

Crazy To Quilt Shop



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QUILTING and SEWING CLASSES Fall 2009

September Classes & Events

Creative Essence Quilted Wall Hanging

September 1, 8, 15 and 22; 10am to 3pm. Bring Lunch.

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$105

This beautiful sampler quilted wall hang is a great way to learn about the fun features of your computer sewing/embroidery machine. Each square will introduce you to exciting techniques like; machine appliqué, crazy patch, wing needle work or pin-tucks you can create right on your sewing machine. Work with your built-in stitches, accessory feet, a bit of glitz and your embroidery unit. Try a new stabilizer or different stitch design. This quilt has lots of opportunity to make it all your own.

Finished size is approximately 26".

Basic machine operation knowledge required.

Crazy Curves by Elisa Wilson

September 12, 2009 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$15

Instructor Cheryl Peck will show you how to use Elisa Wilson's technique & templates to create blocks. She will demonstrate step by step cutting and sewing directions. You will then practice what Cheryl demonstrated to create blocks that you can use in one of the 20 new quilt patterns in Elisa's book or for a simple little table topper.

Baggy Buddies: Bali Bags

September 15, 2009 from 1:00 PM to 5:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$25 + materials & pattern

Club meets monthly to make a different bag. Take 5 classes and get the 6th one free!

Embroidery Chicks

September 17, 2009 from 1 – 3 PM and 6:30 – 8:30PM

Pre-registration and payment required for participation.

Topic to be announced.

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Spring Tea Applique

September 15 and 29, 2009 at 6-8 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$35 plus materials

Visions of spring bouquets dancing in your heads will come to life while you are stitching this charming wall hanging. This project looks difficult but it is quite simple. Learn basic appliqué and rouching. Appliqué will be shown 3 ways: fusing, needle turn, and 3D. Come join us and watch your spring bouquet bloom.

Charm Party Tote

September 5 & 19, 2009 from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee \$25

This is a great bag made using 5" squares, known as "Charm Packs". The bag is about 11" x 14" and is 4" deep. The bag is fully lined with two roomy pockets on the inside, and a cut envelope shaped pocket on the outside for keys.

Bento Box

September 24 & Oct. 1, 2009 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$25

Shop model quilt approx. 48in x 60in Pattern includes 12 new quilt top designs and cutting instructions for 3in, 4.5in, 6in, 7.5in, & 9in blocks allowing you to make this quilt in a variety of sizes.

Machine Applique'

September 26, 2009 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$15

Learn how to do machine applique to make a simple wall hanging.

Free Motion Quilting

September 26, 2009 from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Skill Level: Beginner

Class Fee: \$25

Learn the basics of free motion quilting from a pro, Joyce Kuehl. You will have plenty of time during the class to learn and practice this exciting and fun technique of machine quilting.

October Classes & Events

Kids Beginning Sewing Class Level 1

Begins October 1, 2009 from 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM (Meets monthly on the 1st Thursday)

Skill Level: For kids, ages 8 to 11 who have had very little or no sewing experience

Class Fee: \$15/month includes all materials for project but does not include the book.

The group meets once a month to do kid-friendly projects that are fun and teach them how to sew. Most of the projects are from *Best of Sewing Machine Fun for Kids Book*, which each student is required to bring to class. The group is small so that each child can get the attention and support they need. Each new project builds on skills learned the previous month. Games, puzzles, and stitching practice in the

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book, for them to work on between classes, increase their sewing knowledge and abilities.

Peeled Back Patchwork: Curves without Piecing

October 10, 2009 from 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$15

Dimensional effects and secondary patterns are a bonus as you learn to make complex-looking designs through this technique. Cheryl will demonstrate then help you do a practice block.

Jo's Little Womens Club

starts October 10, 2009 from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

meets the 2nd Saturday of the month

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$40

Since JLW Club 9 is not ready yet, we have decided to use several favorite projects that were offered in Jo's early Little Women Clubs, and have been included in her book "Yesterday's Charm". We are going to set the club up with 4 sessions, and hope by the first of the year, Jo will have Club 9 ready to go. The projects are mostly pieced, except that Prairie Basket does have an appliqué center. Members will be required to purchase at least 2 yards of Jo's fabric.

Baggy Buddies: Texture Magic Tote

Oct 12 from 1 - 5 PM

OR

Oct 14 from 5 - 9 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$25 + materials & pattern

Club meets monthly to make a different bag. Take 5 classes and get the 6th one free!

Kids Beginning Sewing Class Level 2

Begins October 15, 2009 from 4:00 PM to 5:30 PM (Meets monthly on the 3rd Thursday)

Skill Level: For kids, ages 10-13. Must have taken Level 1 or have prior sewing experience.

