



Class Descriptions Jan – March 2022

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SPECIAL EVENTS

Martelli Event

Dates/Times: April 1 at either 10:00 or 1:00

Fee: \$10 Registration fee – This will be given back to you in the form of a Martelli credit or TIS credit. Your choice.

Description:

Join Joalyn from Martelli and the TIS Team to learn all about the amazing Martelli quilting and sewing tools.

This is going to be an informative and fun event you won't want to miss.

No Place Like Home Kimberbell Event

Sessions: Two-Day Embroidery Event

Date/Time: April 29 & 30 starting at 9:30

Instructors: Roxanne McElhaney & Chelle Meyers

Fee: \$199

Descriptions: What an adorable pillow you will make in this two day event! Techniques include piecing and quilting in the hoop with background quilting designs, a flanged border and other cute blocks! Everything is included in the kit...fabric batting and even the pillow insert. As a bonus, you will receive 3 complete exclusive quilting bundles! Come join the fun!

Red, White & BBQ

Kimberbell Spark

Event

Sessions: One

Fee: \$89

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhaney

Description: Kimberbell's Spark Event, Red, white and BBQ has two fresh new projects just in time for summer! We will begin with the BBQ design complete with a grill embroidered on a Charcoal Oven Mitt Blank. The second project is a BBQ Pig Apron. For this project you will choose either a rocket or flag design to complete the pig! The pinstripe apron is a new blank for Kimberbell. Lots of summer fun for everyone!

BERNINA MACHINES & ACCESSORIES CLASSES

BERNINA Machine Guide Classes

Sessions: Five

Fee: Did you buy a new BERNINA from The Inspired Sewist? Then this class is free to you. Prefer private lessons? No problem. Call us for pricing and details.

Please contact the shop for date and time availability.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhane

Description: Join this exciting class and get to know all the wonderful features of your new BERNINA. We start at the very beginning and use the Mastery Workbook as our guide. You'll learn seams, zippers, buttonholes you'll even make a quilt label with the Memory function! Learning how to use the BERNINA Stitch Regulator - BSR foot - to make free motion quilting easier than you can imagine.

Embroidery Guide Classes

Sessions: Three

Date/Time:

Please contact the shop for date and time availability.

All classes will be held in the store

Fee: Did you buy a new BERNINA with an Embroidery module from The Inspired Sewist? Then this class is free to you. Prefer private lessons? No problem. Call us for pricing and details.

Instructor: Nan Wakefield

Description: Now that you own a wonderful BERNINA with embroidery capabilities let Nan take you through the workbook to teach you how to use it. Learn about hoops, stabilizers, needles and threads for your projects and how to get the best results to get you started. After learning the basics, you will be able to join us for all kinds of embroidery classes and events.

V9 Software Basics

Sessions: Two

Fee: \$48

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhane

Description: Are you new to Bernina Software V9? This is the class for you! The first class will cover the basics of Creator. The second class will go into Designer Plus. (Note: If you have Designer Plus, you should come to both classes.)

Software Inspirations

Sessions: One per month

Fee: \$24 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhane

Description: Welcome to Bernina Embroidery Software V9. Each month we will explore the new facets of V9 Software. You will love how much easier V9 will make your embroidery life!

DesignWorks

Sessions: One

Fee: \$36 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Class will be held in store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhane

Description: Let's have fun with Paintworks and our sewing machines! This class will have a software lesson to create the designs and then you will paint with your sewing machine on a variety of different surfaces.

QUILT CLASSES

Start Quilting I

Sessions: Six

Fee: \$75

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

This is a six-part class.

Instructor: Jo Ann Jolley

Description: Are you new to quilting? In this class you'll learn the tools and techniques to make you a confident quilter. From cutting and piecing through quilting and binding, you'll learn it all. By the end of class, you'll have completed a rail fence quilt.

Fair Isle Block of the Month

Sessions: One Per Month

Fee: Please call for information

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

This is BOM program.

Instructor: Donna Morrell

Description: Yup! Deb Tucker has designed her first Block of the Month for shops! A gorgeous new quilt constructed over 12 months that will have customers using Studio 180 Design's Rapid Fire Lemoyne Star, Tucker Trimmer III, Wing Clipper I, Corner Beam and Square Squared tools. Not all of the tools are used every month, so participants can purchase them when needed throughout the program. With quilt construction happening several times during the year, final assembly is a snap!

