

Weekly News & Updates

Fabric Painting with Clorinda is now available via Zoom!

We had such a great time and an excellent turnout for Clorinda's first class on fabric painting at Firefly Cellars. At the end of the class, we all looked like artists. As someone commented on Facebook - it was a great teacher who taught us the techniques for effective shading. If you want to participate in this class we are now hosting a session via Zoom on September 19th.

We have fabric kits and colored pencils available for purchase or you can use your stash. We will send a PDF document with Zoom guidelines, patterns, and a supply list closer to the class. For this class, the supply list is fairly light and easily obtained.

On the day of the event, grab your favorite beverage, and all your materials and dial in via Zoom. We look forward to meeting everyone and seeing what you create.



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Calendar

- August 27 Private In-Store Guild Event
- September 2 11am -Saturday Sampler - Joyce Carrier Collage Trunk Show
- September 7-9 The Great Wisconsin Quilt Show in Madison, Wisconsin
- September 14-17 -Pennsylvania National Quilt Extravaganza in Oaks, PA
- September 16th National Sew A Jelly Roll Day
- September 19th- Virtual Fabric Painting Class
- September 23rd Collage Quilt Class with Joyce at Firefly Cellars
- September 28-30 Original Sewing and Quilting Expo in Fredericksburg, VA
- October 4, 14 and 20 Spicy Spiral Table Runner

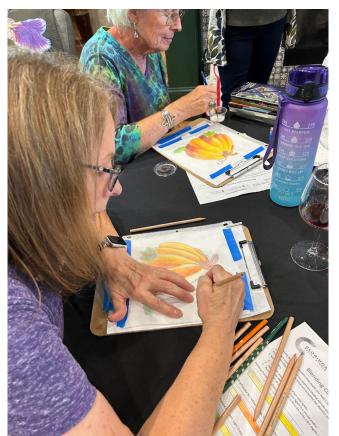
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Pictures from the event.







Attend Virtual Class



New Fabric

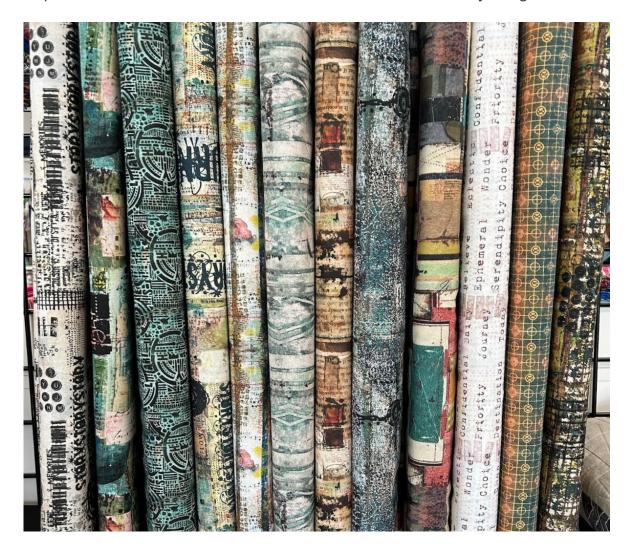
We had lots of new fabric arrive this week. Our friend at Fedex was tired of seeing us by the end of the week. We highlight some of the new fabric below and will feature more next week.

Storyboard by Seth Apter for FreeSpirit

Every artist is a storyteller and each creation is a chapter. With each new artwork by a maker, their own unique story unfolds.

Storyboard, Seth's first collection with FreeSpirit, tells his story. It reflects his journey as an artist, in all its layers. The collection pulls images from work he has made over time and therefore is a snapshot of his creative evolution. The designs are representative of the core elements of his work, which is typically abstract, textural, grungy and distressed, colorfully muted, deeply layered, and filled with text - used both as a design element and an expression of meaning. Storyboard represents hi beliefs that more is more, the littlest detail makes the biggest impact, there is beauty in the imperfections, and you are always only one layer away from magic.

Complete collections are available for order as well as individual yardage.



Order Storyboard

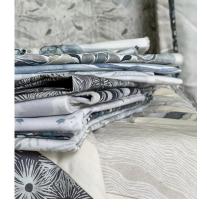
Sea Sisters by Shell Rummell for FreeSpirit Fabrics

Shell's latest collection Sea Sisters celebrates the ocean - with its changing colors, fluid movement and shoreline surprises. This is her constant Muse. This collection honors the many women in her life who love and value the depth of beauty in the coastline as much as she does. "We are connected through small moments, conversations and shared admiration. I am often in awe of their talents, especially when my fabrics become part of something more. I hope these organic, modern coastal patterns of waves, tidelines and ocean elements that all originate from my watercolor paintings, speak to my Sea Sisters near and far and inspire and spark their own boundless creativity."



