

March 2016



Events

Search for the Stars Shop Hop

April 14-23

All shops open until 7 pm on both Thursdays and
Fridays during the Hop

All full priced merchandise 16% off
Different star pattern free at each shop
\$5.00 passport

Pieces & Patches Quilt Guild Quilt Show Everything's Coming Up Quilts

Sat. May 14 9-5

Sun. May 15 noon-5

Jackson Catholic Middle School

915 Cooper St., Jackson

\$7.00 admission

<http://jacksonquiltguild.blogspot.com>

Save the date:

July 9 & 10

Cal-Co Quilters' Guild

Quilts in Bloom

Marshall High School

Holiday Hours

Closed

Easter, March 27th

Memorial Day, May 30

Mark your calendar for the Search for the Stars Shop Hop April 14 - 23rd. Eleven shops are participating in the hop and each one has a different star block to give you. Kits will be available for each block. All stores are offering a 16% discount on full priced merchandise for passport holders. This hop covers two weekends and all stores will be open until 7pm on both of the Thursdays and Fridays. Regular hours will be in effect the rest of the days. Passports are only \$5.00. Hope to see all of you!



A \$25 gift certificate will be drawn at each shop on April 23rd. Grand Prize...If you visit all eleven shops you will be entered in a drawing to win a \$110 gas card and a bundle of 5 ½ yards of fabric.

Our block...a variation on Indian Star

Row by Row starts June 21st. Our row isn't ready to show you yet but it's coming. If you use Facebook, follow the MI Row by Row Experience page for pictures of rows and other news.

We recently received Superior thread's silk ribbons for embellishment and also their variegated hand quilting threads.

Over the next two years we will receive 30 different 8 yard bolts of Hoffman's Watercolor Batiks every other month. These are the batiks without chops, just pure gorgeous color.

We will offer a FQ stack of all 30 for \$90 every time they come in. You do need to sign up for this option so we are sure to save a stack for you. Yes, you still get punches for this special price.

They are scheduled to start shipping in April so get your name on the list soon.

In June there is a new group starting to help finish some of those UFOs we all seem to have.

Hope to see you soon!

Karen

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Classes

Beginning Quilting...Nancy



Do you know someone who wants to learn to quilt or do you need to brush up on your basics?

Our beginning quilting class is a 25"x25" wall hanging or table topper that includes four patches and half square triangles. You will learn fabric selection, accurate cutting and piecing

a $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam. The number of blocks can be increased if you prefer a larger quilt. Hand quilting and binding the block is included in class.

Thursdays May 26, June 2 & 16, July 7

12:30-4

\$60 plus book

Paper Piecing Niemeyer Style...Joyce

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

The first Friday of the month from 10 - 4

\$40 for the first class

\$5 /day after taking the 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 and initial instruction ahead of time.

Applique by Hand or Machine...Sally

So many patterns use applique that it is almost a necessary technique to know. We are offering two classes in one! Machine applique will be covered in the morning and hand applique in the afternoon.

Tuesday May 22 from 10 - 4

\$40 plus book

Wool Applique Basics...Pat

Wool, wonderful wool. Learn the basics of wool applique. Choose your kit and stitch along to make your own mug rug. A variety of kits are available.

Saturday April 23 from 10-1

\$15 plus kit

Precut Workshop...Kathy

Come and work on your project from any issue of BLOCK magazine or any other book or pattern that uses precuts. Kathy will be there to assist if necessary or help you get started on a new project. It's always more fun to sew with others.

The first Wednesday of every month from 10-4

\$5.00/month



Circle Quilt...Denise

One of our most popular classes: this 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 April 30 from 10-4

\$35 plus pattern



Gypsy

Sampler...Vernita

Gypsy Sampler (60" x 81") -

Come learn and create a modern (or not so modern) sampler quilt using only 5" squares and a background fabric. During the two sessions we will go over some basic quilting techniques from the very beginning of

organizing your fabrics, using a rotary cutter, types of needles, threads and mastering the perfect $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam to some of the more advanced quilting skills. You will be a pro. Sew nine patches, cut and sew again to make some very intriguing blocks in this fun quilt. This is another great way to use up scraps or to create from fat quarters. All are welcome from the very novice to the very advanced quilter.

Saturdays May 1 & 21 from 10 - 4

\$60 plus pattern



Snappy Slippers...Kathy

Make a pair of slippers in your favorite fabrics.

Kathy has been wearing hers around the shop all winter!

Wednesday March 30 from 10-4

\$30 plus pattern



Pineapple Table Runner...Nancy

Learn how to make this stunning block. It's much easier with Creative Grid's Pineapple Trim Tool. Stop with the runner or go on to make an entire quilt.

Tuesday May 3 from 12:30-3:30

\$15

T Shirt Quilts...Sally

Want to make a T-shirt quilt but aren't sure how to do it? Come to Sally's class to learn how to tame those shirts and see options for arranging different sizes into a pleasing quilt.

Tuesday April 26 from 10-4

\$30

Monthly:

Woolies

Karen Penrod will be here from 10-? on the first Monday of every month to stitch on her wool projects. Everyone who loves wool, or thinks they might like to try it, is welcome to join her. This is not a class, but help, advice and inspiration will be plentiful.

The first Monday of every month from 10-4

English Paper Piecing and Zentangle

An unlikely pairing?? They are both hand work and all kinds of "do it by hand" projects are welcome.

The second Wednesday of every month 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 please let us know ahead of time.

In February, Friday the 26th

The first Friday of every month from 10 - 4

\$5.00/month

Second Saturday...Pat

Also known as Home Sweet Home

Anyone is welcome to attend this open sew and work on the project of their choice.

Some of these quilters are currently working on Lori Holt's Bloom quilt and a few kits are still available.

All levels of quilter will find themselves welcome.

The second Saturday of every month from 10 - 4

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

UFO Buster

Come on in and work on one of your UFOs. When it's finished (yes, backed and bound) receive a coupon for 20% off one item. This could be the backing for the next UFO on your list or the start of a brand new project.

The fourth Saturday of every month from 10 - 4

Kari Ruedisale is continuing to pick up and deliver quilts at 11:00 on the fifth of every month unless it falls on a weekend. If the fifth falls on a weekend she will be here the following Monday.

Please come in early enough to complete the paperwork.

If you can't make it that day, drop off your quilt, backing & batting (purchased here) along with the paperwork and a deposit. Kari will pick it up for you.

Overall designs have a 2 month turnaround, expect longer for custom work.



Classes on Demand

If you are interested in a particular pattern or technique, we will arrange a class for three or more people.

One on one classes can also be arranged.

Call and schedule something today.

Take a look at our Facebook page for more updates.

www.facebook.com/QuiltsAtTheMarshallHouse