Tula Pink's Butterfly Quilt

Sessions: BOM

Fee: \$27 Per Month

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Jo Ann Jolley

Description: Whether butterflies are your thing or you'd like to learn how to make many different types of blocks, this Tula Pink pattern is just for you. You can select fabrics from Tula's latest line or create your own palette. Though the quilt looks complicated, it's composed of basic blocks with a little curved piecing thrown in just for fun. The block-of-the-month format makes it easy and you'll be amazed when your butterfly emerges during the final class.

Star Shine Quilt

Sessions: Two

Fee: \$52

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Kathleen Hmiel

Description: This versatile time-saving design can be made with any fabrics, making it suitable for gift-giving or for accenting you own home!

Higher Ground Quilt

Sessions: Two

Fee: \$48

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Donna Morrell

Description: Deb Tucker's Studio 180 Design has just started a new pattern line Simply 180. This new line will feature one tool at a time. I am pleased to offer their very first in this line called "Higher Ground". This uses their newest tool as well as the Star 60. With a simple twist on the traditional Star 60 block, a subtle mountain and valley design develops. It's hard to tell this is a hexagon block. Fun and fat quarter friendly this block can be made with just two fabrics or several fabrics creating a scrappy look.

Stomping Ground

Sessions:

One Fee:

\$24

Please reference the calendar for dates/times. All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Joan Lipiec

Description: If you like elephants and small pieces, then this is for you! The fun is in picking the fabrics for the elephants – different pastels as in the pattern or 14 different fabrics of the same color on a striking background (like the grays and red in the sample). The challenge is in cutting small pieces and sewing them together, but it is straightforward using a teacher-designed strategy. The reward in completion is so satisfying! We'll complete 2 elephants in class and you will finish up at home.

Breakfast Club

Sessions: One

Fee: \$ 42

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Chelle Meyers & Donna Morrell

Description: Use your Studio 180 Design Tucker Trimmer to create Shaded Four Patch units using the strip pieced method and avoid having to sew on bias edges. Then give your unit a twist or turn and see how many different designs you can create. Choose from 3 different quilt designs in sizes for a baby (36" x 48") or lap (54" x 66"). Requires the use of the Studio 180 Design Tucker Trimmer I or III and the shaded Four Patch Technique Sheet. Breakfast will be prepared by Chef Chelle as well as discuss suggestions for adding a simple embroidery design or embellishment.

Dresden Drama

Sessions: Two Fee:

\$48

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Joan Lipiec

Description: Taking the Dresden Plate to a new level, this is a free-flowing class (no pattern) where your eyes and hands will create a dramatic piece to hang. You will prepare the background base at home. Then in class we will create two or three sizes of Dresdens and leaves. You will learn how to construct a stem on the bias so that it curves. Finally, all will be applied to the base.

GO! Tumbler Patriotic Flag

Sessions: One

Fee: \$48

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Class will be held in store.

Instructor: Kathleen Hmiel

Description: Create this fun easy quilt to celebrate our country's independence using only two Accuquilt Go! cutting dies! This beauty may also be made into two different sizes.

Fabulous Fabric Collage

Sessions: Two

Fee: \$48

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Class will be held in store.

Instructor: Ingrid Bischoff

Description: Fresh and Fabulous are these fabric collages. Pick your favorite Laura Heine pattern, she has so many new beautiful ones! Or draw your own! I look forward to sharing with you and watching your work of art come to life! A NO sewing machine class! The prep portion of this class will prepare you and give you a new insight into what fabrics you will want to use for your collage, enabling you to raid your stash or buy just the right pieces. You will have time to prepare some of your fabrics so you will get a quick and comfortable start. I just love the process and can't wait to get started with you.

QUILTING TECHNIQUE CLASSES

Free-Motion Quilting For Beginners

Sessions: One

Fee: \$27

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: JoAnn Jolley

Description: Would you like to try free motion quilting but don't know how to start? Have you tried but just couldn't "get it?" In this class you'll learn the basic shapes used in all designs, how to start, stop and change directions.

Whatever your goal, this class will build your skills and confidence.

Quilting w/Rulers II

Sessions: One

Fee: \$27

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Class will be held in store.

