



Upcoming Class / Event Schedule

Fall Corn Maze Starts October 12

Join us during the 2017 Fall Corn Maze for our "Dress Your Table for the Holidays" theme event. Follow the Mao through the MAZE to collect a FREE pattern from each of the five participating shops that will help you celebrate the holidays. Each shop will host demos, showcase beautiful holiday decorations, and provide you with lots of gifts, entertaining and much more.

Get your Corn Maze Punch Card and Map stamped at all of the five participating quilt shops during the event and get registered to win these great prizes:

- Grand Prize: \$75 Gift Cards from each shop (a \$375 value)
- 2nd Place Prize: Holiday Stars Quilt Bundle (a \$150 value from Ashby Sewing Machine Co.)
- 3rd Place Prize: \$25 Gift Cards from each shop (a \$125 value)

You can also register for a Gift Basket (a \$100 value) at each shop. Be sure to pick up your FREE pattern (with the option of purchasing kits) and a goodie bag during this fun event.

- Cottontail Quilts
- Red Hen Stitch Shop
- Sew Main Street
- Stitch 'n Quilt
- Tiny Stitches

Paper Pieced Star Block of the Month

Sign Up soon for this beautiful new Block of the Month (BOM) starting in November. This is a 6-month program which is structured a bit different than a normal BOM. The monthly fee of \$22 will cover your pattern/papers and the class fee. You can purchase the Fabric Kit (fabric shown in the sample) for \$84 or you can use your own fabric. Fabric Kit must be pre-ordered and supplies are limited. (Fabric Kit includes fabric for your 12 blocks but does not include finishing kit.) **If you are new to paper piecing, you will be taught how to paper piece during this class.** Sign up soon as space is limited.

Instructor: Debby Schneider

Cost: \$22 Per Month (Includes Pattern & Papers)

Dates:

- Tuesday, Nov. 14 (12 - 3)
- Tuesday, Dec. 12 (12 - 3)
- Tuesday, Jan. 9 (12 - 3)
- Tuesday, Feb. 13 (12 - 3)
- Tuesday, Mar. 13 (12 - 3)
- Tuesday, Apr. 10 (12 - 3)

Paper Piecing with Friends

Looking for a great place to sit and work on your paper piecing project with others who love the technique? Look no further because we have the place for you! Here is how easy it is:

- Reserve your spot
- Bring your favorite paper piecing project (one you are currently working on or start a new one)

The cost is only \$5 to reserve your spot. (This is not an instructor lead class but we have ladies available who have been paper piecing for years. It's a great place to have fun and get some paper piecing tips from others.) The Paper Piecing with Friends events start at 10:00 a.m. and goes until 4:00 p.m. Here is the next Paper Piecing with Friends:

- No Paper Piecing with Friends in October
- Thursday, November 2

Call the shop at 678-355-6776 or stop in soon to reserve your spot. This class fills up fast so sign up soon.

Sip & Sew Events

Be sure to sign up soon for our next Sip & Sew event (see below). Sip & Sew runs from **10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.** The cost is \$5.00. Be sure to bring something to "sip" on and enjoy a day of sewing.

- Thursday, September 21
- Thursday, October 26
- Thursday, November 9

Be sure to stop in or call to reserve your spot as space is limited. Our number is 678-355-6776

Upcoming Classes

Introduction to Hand Wool Appliqué

Date: Tuesday, October 3 (10 - 4)

Cost: \$40

Instructor: Kathy Gaffney

Have you always wanted to make those adorable wool projects but didn't know how to make the necessary stitches (or not like the way you currently stitch)? During this fun class you are able to pick your favorite kit from a huge selection. Sign up soon as space will be limited.

* Feathered Star Workshop (3-Part)

Dates: October 5, 6 & 7 (10-4)

Cost: \$120

Instructor: Carol Stanek (a Judy Niemeyer Certified Instructor)

You will love making this gorgeous Feathered Star quilt taught by a certified Judy Niemeyer instructor. Make either the 60" x 60" wall size quilt or the queen size...your choice. (More information to come...)

Seasonal Stained Glass Wall Hanging

Date: Tue., Oct. 24 (10 - 4)

Cost \$40

Instructor: Pat Wilson

Have you always wanted to make a beautiful "stained glass" wall hanging? Now you can during this very informational class. You will learn many tips and hints that aren't included in most patterns or books.