Class Fee: \$15/month includes all materials for project but does not include the book.

The group meets once a month to do kid-friendly projects that are fun and teach them how to sew.

Many of the projects are from Best of Sewing Machine Fun for Kids Book that they purchased if they took Level 1. The group is small so that each child can get the attention and support they need.

Embroidery Chicks

October 15, 2009 from 1 - 3 PM and 6:30 - 8:30PM

Pre-registration and payment required for participation.

Topic to be announced.

Teens Sewing Club

Begins October 17, 2009 from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM

The group meets once a month to do teen-friendly projects that are fun and will improve their sewing skills. Each new project builds new skills and sewing confidence. For kids, ages 13-16. Must have taken Level 1 and 2 or be able to sew a straight line and operate their machine independently.

Schedule: 3rd Saturday 9 AM-noon

Class Fee: \$20 includes all materials and patterns

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Never The Same Twice Jacket

October 17, 2009 from 1:00 - 4:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv Beginner

Class Fee: \$20

Pattern for a fully reversible jacket featuring a kimono sleeve and a loose boxy cut. A variety of asymmetric closure options, embellishments and fabric combinations allow for individual creativity and diversity. Sizes S-XL. Bring a sack lunch and any snackies you might want and get set for a fun day!

Introduction To Paper Piecing

October 21, 2009 from 5:30 - 8 PM

If you have been hesitant about jumping in and giving paper piecing a try, this class is the perfect place to start. Class Fee: \$15 + materials.

T-shirt Quilt class

October 22 & November 5th, 2009 from 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$25 + pattern and materials

Take all those T-shirts that have significance in your life and turn them into a memory quilt!

Emerald Forest Quilt

October 26, 2009 from 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM

Skill Level: Beginner

Class Fee \$35

This gorgeous quilt was designed by Suzanne McNeill while she was traveling Bali. The design and movement is unique and fun to make. Great Quilt Pattern for MODA Jelly Rolls or Bali Pops.

Beginner Table Runner Class

October 31 and November 7, 2009 from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM (must attend both sessions)

Learn the basics of rotary cutting, quilt construction, straight line machine quilting, and binding while you make a pretty table runner. Skill Level: Beginner. Class Fee: \$35 + materials.

November Classes

Sew Fine Jacket

November 28, 2009 from 9 AM – Noon

Skill Level: Adv Beginner

Class Fee: \$20

Fast & easy to make, you'll see for yourself just how fine the Sew Fine Jacket is! Pattern includes sizes 4 - 22. The gentle curves & comfort of this simply pieced Sew Fine Jacket will have you making more than one in no time at all!

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Pocket Parade

November 30, 2009 from 5:00 PM to 9:00 PM

Skill Level: Adv. Beginner

Class Fee: \$25

Pocket Parade is fully lined with pockets on the inside, and four pockets on the outside too! Loads of pockets to carry just about anything! It is also designed to be used as a diaper bag. Approx. 12" tall x 12" wide x 6" deep.

Skill Level Definitions:

Beginner Level:

Entry level, does not require any prior training although it is better if you have taken our beginner table runner class to learn the basics. Classes at this level are designed to give those who have had training in the basics more practice and review of these skills. This level requires no previous experience in technique, but does require basic knowledge of machine or computer for computer-related classes.

Advanced Beginner:

A beginner level project but participants must be at the point where they are comfortable in the use of the rotary cutter and of their sewing accuracy. Participants may be asked to do the cutting prior to class and will likely have to complete part of the quilt outside class time. This class may introduce a technique that is beyond the basic quilting techniques but still at the beginner level. This level assumes a full understanding of sewing or embroidery machines with some basic experience in quilting or garment construction. For computer classes at this level, some digitizing experience and basic knowledge of computer terms is helpful.

Advanced:

Requires that the participants be proficient at the basic quilting skills (i.e. use of rotary cutter, straight & accurate seams, pressing without stretching, understand common quilting terms and know how to assemble common blocks such as half square triangle, pinwheel, flying geese). This class may introduce a technique that is beyond the basic quilting techniques and beyond beginner level. This level is for those looking to further and refine their technique. A full understanding of garment construction, quilting and sewing terms is assumed. For software classes, this level would also include knowing basic software and digitizing terms.

Class Guidelines:

Pre-registration is required for all classes. There are no refunds unless someone registers to take your place or for some reason the class is cancelled.

When you pay for a class, you will receive a list of the supplies you will need to bring to class. Models of class projects are on display in the shop. Don't forget, you can have a quilt you made in a Crazy to Quilt class quilted by Quilting Like Crazy at a 10% discount. There are many beautiful examples of their work throughout our shop.