

## Thursday, August 17<sup>th</sup>

### Conventional (home) Sewing Machine Workshops: Hands-on

#### 6-hour workshops:

C6 ~ Free Motion Fabric Art

Diane Gaudynski

8:00 – 11:00 am & 12:00 –3:00 pm

6 hrs. - \$65

(Skill Level: All)

*Sewing machines provided*

Let yourself go! Learn free motion quilting techniques as well as needle, thread, and batting choices in this new class. Create “textured fabric art” from a fat quarter of your choice of hand dyed or batik style fabric and colored threads. Some guideline marking is involved, but primarily the motifs require no marking. Use fabric colors and “blotches” as your boundaries. No two will be alike, and you will have fun learning how to create something unique and beautiful!

Supply List provided with confirmation.

C10 ~ Big, Beautiful Threads

Susan K. Cleveland

8:00 – 11:00 am & 12:00 –3:00 pm

6 hrs. - \$65

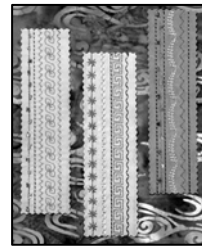
(Skill Level: Beginner-Intermediate)

*Sewing machines provided*

Using decorative “big threads” is the focus of this class. Big threads will be stitched through the needle, in the bobbin, and couched. Samples may be stitched throughout the class or students may opt to make bookmarks for their favorite friends and books. Skills learned can then be used on quilts or garments. (Note: machines without a removable bobbin case have limited success with some bobbin threads.)

Supply List provided with confirmation.

Materials fee: Thread kits may be pre-ordered from Susan for purchase in class.



C15 ~ Exploring with Today’s Threads

Ann Fahl

8:00 – 11:00 am & 12:00 –3:00 pm

6 hrs. - \$65

(Skill Level: Beginner-Intermediate)

*Sewing machines provided*

An introductory class appropriate for any quilter wanting to explore machine sewing with decorative threads, this full-day workshop combines Ann’s machine appliqué and free-motion embroidery techniques. The use of a paper backed fusible web, decorative threads, and machine stitches will be discussed as you experiment with techniques on scraps, as well as make a small sampler.

Supply List provided with confirmation.

C2 ~ Free Motion Comfort

Helen Thorn

12:00 – 3:00 pm & 4:00 – 7:00 pm

6 hrs. - \$65

(Skill Level: Beginner)

*Sewing machines provided*

This class is designed for the beginning machine quilter who is nervous and/or dissatisfied with past attempts. Topics covered will be: basting, batting, threads, marking, use of stencils, and how and when to use a walking foot. The primary focus of the class will be to increase comfort with free motion quilting using a darning foot. Time will be spent working with multiple motifs for background fillers, free form borders, continuous curves, and object enhancements.

Supply List provided with confirmation.

#### 3-hour workshops:

C26 ~ Quilt as Desired...Now What?!

Cheryl Barnes

8:00 – 11:00 am

3 hrs. - \$35

(Skill Level: All)

*No machines required*

Bring a completed quilt top to class and follow Cheryl's easy step-by-step process for analyzing any top and selecting the perfect quilting patterns to enhance it. Cheryl's trunk show of samples will show you how quilting designs can add movement, texture, focus, contrast, elegance and/or fun to any quilt. Get answers to: How should I quilt it? How much quilting is needed? What type and size of design is best?...and more. Supply List provided with confirmation.

Materials fee: \$6, payable to instructor

C19 ~ The Language of Quilting

Sally Terry

12:00 – 3:00 pm

3 hrs. - \$35

(Skill Level: All)

*Sewing machines provided*

Discover the 5 shapes of The Language of Quilting and use them to read printed quilting patterns and stencils. Practice the sewing technique for each simple shape in borders, blocks, and fills and learn how to combine shapes for wonderful overall results. Quilting on a 30" x 30" muslin sandwich, practice confidence building free-motion tips and techniques while learning a new language in just a few hours.

Supply List provided with confirmation.

C29 ~ Surface Textures

Anita Shackelford

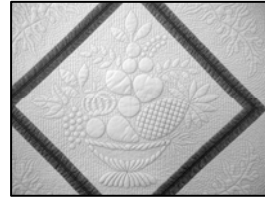
2:00 – 5:00 pm

3 hrs. - \$35

(Skill Level: All)

*Lecture/Demo*

Learn how the three techniques of corded, padded, and stuffed Trapunto can add different types of texture to a wholecloth-quilted design. Anita will show several examples and demonstrate her techniques...all to inspire you to try different ways to create this classic look.



C11 ~ Cotton Theory Quilting – Reversible Button Back Runner

Cindy Moores

4:00 – 7:00 pm

3 hrs. - \$35

(Skill Level: Beginner)

*Sewing machines provided*

“Quilt first – then assemble” is Betty Cotton's motto. Quilting can't get any easier than this! Using Betty's technique, Cindy will show you how your seam allowances are folded and stitched on the outside when constructed – there is no need for handwork. Decorative stitches and embroidery make beautiful quilting with the Cotton Theory. When finished, you will have a reversible runner with an extra dimension.

Supply List provided with confirmation.

Materials fee: \$40 kit, payable to instructor

C20 ~ Creative Fabric Bowl with Free Motion Machine Quilting

Sally Terry

4:00 – 7:00 pm

3 hrs. - \$35

(Skill Level: Confident Beginner-Intermediate)

*Sewing machines provided*

Make this delightful fabric bowl that is sturdy enough to hold a mound of rich chocolate chip cookies. Using the 5 basic shapes of free motion quilting, you will create designs on the sides and bottom of your bowl. Then, border and trim the bowl with decorative stitching in just the right thread color to add a personalized touch. This is a great class for anyone who wants to learn free motion quilting.

Supply List provided with confirmation.

Materials fee: \$30, payable to instructor