Collage Class (2-Part Class)

Dates: Monday, October 30 (10-12) & November 6 (10-4)

Cost: \$40

Instructors: Karen Gilbreath & Theresa Bradley

Have you seen those adorable "collage" quilts and always wanted to make one? Now you can. Select for a variety of patterns by Laura Heine which can be purchased at Cottontail Quilts. Sign up soon as space is limited.

Binding 101

Date: Wednesday, November 1 (10 - 1)

Cost: \$35 (Includes Class Kit)

Instructor: Muriel Pfaff

Learn the technique of bias double-fold binding - crisp corners, machine or hand finishes - while making a cute "Three Pocket Purse". Class will also include a discussion of other binding techniques such as mock bindings and "pillow turn" bindings. Rather than working on a quilt, students will work on attaching bias binding to an 18" square of pre-quilted fabric. This will ensure that everyone completes turning four corners and finishes off the ends. (Kit fabric may vary from photo below.)

Beyond Beginning Quilting (4-Part Class) *ONE SPACE REMAINING

Dates: Wed., Nov. 8, Nov. 15, Nov. 29, Dec. 6 and Dec. 13 (10 - 1)

Cost: \$85

Instructor: Muriel Pfaff

A series of five 3-hour classes designed as the "next step" for those who have finished their first quilt and are eager to learn more. Brush up on piecing skills while working on a sampler quilt and learning techniques for making Quarter-Square Triangles, Flying Geese, Square-In-A-Square blocks, and more. Learn simple design and setting techniques including sashings, straight set, on point set, and medallion set - each student will select their own quilt setting. Size of quilt made in class will depend on the setting chosen. Attending the Beginner Quilting/Piecing series or knowledge of piecing is required.

Beginning Paper Piecing * NEW CLASS

Date: Saturday, November 11 (10 - 4)

Cost: \$40

Instructor: Lisa Showalter

Have you always wanted to learn how to make those stunning paper pieced quilts? Now you can during this fun Beginning Paper Piecing class. You can select from several patterns by A Very Special Collection (available at Cottontail Quilts). ADDITIONAL PATTERNS AVAILABLE.

Vinyl Mesh Market Tote Bag

Date: Thursday, November 16 (12 - 3)

Cost: \$25

Instructor: Lisa Showalter

Learn how to make a great Market Totes during this fun class. These bags are perfect for everything and make great gifts. Warning...you can't stop at one tote! You will want to make a lot of these for friends, family and yourself.

Judy (Neimeyer) "Playtime"

Date: Saturday, December 2 (10-4)

Cost: \$15

Certified Instructor on Hand: Carol Stanek

Have you been working on a Judy Neimeyer pattern that you simply need some help with? Starting a new Neimeyer pattern and not sure where to start? Sign up soon for a fun-filled day of working on your Judy Neimeyer projects. The best part? You will have a certified instructor on hand to help you if you need it. If you don't, it's a great time to work on your project with other people working on the same type of patterns.

Beginning Quilting/Piecing (6-Part Class) * **NEW CLASS**

Dates: "Plan It" - Wednesday, January 3 (10:00 - 12:00)

"Cut It" - Wednesday, January 10 (10:00 - 12:00)

"Sew It" - Wednesday, January 17 (10:00 - 1:00)

"Square It" - Wednesday, January 24 (10:00 - 12:00)

"Border It" - Wednesday, January 31 (10:00 - 12:00)

"Quilt It" - Wednesday, February 7 (10:00 - 1:00)

Cost: \$100 (All Six Classes) or \$25 Per Individual Class

Instructor: Muriel Pfaff

A comprehensive machine piecing/quilting class geared to beginners and those wishing to improve their piecing/quilting skills. Students may select individual classes if they only need to practice certain skills, or take the entire series. Everyone that takes the series will end up with an attractive lap-size quilt (approximately 48" X 66"). The series does not include a binding class.

*Note: All classes are non-refundable if cancelled within two weeks of the class date. Classes noted with an **asterisk (*)** are non-refundable after sign-up.*

*****Watch our Website and future E-Blasts for more class updates!*****

Additional class information can be seen at <http://www.cottontailquiltshop.com/classes.htm>.