12-4 PM

\$30



Machine Embroidery Workshop

We are so excited to expand our monthly "Anita Goodesign Workshop" to include wonderfully digitized projects from a variety of embroidery design companies. While we still love working with Anita Goodesign, we will now include designs and projects from Sweet Pea, Pickle Pie, Urban Threads, Kimberbell, Susan O' Very and more!

♥☀ **Machine Embroidery Workshop**

Join us each month to create and stitch beautiful embroidery designs. All levels of embroiderers encouraged. The hands-on embroidery classes will take you from beginner to expert as you learn fabric choices, thread choices, hooping, stabilizers, and techniques. Embroidery machine required - all makes and models are invited. If you don't have an embroidery machine, you are welcome to use one of ours.

Monthly design CD and kit purchase required, payable at registration.

Class fee \$23 per session

May:

Thursday 24th, 9 AM-12 PM

OR Friday 25th, 1-4 PM

June:

Thursday 28th, 9 AM-12 PM

OR Friday 29th, 1-4 PM

July:

Thursday 26th, 9 AM-12 PM

OR Friday 27th, 1-4 PM

August:

Thursday 30th, 9 AM-12 PM

OR Friday 31st, 1-4 PM



E.A.T. Group (Exploring Advanced Techniques) meets monthly to share machine techniques. If you enjoy researching and trying new things with fabric and would like to share your work in progress and creative techniques, please come. Membership is free.

Please call Sherry to register at 607-592-5235.

Meets the third Monday of every month at Quilters Corner from 1-3 PM.



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ROW BY ROW Worldwide Summer-long Shop Hop



This is the easiest shop hop ever: no need to sign up or buy a passport, just start hopping! Visit any participating shop between June 21 and September 4 and collect a free pattern for one row

in a Row by Row Sew Musical quilt. This summer there are participating shops in all 50 states and in Canada, so plan your summer travels accordingly! A prize of 25 fat quarters will be awarded by each participating shop to the first person to bring a completed quilt using at least eight different rows into their store on or before October 31, 2018. Each shop will offer a BONUS PRIZE if that winning quilt includes that shop's row in its design. If you are the first person to bring your finished quilt into Quilters Corner and you've included our row in your quilt, you will not only receive the 25 fat quarters, but a \$25 gift certificate to Quilters Corner as well!

Did you know?

Quilters Corner welcomes groups



What you can expect:

- Open early to accommodate your schedule
- Goodie bags for everyone
- Light snacks provided
- Extra staff on hand to provide assistance
- Demonstrations provided upon request

Give us a call to see what dates are available for an outing your group will talk about for a long time:
(607)266-0850.

The minimum group size is ten.