



2009

COTTAGE QUILTS AND FABRICS

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May - August

Greetings Everyone,

I think spring is finally here!! The birds sound so happy and the huge mounds of snow are finally gone. There are a lot of busy things ahead the next few months...graduations, weddings, gardening and just lying around soaking up the beautiful Minnesota sun. We have a few classes and events we hope will entice you away from your busy schedule. We will have a lot of beginners classes this newsletter. For more detailed information on classes, visit our website or stop by the shop to see our class samples. We all at the "Cottage" wish you a safe and fun summer!

Quilt Minnesota starts Friday, July 31st and runs through Sunday, August 16th. 85 of Minnesota's greatest quilt shops will be participating. Visit participating shops and receive a free 5 inch fabric square from the Quilt Minnesota fabric collection and a pattern for a 9" finished block from each of the shops. Grand prize is a trip for 2 - Alaskan Quilt Cruise - Includes airfare (To be eligible for the grand prize, you must visit 8 shops in each of the 7 sections). Many of the sections are doing special incentives for visiting the shops in their section (visit www.quiltminnesota.com for more information.) Stop by and visit us. We will be open 10 - 7 Monday through Friday, Saturday 10-5 and Sunday 12-5 during the shop hop.

We will be closed the following dates

Please mark your calendars.

May 10, May 25, July 4 & 5

Cottage Quilts Monthly Events

Please register for each event you are interested in

<<<< Applique Club >>>>

Mary Tozer is continuing on with the Applique Club. In this newsletter, Mary will be working on "When The Cold Wind Blows" by Blackbird Designs. You can work along with Mary or choose a project of your own to work on. Mary will be there as a resource if you need her. You must have knowledge of appliqué as this is not a beginner's club. Mary will be teaching the needle-turn appliqué method May 24 and June 7, 1:00-4:00 if you would like to get appliqué basics under your belt before joining the club.

Thursdays - June 11, July 16, August 20
6-8:30 \$20.00

<<<< Quilt 'till You Wilt >>>>

Sew by hand or bring your machine and work on your own projects. Late night pizza supper provided.

Fridays - May 15, June 19, July 17 & Aug 21 - 4-10 \$7.00 per session

SALES

Please make sure you subscribe to the website, as sales will be announced.

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CLASS LEVELS

Beginners - No experience necessary - all rotary cutting is done in class with instruction.

Intermediate - Experienced in the basics. Can rotary cut on own and sew an accurate $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.

Experienced - Class will offer different skills beyond the basics.

BEGINNING NEEDLETURN APPLIQUE

Instructor: Mary Tozer (Beginners)
Sunday - May 24 & June 7 from 1-4
\$30.00 pattern included

BEGINNING PAPER PIECING

Instructor: Lynn Grant (Beginners)
Thursday - May 28 from 6-7:30
OR July 23 from 6-7:30
\$10.00 plus pattern

FIVE YARD QUILT - BEGINNING QUILT CLASS

Instructor: Lynn Grant (Beginners)
Saturdays - May 30 & June 13 from 10-4
OR Saturday - July 18 & 25 from 10-4
\$45.00 pattern included

KWIK & EASY JACKET

Instructor: Suzzi Johnson (Beginners)
Saturday - June 6 from 12-4
\$20.00 plus pattern

BINDING CLASS

Instructor: Lynn Grant (Beginners)
Thursday - June 25 from 6-8
OR Thursday - August 13 from 6-8
\$15.00

BEGINNING MACHINE APPLIQUE

Instructor: Suzzi Johnson Beginners
Thursday - July 9 from 6-8:30
\$20.00 plus book