**Annette Bag** 

Sat. Oct. 5 (9:30 – 10:30) and Oct. 12 ( 9:30 – 3:30) \$63.0

The Annette Satchel Handbag is as stylish as it is practical. With a sleek and classic look, this bag features handles, two exterior pockets and one zippered pocket. Instructions are included for both vinyl and woven fabrics. Choose two coordinating fabrics, including cork, if you like, and a contrasting lining, add rivets and handle hardware for a professionally-made appearance. Completing your prep work is essential for this class. Size: 13" wide x 9" tall x 5" deep. Pattern required.





# Argyle Rocks Pieced Quilt Thurs. Oct. 3 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$27.00

This quilt encompasses just two simple blocks repeated in varying values and colours! Use just a nine-patch and a half square triangle to create an intricate maze of light and dark pathways, medium valued diamond shapes, and a plethora of textures and values. If you've completed Grade 1, you'll find this surprisingly easy when you take the instructions to heart. So what will you learn? - How and why to organize your fabric values and colours, how to simplify the process, and how important it is to press to the correct direction and how to be more accurate with matching your corners. A scrappy binding accomplishes the goal of using up your fabric or dipping into your stash. Finished size: Store sample is 84" x 84", but any size in repeats of 12" squares works fine! Pattern required. Kits available.





Bag Ladies Finishing Class Sat. Nov. 30 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

If you have acquired a taste for beautiful bags that you can create yourself, you can hone your skills in this "get help" class. Bags are a different skill set and require trialed or learned techniques that are different from garments and quilts. Whether it is the Annette Satchel, Jangles bag, Roxy Tote, Sling Along or Sew Together bag, our instructor is the one to help you get over the difficult or challenging parts with ease. Once you've done one, your skill set will amplify and you will find future bags and totes easier to construct. By trying several bags, you will acclimatize to the type of satchel, zipper, or sewing techniques that are your favourite. Pattern required.



# **Bambi 2024 Candy Stash Pieced Quilt**

Sat. Sept. 28, Oct. 26, Nov. 30 (9:30 – 10:30) \$229.99 Kit cost

This is the last session for our 2024 Bambi block-a-month. A new Bambi (Block-A-Month-Bright-Ideas) quilt is offered in January each year, though it's not too late to jump into this year's if you like. This quilt is designed in-house and offers some tricks to manipulate identical blocks with varying colours and values to make them look different. Further to that, changing the sizes of the blocks make it a fun challenge to fit all the pieces together – or use your own setting and personalize it to your own taste and quilt size. Beginner to intermediate skills are recommended, though we can guide as you need, and Grade 1 Beginner Quilting is a prerequisite. The class is a demonstration, so no need to bring your machines – all the sewing is done at home. Kit required.



# **Basic Machine Embroidery Skills**

Fri. Oct. 25 (9:30 - 12:30)

\$27.00

Are you new to machine embroidery... or haven't used your machine in a while and have questions? Step into this class to brush up on your hooping skills, stabilizer knowledge, understanding of design formats and sizes, and further knowledge of embroidery techniques such as appliqué in the hoop, machine lace, quilting in the hoop, and using some of the features of your machine. Get tips and tricks on how to handle appliqué designs, thread choices, and other tricks to make your designs stitch out without wrinkles. Machine manual is required.



# Beach House Paper Pieced Wall Hanging Sat. Oct. 26, Nov. 2, Nov. 16 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$81.00

Take the opportunity to follow up your beginner paper piecing class with this moderate-sized wall hanging. Beach House offers the technique of sewing curved edges in paper piecing – a skill you'll want to perfect for future projects. This two-colour quilt makes fabric selection easy; the smaller size makes the finish line achievable. Grade 7 Beginner Paper Piecing (or similar knowledge) is a prerequisite for this project. Finishing Size: 57' x 57". Pattern required. Kits available.



### **Blueberry Bowl**

Sat. Sept. 21 (1:00 - 4:00) \$27.00

Rope bowls are fun to construct and so versatile. Use them in the kitchen for fruit or bread rolls, in the bathroom for cotton balls, or at Christmas for fragranced pine cones. Be sure to take advantage of this class to learn the variety of ways you can work with rope, how to manipulate your bowl as you sew, which threads and needles are best. This season's bowl has many features: cork bottom, inner fabric prepared with a water-proof coating, cord wrapped in fabric, two colour cords, and a decorative finishing element. Rumpled Quilt Skins stocks several colours of cord as well as natural coloured.



# Brother Aveneer EV1 Top-of-the-Line Embroidery and Sewing Machine Launch Fri. Sept.13 (10:00 – 12:00) Please pre-register

A new top-of-the-line deserves our attention to see what years of development have created! Join us as our Brother Educator introduces us to the most innovative embroidery machine we could ask for – including many features asked for by Brother consumers and users. Take our tour through the long list of "must-haves" that make machine embroidery a rapidly growing household staple. Please register early. Gift packs for the first twenty-five registrants.



