



Workshops

Workshops can be held using any of Border Creek Station patterns. Content and direction will be discussed to suite your group's specific requirements. Please refer to the complete list of BCS Patterns available. All students must have a purchased BCS Pattern specific to the workshop being taught.

Workshops with Border Creek Station patterns will involve:

- Precision piecing – making it perfect every time with tips, hints and how to's on measurements and trimming.
- Understanding the assembly process specific to that pattern
- Working with and understanding pieced border theory and how it relates to the quilt
- Colour theory, discussions on fabric choices – what does it do to your quilt?
- Pattern personalization and beyond – when and how to make changes
- Teaching of any techniques and/or tools required for pattern(s) selected

Patterns that include appliqué:

Patterns that involve appliqué will be taught using Sherri's version of 2 techniques – “Making Appliqué Simple” with invisible machine and fusible web and making bias stems. Hand techniques can also be taught but arrangements must be made in advance.

With over 10 years of teaching weekly quilting classes, I like to make quilting fun and fulfilling for all participants with the presentation of new and easy techniques, sharing of tips, hints and tools that will help keep it easy and perfect. Something for everyone, no matter what their experience level may be.

Lecture / Trunk Show

- **A Journey of a Quilter (or Threads that Bind):** With over 40 quilts to share (including a few of my own antique collection), viewers are taken through a personal journey from quilter, teacher to designer. It is truly a ride of discovery from childhood's fascination with quilts, the love of fabric, friends and definitely the craft. (45 minutes – 1 hour).
- **Settings & Borders:** Are you ready to set those blocks into a design of your own? The importance of balance in a quilt's visual space, how to keep it simple when decoding the math and some basic rules of thumb of quilt designing. Getting it all together in a unique and personal way is key to Sherri's distinctive teaching style – there is always a way to process your creative thoughts and ideas into a finished project just let your imagination soar! Includes a multi-page handout for all.
Note: With over 35 quilts to demonstrate with. (This lecture is not easy to keep under 45 minutes and requires more concentrated thinking from the audience).

BCS Mystery Quilt Club

Mystery Club Reveal or Launch: Attendance for the promotion of the BCS Mystery Quilt Club for Quilt Reveals or Launches of the program can be arranged as appearances only available for shops that are participating in the BCS Mystery Quilt Club in conjunction with a Trunkshow and/or Workshops. Relevant fees would apply for any added events.

Please feel free to discuss your groups' needs for a workshop designed specifically for you.

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Fees for Lectures and Workshops

Trunkshow/Lecture Fee: \$275 (plus HST and applicable expenses)

Trunk shows last approximately one hour + Q&A and will be illustrated with many quilts.

Please note that all lectures are illustrated with actual quilts, not slides. I will need 3-4 volunteers to hold quilts and 2 tables to lay quilts on.

Pattern Sales: A table and chair are required to accommodate the display and sale of Border Creek Station patterns. All Patterns are individually priced and will be sold at retail prices including HST where applicable. Border Creek Station has Retail business licenses to do so. Guilds will not profit from the sale of any patterns.

Workshop Fee: \$500 plus expenses (plus HST and applicable expenses)

Attendance for all workshops is limited to 18 students. There will be a charge of \$15 for each additional student. Workshops are scheduled for a full day session of 6 hours with a break in the middle for lunch unless otherwise specified or agreed upon. Each student must have an original copy of the appropriate Border Creek Station pattern for the workshop. One original copy will be provided only to paying class participants as part of their workshop fee. Due to copyright violations, photocopying of any BCS pattern or any supplementary handout is not permissible unless consent has been given. Lectures and Workshops can be combined for consecutive days. Sherri is responsible for sending any necessary supply lists for classes/workshops.

Expenses:

Mileage: Round-trip mileage is required at the rate of \$0.42/km which is lower than the current federal rate. Mileage will be calculated by Google Maps from 1091 Kilworthy Road to the event, unless otherwise arranged.

Lodging: If your guild or shop is within 100 km of Kilworthy, ON no lodging will be required, except in the event of bad weather. If your guild or shop is more than 100 km of Newmarket, ON lodging may be required at the expense of the guild or shop unless Sherri declines of her own accord. Lodging can be a secure hotel or billeted with an approved guild member. Pets (cats or dogs) and allergies are not a concern when considering lodging.

Airfare: Airfare and all related expenses shall be booked by either the guild or shop or Sherri, at the expense of the guild or shop and will be paid immediately upon booking. Airfare arrangements must be discussed and agreed upon by Sherri first before the booking is confirmed.

Cancellation:

A signed copy of this contract must be returned to confirm any tentative dates set. If for any reason the guild or shop needs to cancel this contract (without rebooking) within 30 days from the initial request time, there will be no cancellation fee. If the guild cancels after 30 days, the guild will be responsible for paying a \$50.00 cancellation fee. If there are conditions beyond our control (blizzard, hurricane, death in the family, etc.) the contract may be terminated without a penalty payment assessed by either party. A rescheduling of the program may be an option.

If this contract meets with your approval, please sign and return one copy of this contract to Sherri Hisey.

Please retain a second copy for your records.

Agreed and Signed by:

Guild/Shop Name:

Print Name: _____

Phone No.: _____

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Border Creek Station Trunk Shows, Lectures & Workshops Contract

A signed copy of this document must be part of any agreement between Sherri Hisey and your group. ALL requested information must be filled out, signed by you, and returned to Border Creek Station no later than 60 days prior to Sherri's departure for your venue. Please contact Sherri to set preliminary dates and to reserve your spot in Sherri's schedule. However, her schedule may change without notice until a contract is received. - Thank you.

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Guild/Organization: _____

Representative(s): _____

Mailing Address: _____

City, Prov/State: _____ PC/Zip: _____

Contact Phone: _____ Contact Cell: _____

This contract is entered into between abovementioned guild or organization and Sherri Hisey, Border Creek Station.

The contract is for the following: **Total mileage:** (no HST) _____

LOCATION of LECTURE: Please include name of building, street address, PC/zip and phone number:

Date: _____ Lecture Name: _____

Meeting Time - Start: _____ am/pm. I kindly request that our lecture take place before the meeting's break.

Location: _____

LOCATION of WORKSHOP: Please include name of building, street address, PC/zip and phone number:

Date: _____ Workshop: _____

Workshop Time - Start: _____ am/pm Finish: _____ am/pm Is lunch provided or brought by students?

Location: _____

LOCATION of LODGING: Please include name, street address, PC/zip and phone number:

Date: _____ Name: _____ Phone: _____

Location: _____

Special Instructions: _____

Cost: Lecture: \$ _____	(+HST) Workshop: \$ _____	(+HST) Mileage: \$ _____ (No HST)
Expenses: \$ _____	HST: \$ _____	Total: \$ _____

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