Instructor: Jo Ann Jolley

Description: This class is a follow up to the initial Quilting with Rulers classes held in January and March. It will cover additional rulers and designs that we didn't have time include in the previous class. Signups are limited to those that took the previous class. Future ruler classes will be held over two sessions.

Amanda Murphy's Heart Panel Ruler work

Sessions: Two

Fee: \$52

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Class will be held in store.

Instructor: Diane Trenary

Quilted Background with Your Embroidery Machine

Fee: \$36 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Nan Wakefield

Description: Nan brings you another fun class on quilting with your embroidery machine. This time learning how to program stitches on the sewing side of your machine and bringing them into the embroidery side of your machine. And wait until you see how easy it is to make a quilt label too. You are going to love this!

EMBROIDERY CLASSES

Open Embroidery w/Roxanne

Fee: \$15 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times. All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhanev

Description: Do you have any unfinished embroidery projects you need a little help with to complete? Bring them to this all day sew and let's get them done? This would be a great time to work on those Kimberbell or Claudia Dinnell projects that are in your UFO stacks.

Mug Rug Roundup

Sessions: One

Fee: \$36

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Roxanne McElhanev

Descriptions: ___It's time for a good old-fashioned roundup...of Mug Rugs that is! Kimberbell's Volume 5 is out and the designs are cuter than ever. Let's get together and embroider some of these new, adorable mug rugs. There's something for everyone... sports lovers, fishermen, yarn enthusiasts, gardeners, special occasions and more. This is a great beginner class.

Oh, So Girlie!

Sessions: Two

Fee: \$52

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Class will be held in store.

Instructor: Ingrid Bischoff

Description: This is such a Girly quilt for you or those special gals in your life. Interesting blocks that include embroidery. It makes me smile and you will too!

Garden Flag

Sessions: One

Fee: \$27 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Chelle Meyers

Description: Want to make your own Garden Flag? Here is your chance. Use your embroidery and end up with a beautiful flag to hang in your yard. Great beginner embroidery project.

Bathing Beauties

Sessions: One

Fee: \$27

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Ingrid Bischoff

Description: Terry towels that become so elegant and beautiful with these great designs! You will want to make some for you and for great gifts, thinking about to the holidays! Come join in the fun.

SEWING TECHNIQUE CLASSES

Machine Magic

Sessions: One

Fee: \$24

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Nan Wakefield

Description: Get the most from the decorative stitches on your sewing machine. "Machine Magic" is a brand-new book by Deborah Louie who has also inspired us with her "Glamorous Clams" projects. Nan will take you through the step-by-step instructions for building and applying decorative stitches to individual flowers and leaves. What a great spring project.

Project Bags

Sessions: One

Fee: \$27 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Chelle Meyers

Description: Great for organizing everything you need for each of your projects, these handy zippered bags in four sizes are pretty as well. They have clear vinyl windows for visibility of contents.

Vessel Under Construction

Sessions: One

Fee: \$27 per class

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Kim Borowy

Description: Come learn several techniques to create a vessel. There are many options for construction, some machine stitching, some hand stitching or totally glued together. With my help, it will be your shape choice, your technique choices and your embellishment choices so that you can design and make your own personal vessel.

OVERLOCKER/SERGER CLASSES

Cooking in Color Serger Apron

Sessions: One

Fee: \$36

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Nan Wakefield

Description: These super cute lined apron includes a pocket with zipper detail, towel loop, nice long ties and tons of tips...and it's created on a serger. You will love this project and want to wear it as soon as you are done.

Quilted Jacket

Sessions: Three

Fee: \$58

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

All classes will be held in the store.

Instructor: Carol Kinsley

CHARITY SEWS

Pillowcase Smiles

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Description: Please join us once a month in the shop and have fun making pillowcases for children in local area hospitals. The hospital experience can be terrifying and traumatic for both a child and their family. While others strive to find a cure, we help with the stress and emotional impact of illness in the here and now. Our whimsical pillowcases give children an emotional boost, while resources and tools help families better understand and cope with their illness.

Quilting Angels

Please reference the calendar for dates/times.

Description: Our Quilting Angels have been meeting here at Quilters' Choice for almost 20 years. This amazing group of quilters make quilts and crochet blankets for children in our area which are distributed by very special Social Workers with the Children's Home Society.

We'd love for you to join our group and help cut, assemble, press and quilt these precious little quilts. If you have fabric you are looking to donate, we always appreciate "child friendly" prints in 100% cotton.