### **Channel the Flannel**

### Sat. Oct. 19 (9:30 – 12:30)

Need a gift for the man in your life? How about a wall hanging simulating his comfy plaid shirts, all pressed and ready to go? Intermediate piecing skills will benefit you in creating this project. Add a few buttons down the front and he'll be ready to take it at cabin or display in his man cave. Grade 1 is a prerequisite for this class. Finished Size: 40" x 49 ½". Pattern required. Kits available.

\$27.00



#### **Classic Nutcrackers**

## Fri. Sept. 6, Oct. 4 (9:30 – 2:30) \$54.00

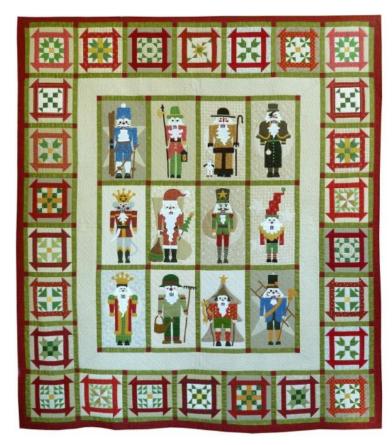
These classic characters have been cropping up in our store for over ten years, and we're about to give them a make-over! Join us for an updated version of machine embroidered nutcrackers, or follow us as we encourage you to appliqué them with all your decorative stitches and sparkling threads. Pattern includes twelve nutcrackers and twelve pieced blocks. Kits available. Embroidery Design/pattern purchase required.











# Cozy Appliqué Machine Embroidered Quilt Fri. Sept. 20, Oct. 11 (9:30 – 2:30)

\$54.00

A personal favourite of mine, this kit can be constructed in wool felt, cotton, or batiks... even flannels! The folksy look is refreshing and delightful; the easy shapes make it quick to embroider. So many colour combinations will work, so this is the perfect chance for you to choose your own pallet to suit your home! Embroidery Design purchase required.





# Essential Quilting Foundation Skills Tues. Sept. 10 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$27.00

"I've always wanted to know how to quilt". If those are your thoughts, join us for a primary class in quilt basics. Learn the proper way to handle your fabric, measure, cut and sew 1/4" seams. This is not a project class; you'll be learning how to construct simple block units. This class is a prerequisite for Grade 1 Quilting. Pattern required. Kits available.







# **Finishing School**

### Dates as listed in the calendar

### \$15.00 per day

Mark Twain said, "The secret to getting ahead is getting started. The secret of getting started is breaking your complex, overwhelming tasks into small manageable tasks, and starting on the first one." Finishing school is a self-guided class – enjoy the space and protection our classroom offers from the stress of everyday life. All projects are welcome – work on whatever you like. Our Thursday ladies are a shining example of how persistence results in completion! For your own purposes, make a list of your unfinished projects. Then tackle them one at a time – maybe starting with the ones that are closest to being finished. You'll be surprised how much you can accomplish when you simply show up. Please register ahead so we can ensure everyone gets enough space.



### Flying Home Free Motion Placemats Mon. Sept. 23 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

These placemats are the perfect sized project to learn the technique of free motion without being overwhelmed with a huge quilt. Learn several variations of free motion quilting in the spaces and rows. Gain confidence in your movement skills, and add to your encyclopedia of free motion designs. Grade 1 is a prerequisite for this class as the placemat is pieced at home as part of the prep work. Pattern required. Kits available.



#### Folk Art Heart

Fri. Nov. 8 (9:30 – 12:30) \$27.00

Simple and primitive appliqué is a joy to do. Doing a moderate sized design is easier than a smaller one because it is simpler to stitch around larger pieces than very small ones. Using decorative threads, embellish the wool felt, flannel and cotton fabrics of the appliqués to create a homey and charming heart. We'll teach you how to work with the stitches you have on your own machine, how to manipulate them by changing the length, width, and elongation, and how to embellish with tiny buttons, crystals, even orphan pieces of jewelry. Pattern required. Kits available.



#### **Fortune Teller**

Sat. Sept. 28 (1:00 - 4:00)

This is a final class for enrolled students from the previous session. If you would like to take this class from the start, please contact the store. Our next new major paper piecing project in 2025 will be Cabaret...



# Free Motion Christmas Stocking Mon. Nov. 25 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

The heartiness of this stocking makes it to the top of the list for children everywhere! Simple stripped piecing increases the fun and makes it quick enough to make several. For this class, make the stocking front at home, and then enjoy the free motion lesson on each of the strips. Use a decorative stitch if you like to highlight the edges of the fabrics. Our stocking is constructed with In-R-Form batting, making it very light and extremely well supported so it doesn't slouch. Pattern required. Kits available.



