



UFO Challenge 2026

Welcome to another fun filled year of completing some of those UFO's (UnFinished Objects) that we all have laying around. This is our second year for the Polka Dot Pincushion UFO Challenge. The intention for this challenge is to have fun and finish up some of the projects we have in our sewing rooms.

It is \$10 to participate and \$10 for each project you do NOT complete in the month it is chosen. You will have 1 freebie to use as you see fit throughout the year. If you need to drop out for any reason, there is a \$10 penalty. All monies collected are used to purchase prizes at the end of the year.

Our guidelines are simple:

1. Create a list of 14 UFO's. They can be in any state of completion. Use the provided sheet or create your own list. Post your list in our private Facebook group within 2 weeks of joining. We will only draw 12 numbers, the 14 just adds a little additional mystery.
 - a. Define what you intend to complete if that number is drawn. If you have large projects, we suggest breaking them up over 1 or more numbers if completing it would be stressful. YOU DEFINE WHAT COMPLETED LOOKS LIKE!
 - b. This can also be related to organization of your sewing space.
2. At midnight of the last day of the month starting December 31, we will spin the wheel for a new number. The project that you have on that number is the project that must be completed by Midnight on the 1st day of the next month.
3. You must post a Beginning Picture of your project after the number is drawn. In the description, please include the number it coincides with. (Helpful Tip: Take a picture of the project with a number next to it as you are making your list at the beginning of the year.) If you want to work ahead, feel free but do not post the pictures or numbers until it has been drawn to help reduce confusion.
4. Once you have completed your project based on what you wrote on your list, post a completed photo before Midnight on the 1st of the following month. If you do not post the photo by Midnight, you will be responsible for the penalty fee or use your freebie.

You may swap 1 time throughout the year. If a number is drawn and you can't work on it for any reason, you can swap it with another number that has not been drawn on your list.

Continuing this year – We will have a “bonus” challenge once per quarter! There will be no penalty if you don't complete it, but you will get a bonus entry in the prizes if you do!

Once you have registered with the shop, you will get an invite to our private Facebook group – 2026 Polka Dot Pincushion UFO Challenge.