

August 2013



Events

Cal-Co Quilters' Guild A Quilter's Harvest

Sept. 7 9-5
Sept. 8 10-4

More than 200 Quilts
Vendors & Drawing for a Quilt

Admission \$6.00

Marshall Activities Center
15325 W. Michigan Ave.
Marshall

We will not be vending at the show but
will open at 9:00 Saturday and 11:00 Sunday
for your convenience

Quilt Market in Portland was full of wonderful fabric and ideas as usual. Much of it is here by now so the shelves are packed.

When we were in Washington State for Greg's wedding in March, we found quite a few hand crank machines. We had to leave them there since we flew out but I drove to Market and brought them back with me. There are still five left so come and see them.

It seems that I missed an entire newsletter due to a wonderful couple of months full of visits from children and grandkids. I'll try to do better now that life is settling down a bit.

We will be starting another Beginning Quilting class in January. For those of you who know the basics but want to continue on, the Next Step is starting in October.

Two of the crew here at the shop are moving. Diane sold her house and has already moved to Florida and Gail will be moving to Wyoming in the near future. They will both be greatly missed.

Be sure to plan a trip to the shop Dec. 6, 7 or 8. That weekend is our 10th anniversary and we will be celebrating!

Karen

Kari Ruedisale is continuing to pick up and deliver quilts on or about the fifth of every month so finish your quilts and bring them in to be quilted.

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Marshall Historic Home Tour Weekend

Come for the weekend and join in all the other
activities in town



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Regular Hours
Mon.-Sat. 10 - 5
Sun. 12-4



Classes

The Next Step...Jodie

So...you know how to use a rotary cutter, sew a scant $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam and lock your seams. Now you want to make half square triangles, flying geese, and square in a square blocks. Come make a sampler quilt with Jodie and learn all these and more.

Saturdays; October 5 & 26, November 2 & 16 from 10-4
\$75 plus book

Machine Quilting ...Joyce

Here are the basics of machine quilting. You will learn how to set up your machine, the needles, threads and notions to use and free motion stitching. There is ample time for hands on practice.

Saturday December 7 from 10-4
\$40

Paper Piecing Niemeyer Style

We will teach the pattern of your choice during the regular Judy Niemeyer workshop day.

Any second Thursday of the month from 10-4
\$40 for the first class

Be sure to let us know ahead of time if you will be starting your first Judy Niemeyer piece so we can help with color selection ahead of time.

Texture Magic Bag...Jodie

Choose one of three bag patterns that use Texture Magic and create a bag with a truly unique look.

Mondays, September 16 from 10-1 and September 30 from 10-4
\$30 plus pattern

Peace on Earth...Jodie

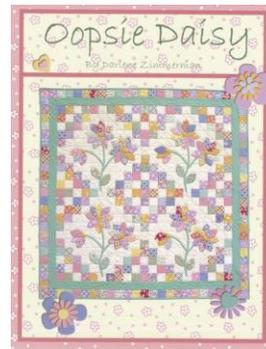
This small quilt by Kathy Schmitz has piecing, hand embroidery and crayon work. Join this class and have it finished by Christmas.

Mondays, September 22, October 7 & 21 from 10-1
\$45 plus pattern

Oopsie Daisy...Jodie

This pieced and appliquéd quilt pattern by Darlene Zimmerman is bright and happy made in 30's fabrics.

Fridays, September 20 & 27 from 10-3
\$60 plus pattern



Wool Ornaments...Jodie

Work along with Jodie to make these easy appliquéd and embroidered ornaments. The kit includes wool felt & embroidery floss to make three mittens and three stockings.

Wednesday September 25 from 10-1
\$15 plus kit



Circle Quilt...Denise Olson

Here is a new twist on a basic circle pattern quilt. This quilt as you go method is easy to make into any size and is reversible.

Saturday September 28 from 10-4
\$30 plus pattern



Raw Edge Machine Applique...Joyce

You will learn the basics of raw edge fusible applique while making the very popular Dancing Chickens pattern.

Friday October 18 from 10-4
\$40 plus pattern

Two Fabric Applique'...Joyce

Also known as Hawaiian Applique, these two fabric quilts are very distinctive. Come see the models and choose your pattern from the many we have available.

Tuesday October 22 from 10 - 4
\$40 plus pattern

Roly Poly Santa...Jodie



This darling wall hanging can be finished before Christmas!

Wed. November 6 from 10-4
\$30 plus pattern & materials

Is there a technique or project you want to learn that we don't have listed?

We will happily schedule a "class on demand" for three or more people. Talk to your friends and give us a call.

Monthly:

Hexagon Mania

English Paper Piecing or the Insanity Quilt

This is once again becoming popular and several new books have been released on new techniques. All English paper piecers are welcome to come in and stitch for an hour or all day. Some are making the Insanity Quilt (English paper piecing with $\frac{1}{2}$ " hexagons) but this certainly isn't a requirement.

Every first Wednesday from 10-4

Judy Niemeyer Workshop

Come in for help or encouragement on your Judy Niemeyer paper piecing patterns. If you are new to Judy's technique let us know ahead of time.

Every second Thursday from 10-4

Seasonal Silhouettes...Pat

The latest project for this group is from Edyta Sitar's latest book Seasonal Silhouettes. Sew along with them or bring your own project.

The second Saturday of every month from 10 - 4

NEW NEW...Starts in October

My Soul is Fed by Needle & Thread Stitching Society

This program has been developed by Amy McClellan of Under the Garden Moon. It meets monthly for wool applique' and embroidery lessons. There are small and large projects available, a wide range of applique designs and a large number of well diagramed embroidery stitches.

Come join us in October to learn more about it.

The third Sunday of every month from noon to 2 or later

Hospice Helpers

This group meets monthly to work on quilts for Oaklawn Hospital's Hospice program. Some cut, some sew and others put on binding or pick up a kit. Come and join them if you can.

The third Tuesday every month from noon to 4

Hospice can always use more help...what can you do?

Appliqué Circle...Joyce

Joyce loves appliqué and invites others who feel the same way to join her. Bring your own project and stitch for the day.

This is often a big group and they have a wonderful time. Come join the fun!

The third Wednesday of every month from 10 -4