## Gastropods des Escargots Sat. Oct. 19 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

Continuing your quilting education, this project teaches repeating patterns with a stress on correct colour value. Though deceiving to discern, this is just a simple Snails' Trail block with a unique sashing! Grade 1 is a prerequisite, precutting is done at home. The V Block ruler is recommended as it is used throughout the quilt. Finished size: 78" x 78". Kits available. Pattern purchase required.



# **Gathered Hearts December**

Fri. Nov. 8 (9:30 – 12:30) \$27.00

Working with wool felt is forgiving and rewarding. Stitches form easily over the texture of the wool felt, and the easy curves make it a welcome choice for a seasonal display item or gift. Grade 3 Beginner Appliqué is a prerequisite, as you will come with the design fused to the background so that you can explore your stitches in the class. Pattern required. Kits available.



### Give Hexi Appliqué Wall Hanging Sat. Sept. 14 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$27.00

After a long hot summer we all look forward to the coolness of fall so we can bunker down in our sewing rooms and create! This gentle reminder of all the things we are grateful for is a beautiful primitive exercise in simple stitches such as a blanket stitch, a mock hand appliqué stitch or a leaf edge stitch. Follow up this hexi wall hanging with one of the other eleven in the series.







# **Grade 1: Beginner Quilting Tues. Sept. 17, Oct. 1, 8, 15 (9:30 - 12:30)**\$108.00

Hundreds of non-believers have become quilters by enrolling in this primary quilting class. Grade 1 is a prerequisite to all our other quilting classes. If you know nothing or are self- taught, take the refresher to learn the new techniques! Our project is small and includes repeated basic elements that strengthen your knowledge of how to sew perfect ½ seams, how to press to the correct directions, how to butt seams, and how to square up sub-blocks. Essential Quilting Foundation skills class is a prerequisite and will make this class much easier. Finished size: 45" x 45". Kits available. Pattern required.



# **Rumpled Quilt Skins**

## Class Schedule

## September – December 2024

<u>Grade 2: Log Cabin</u> Tues. Nov. 5, 19 (9:30 - 12:30) \$54.00

Some traditions live on, and this couldn't be truer than this simple strip pieced quilt. Further your design skills by rotating the blocks to achieve different looks. Learn how to "power sew" the units, while enforcing your seaming skills. Essential Quilting Foundations Skills class is a prerequisite. Book required. Kits available. Sizes vary.





## Grade 3: Beginner Appliqué Floral Medallion Fri. Oct. 18, 25 (1:00 – 4:00) \$54.00

Almost every machine is capable of appliqué... even if it has just a zig zag. Take the challenge to let us show you how! Learn how to dissect a pattern, how to trace the pieces, cut and fuse the segments. Then continue with learning how to set your machine by selecting the proper stitch, adjusting the width, length and density, how to pivot around curves and how to create unique stitch building. This class is a prerequisite to all our other appliqué classes, so be sure to register early! Machines are not required for the first class. Pattern required. Kits available.



# **Grade 7: Beginner Paper Piecing Ripple Effect**

Sat. Sept. 14, 21 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$54.00

Learning this new technique allows you to explore different avenues of quilting and design choices that result in perfectly sharp corners. For those of you who struggle with perfection – this is the highway to success. Sewing on a printed paper is a basic that can be a bit challenging without guidance. Pattern required. Kits available.





## Grade 9: Beginner Free Motion Little Runner Mon. Sept. 16 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

Free motion quilting can be daunting if you are starting without guidance, so why not start your free motion quilting journey by learning the elements of various free motion quilting designs? A small project makes the task manageable, yet versatile enough to try many types of free motion movements while conquering the fear of being in charge! Book required. Kits available.



# Grade 10: Free Motion Square Topper Mon. Oct. 21 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$27.00

After learning the basics of how free motion quilting is best achieved, make this simple topper using the skills you have attained. In this class you trial what kind of quilting works best in triangles, squares, sashings, and borders. This class simulates a very small quilt – perfect for determining how to fill each of the blank spaces, and how to handle the printed fabric areas. Construct the topper at home, and then experiment various ways of quilting the main centre. The background will have as many options, and after you've tried several you're sure to see the ones with which you are most comfortable and accomplished. Prep for the class involves completing the block piecing. Grade 1 and Grade 9 Free Motion Quilting is a prerequisite for this class. Finished size: 40" x 40". Pattern included with class. Book purchase required. Kits available.



## Grade 12: Ruler Work Large Runner Mon. Nov. 4, Nov. 18 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$54.00

Take your quilt to the finish line by studying the skills of free motion ruler work. With the use of a specialty foot and ruler, you can accomplish more refined results that will make you proud of your quilting. Each class new versions and techniques will be covered and practiced on your table runner. Pattern for the runner provided. Book required. Kits available.





