Merrily We Sew Along

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Regular Store Hours

Tuesday- Friday: 10 am to 5 pm Saturday: 10 am to 3pm

Sunday and Monday: Closed

Store Closures:

None for January- April, 2017

2017 Winter Newsletter and Classes

Quilter's Sale

Don't miss our Spring Sale, Friday and Saturday, March 10th and 11th. All fabric, books, patterns, sewing notions, BERNINA notions and selected kits will be ON SALE.

No stash cards stamped. No stash cards or Gift Certificates redeemed during our sale.



Thimble and Thread Quilt Show

Stop by and visit us at Thimble and Thread Quilt Guild Quilt Expo 2017 "The Power of Quilts" in Greensfelder Recreation Center at Queeny Park. The Quilt Show will be held Saturday and Sunday, March 18th and 19th. Show hours will be 10-5 on Saturday and 11-4 on Sunday.

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Seams So Easy

Did you ever wonder how to do Bobbin Work? Or how does punching wool on a sewing machine works? This year we will be working on various techniques that you could do on your sewing machine. Broaden your horizons in sewing in this Club.

Meets the 4th Monday of the month 10 am - Noon

Cost: \$30 for the year

February 27th March 27th

April 24th

Software Club 2017

Would you love to learn more about the techniques of V8 software? Join us each month as we explore a new technique each month.

Club will meet on the third Monday of each month 10 am – Noon. Club is FREE if you purchased Designer 7 Software from Merrily We Sew Along.

February – Introduction to Version 8; review how to open & insert design; review new embroidery library March – Couching

April – Monogramming

Cost \$25 for the year

February 20th March 20th April 17th

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Classes

1. <u>Sit and Sew:</u> How many projects can you get done this year? Join us at a new day and time to get some uninterrupted sewing time in. Bring your machine and any project you want to work on. Then join us for an afternoon of sewing and socializing. See what others are working on. Bring a treat to share if you would like. This will be the 4th Monday of each month from Noon – 6 pm.

Monday, January 23rd Monday, March 27th Monday, April 24th

Monday, April 24th Cost: \$10.00 per session

2. Stack n Whack: Join Judy to learn an easy way to create quilt blocks with unique kaleidoscope designs. Easy enough for the new quilter.

Sunday, April 23 1 pm – 5 pm

Teacher: Judy Vogt Cost: \$25.00

3. Embroidery University - Masters: School is back in session! The learning continues with 6 new techniques and projects to add to your education of embroidery. A basic knowledge of your sewing/embroidery machine is necessary for a successful class experience. Students will need a usb stick that your sewing machine reads as this is how the FREE designs will be transferred from teacher to student. Must have completed the Embroidery University Bachelor's Degree in order to get your Masters Degree.

Session 1 - Feb 25th - Saturday - 2 pm-8 pm Feb 26th - Sunday - 1 pm-4pm

OR

Session 2 - Feb 26th - Sunday - 5:30pm-8:30pm Feb 27th - Monday - 9 am-4 pm

Teacher: Marga Tegtmeyer Cost: \$89.00

4. The Missing Link: This class is designed to be a basic overview of Bernina's Free Software. The software is available for download at Bernina's website. We will cover the basics of design manipulation and the steps involved in getting a purchased design from your computer to your sewing machine. Embroidery design and file management will also be discussed. Must have Artlink already down-loaded on a laptop prior to class time.

Saturday, Feb 25 10:30am-1pm

Teacher: Marga Tegtmeyer Cost: \$ 18.00

Ruler Work: Are you interested in quilting on your home sewing machine? Ever hear about the BERNINA rulers that you can use for quilting? This class is an introduction to the use of rulers and your home sewing machine. Must have a free motion foot for your sewing machine and one of the BERNINA ruler Sets. If you purchase the rulers from Merrily We Sew Along for the class, you will get 25% off the cost of the rulers when you sign up for class!

Friday, April 7 6 pm -8 pm Teacher: Merrily Parker Cost: \$ 12.00

My BERNINA Classes

6. My BERNINA Sewing Machine: This class is designed to teach you all about your new BERNINA sewing machine. You will learn all the amazing features on your machine as well as the care and maintenance for the machine. You will complete Workbook 1, Workbook 2 and Workbook 3

Workbook #1 & #2 (All BERNINA Sewing Machines)

Monday, January 9	5 pm – 8 pm (Wkbk 1)
Tuesday, January 10	5 pm – 8 pm (Wkbk 2)
Sunday, February 12	10 am – 4 pm (Wkbk 1 & 2)
Sunday, March 26	10 am – 4 pm (Wkbk 1 & 2)
Monday, April 10	10 am – 4 pm (Wkbk 1 & 2)

Workbook #3: (BERNINA 580,780,830,880)

Monday, February 6 9:30 am – 12:30 pm Monday, April 24 5 pm – 8 pm

7. My BERNINA Embroidery: This class is designed to be used in conjunction with the My BERNINA Workbook and contains a series of exercises intended to familiarize you with the features of your new BERNINA embroidery machine. In addition, you will learn about needles, threads, stabilizers, embroidery hoops and accessories, all of which will increase your knowledge of sewing and assist you in achieving success in all of your embroidery endeavors.

Monday, February 6 1:30 pm – 4:30 pm Monday, April 3 5 pm – 8 pm

8. <u>My BERNINA Serger:</u> Master your BERNINA Serger. Learn to thread both the loopers and both needles! This class will review the basis and will also cover the 4-thread Balanced Stitch, Adjusting Tension Settings, 3-Thead Rolled Hem, 4-thread Overlock, 3-Thread Cover Stitch (1300MDC)

Monday, March 13th

10 am – 1 pm

Longarm Classes

9. <u>Gammill Maintanence:</u> Let Steve Parker teach you how to do timing, tension, and replacing all the wear parts of your Gammill Quilting Machine. You will leave this class understanding your machine better and how to do simple repairs on your own. Class is limited to Gammill owners.

Monday, March 6 10 am - 3 pm Saturday, April 1 10 am - 3 pm

Teacher: Steve Parker Cost \$99

10. <u>Longarm Class:</u> This is an all-day class to be tak- en after your basic beginner class. Spend the day with Terri and learn how to make folk art feathers, background fillers, simple border designs, continuous line quilting, and stencil designs. Class is FREE when machine is purchased within the last year from MWSA

All classes are 10 am - 5 pm.

Friday, January 27 Friday, February 17 Friday, March 17 Friday, April 21

Teacher: Terri Kanyuck Cost: \$250



- 1. Fees must be paid at time of registration.
- 2. Phone registrations taken with a credit card.
- 3. Refunds given only if we are notified at least one week prior to class.
- 4. Minimum of 3 students per class. Class will be canceled if minimum is not met and a full refund will be given.
- 5. No children, babies, or guests in class.
- 6. You must obtain a supply list PRIOR to each class. Read it completely to see what supplies are necessary AND what preparation needs to be done.
- 7. Where required, please bring a sewing machine in good working order and that you are familiar with operating. Teachers will not spend class time learning your sewing machine.

Our My BERNINA Classes are free if you purchase your sewing machine or software at MWSA!



REMEMBER,
PEOPLE WILL SEE
YOUR QUILTS
LONG AFTER YOU
ARE GONE NOT YOUR
HOUSEWORK!