This complete collection is available now in Yard, Half- Yard and Fat Quarter bundles as well as yardage. The pattern for the Tuffet is also available.







Order Tuffet Pattern

Order Sea Sisters



Order Lakeside Gatherings

Lakeside Gatherings by Primitive Gatherings for Moda

There is nothing like living on the shores of a lake to make one appreciate its subtle beauty. Blues go from dark shades to brilliant hues as clouds pass by. The sandy colored shoreline remains constant, bringing life to the lake, such as birds and children who splash about. And through the winter, the lake's silence creates a sense of peace that is truly mesmerizing. "Watching the daily changing of the seasons from my sewing studio was the inspiration for Lakeside Gatherings – I wanted to capture the warm and bright colors of summer, as well as the cold serenity of wintertime in a flannel line to inspire guilts of all shapes and sizes perfect for breezy afternoons or cold winter nights."









Lakeside Gathering



Wool Scrap Bundles from Moda

We received mystery wool scrap bundles from Moda. Each bag contains a 1/2 pound of wool that is perfect for your next wool project. Looking for something to make? Grab a **Spring or Summer Woolies Pattern**.





Order Scrap Bundles

Order Woolies Kit

National Jelly Roll Day is September 16th - what are you making?

Check out our display of Jelly Rolls and Jelly Roll friendly patterns for inspiration. Pick up a jelly roll and check out the patterns from Moda here or the patterns available on our website.

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What is your favorite Jelly Roll Pattern?

Jelly Roll Race

Trip Around the World

Infinite Hearts

Lucky Log Cabin

Happy Stripes

Order a Jelly Roll



Friends of Franklin Park Arts Center Fabric Challenge Exhibit

We are sponsoring this Fabric Challenge in partnership with Franklin Park Arts Center. Buy a Fat Quarter from the store and incorporate it into you own artwork. Be sure to register your purchase when you submit your piece on the webfabrics site for a \$5 coupon.

Artists in all mediums are invited to submit artwork. The art can be anything from quilted pieces to mixed media creations.

Complete your piece and the on-line entry form on the FPAC website. The entry fee is \$20.00 per artist. You can submit up to three pieces.

Cash prizes and a surprise swag bag from Webfabrics will be awarded in the following categories:

- Best in Show
- Most Creative Integration of Fat Quarter fabric
- Friends Choice (selected by Friends of Franklin Park)

Drop off your artwork at FPAC:

- Monday, September 25th, 9:00 am 4:30 pm
- Tuesday, September 26th, 9:00 am 4:30 pm

Exhibit dates: September 28 - October 29, 2023

Pick up artwork from FPAC - Monday, October 30, 9:00 am - 4:30 pm

Fabric Challenge

Saturday Sampler - Joyce Carrier Trunk Show Collage

LOCATION

Webfabrics, 116 N. Bailey Lane Suite A, Purcellville, VA

DATE AND TIME

09/02/23 11:00am - 09/02/23 12:00pm US/Eastern

Saturday Sampler featuring Joyce Carrier.

I'll Be There!

Maybe

I Can't Make It

Collage Class with Joyce Carrier

Come join us for another exciting fabric art class. Joyce will be teaching this Kingfisher Collage Class. You will learn to make



this bird. Joyce will discuss the techniques she uses to create a template from a photo to allow you to create more collages from your favorite photos.

This class includes a fabric kit with all the material to make this project. You will need to bring your favorite pair of sharp scissors, mechanical pencil and a stiletto.

Register for Class



Spicy Spiral Table Runner with Suzanne Miller Jones

Back by popular demand and just in time for your holiday decorating, Suzanne is teaching the Spicy Spiral Table Runner class. This table runner is double-sided. You will learn to create the strata and the method for cutting using the wedge ruler. As this is double-sided you will learn how to.make a double-sided binding. Suzanne is a patient teacher who will guide you to success.

We look forward to seeing you in class.



Register for Class

Clorinda Fresquez-Tria will be teaching a series Mixed Media Art class at Firefly Cellars.





The next session will focus on using Crayons on fabric. For this class you will create a fall leaf pattern and learn the difference with crayons. This medium adds a different look to your project. Join us at Firefly Cellars again on October 15th.

We will offer a virtual session if there is interest.

*Note we are doing a series of sessions exploring different mediums.



Sign Up





Social Media

Do you follow us on Facebook, Instagram, or YouTube? We use social media between the newsletters to share quick updates with videos and pictures. We also announce changes in the store and online. This is the fastest way for us to get news to you.

In inclement weather, we will update a banner on our website and a post on social media for any changes to our operating hours. Please check before driving out if there is any question related to the weather.

Help us grow our audience - share with friends, family, and others. We continue to spread the news about the changes at Webfabrics, including the reopening of our Brick-and-Mortar shop.





Thank you for your continued support.

Keep Sewing,

Bev and Sydney

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