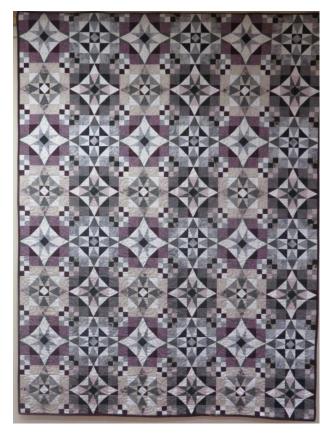
# Hips and Waists Sat. Nov. 9 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

Whew! What a lot of fun to construct this one-block quilt! Colour matters little, but value is everything in this optical illusion quilt! Use sixteen fabrics in exactly the right value to get the appearance of a wave, but sew with straight lines

only! What a delight! Grade 1 is a prerequisite for this class. Pattern required. Kits available.

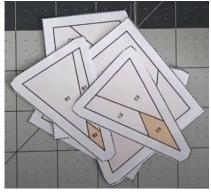




## Paper Piecing Help Sat. Nov. 9 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

If you have taken any one of our paper piecing classes and would like a shoulder to lean on, join us for this generic help class to keep you moving through the steps you are finding challenging.





### <u>Poinsettia</u> Sat. Oct. 5 (1:00 – 4:00)

\$27.00

You know you won't be ready for Christmas if you wait another moment, so now is the time to get started on this easy appliquéd wall hanging. If you've done Grade 3 Beginner Appliqué, this one could work for you! Many of the pieces are large and suitable for medium-sized decorative stitches, the curved vines are the perfect opportunity to practice pivoting, and the small circles can be achieved with a simple blanket stitch. Pattern required. Kits available.



# **Roxy Tote**

Sat. Nov, 9 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$27.00

Wear this tote on the shoulder or cross body with its convertible straps. Roxy has four big pockets on the outside and all around on the inside. The top section is the outer bag; the lower section is the outer pocket! Completing your prep work is essential for this class. Finished size is  $12^{\circ}$  x  $4^{\circ}$ /<sub>2</sub> x  $13^{\circ}$  tall. Pattern required.



#### **Simple Sampler**

Fri. Sept. 27, Oct. 18, Nov. 15 (9:30 – 12:30) \$81.00

This stunning quilt is a local visitor attraction in our store! Seventeen different blocks, skillful design, rich colours and brilliant appliqué blend together to create a sought after heirloom! Learn how to prepare, scan, and place the individual elements of the border units. It uses many of the tools of your embroidery machine – scanner, camera, trial key, projector, and stitch advancing. It is recommended that the background fabric for the borders be attached to the quilt to begin this step. Please note that this quilt can be constructed by hand appliqué, machine appliqué, or machine embroidery for a 270 mm. x 270 mm. hoop. Finished size:  $66 \frac{1}{2}$  x  $66 \frac{1}{2}$ . Book required. Kits available. Optional embroidery design and cut files available for purchase for those wanting to embroidery this quilt.



## **Twilight Tree Skirt**

Tues. Oct. 22 (9:30 – 12:30)

\$27.00

Don't let the beauty of this tree skirt make you jittery... it's easy piecing, monotone, and will take just a few steady days to get it well under way! The French Braid technique is useful when needing to create a border finish, add an extra block to a quilt, or just use up some of your stash in a place mat. In this tree skirt, it creates radiating points accented with dark contrasting fabrics. Grade 1 Beginner Quilting is a prerequisite for this class. Pattern required. Limited kits available.



# Faith Hope Charity Quilting Group Wednesdays as listed in the calendar (9:00 – 4:00)

Our charity group works on quilting projects to help those in need. If you have a good command of quilting skills and are an independent worker who would like to help, call us for further info.



# **Sheep Creek Weavers**Mon. Sept. 30, Oct. 28, Nov. 25 (9:00 – 12:00)

If you would like to become a member of Sheep Creek Weavers, please contact the store. 403-938-6269.



### Victoria's Quilts

### Tues. Sept. 29, Oct.29, Nov. 28, Dec 17 (9:00 – 4:00)

The mission of Victoria's Quilts Canada is to provide handmade quilts to people living with cancer in Canada. By providing these quilts, we hope to bring physical comfort to those dealing with cancer, as well as spiritual comfort in knowing they are not alone in their struggle. The first Alberta branch was started in our store in 2003 and currently has over 60 members and has Friends Groups associated with it. The members of this Branch make nearly 300 quilts a year for delivery to communities south of Calgary as well as Manitoba. Contact us if you would like to volunteer your time.



#### **Events:**

Open House: 20% off all in-stock products

Saturday, Aug. 31 (9:00 – 4:00) Sunday, Sept. 1 (12:00 – 4:00)