



# SEWING SCHOOLHOUSE

WINTER 2012 (JANUARY - EARLY APRIL)

## Technique Classes

◇ = novice skills level

◇◇ = intermediate skills level

◇◇◇ = advanced skills level

### Beginning Machine Piecing ◇

Wednesdays, Jan 11-Feb. 22, 10am or 6pm

This is the perfect class for the beginning quilter. Learn to make fabric choices, rotary cut, and accurately machine-piece blocks with **Melinda Fulkerson** to create your own special lap quilt or wall hanging in this 7-session class. Create a project you'll be proud to share.  
*seven, 2 ½ hour sessions - \$100*

### Beginning Paper Piecing ◇

Saturday, Jan 7, 1:30pm

Let **Michele Bautsch** (the creator of our famous, paper-pieced block of the "Big Chicken") show you the first steps in learning to paper piece using techniques from Carol Doak's instructional book, Show Me How to Paper Piece.  
*one 2 ½ hour session - \$30*

### Beginning Machine Appliqué ◇

Sunday, March 11, 1:30-4:30

Come and let **Stella Lang** teach you the techniques involved in using Machine Appliqué in your quilting projects. You'll be amazed at the results you'll achieve and the information you'll gain from this talented teacher.  
*one 3-hour session - \$30*

### Bias Binding Your Quilt ◇

Saturday, February 25, 9:30- 12

Through this lecture/demonstration class, **Stella Lang** teaches you how to apply a bias binding to your completed quilt. Bring your questions, concerns, and project for binding and benefit from our expertise.  
*one 2 ½ hour session - \$30*

### Borders, Backs, and Batting ◇

Saturday, March 10, 1:30pm

Your quilt top is almost finished - so where do you go from here? Our staff will teach you everything you need to know about the backing, the batting, and the borders. Bring the projects you'd like to work on when you come to this class.  
*one 2-hour session - \$25*

### Crazy for Crazy Quilting ◇

Wednesday, March 7, 6:00pm

Join **Mindy O'Donnell** as she shows you the basics involved in piecing a block the Crazy Quilt way! It's a time-honored tradition in the quilting world and Mindy can show you how to get started.  
*one 3-hour session - \$30*

### Cuddle Strip Class ◇

Tuesday, March 20, 10am OR 6:00pm

Let **Mindy O'Donnell** give you tips in working with Shannon fabric's great product, Cuddle. Choose one of our colorful kits to make your project. We've got all kinds from kids to adults. Everyone needs a little cuddle!  
*one 3-hour session, \$30*

### Don't Look Now! Class ◇◇

Wednesday, February 29, 10am or 6:00pm

**Mindy O'Donnell** will show you the appliqué and finishing techniques involved in making this great trapunto look using the patterns from Kelly Wulfson's collection. We'll be dabbling in some machine quilting as well. Don't miss this popular class. It's created a lot of interest around the shop as Mindy displayed her samples.  
*one 3-hour session - \$30*

### Free Motion Quilting ◇

Saturday, February 4, 1:30pm

Bring your own machine and let **Michele Bautsch** teach you how to quilt free motion designs on your projects and show you the latest tools. You will be amazed at what you can do all by yourself.  
*one 2 1/2-hour session - \$30*

### Fusible Appliqué Class ◇

Sunday, February 26th, 1:30 pm

**Mary Sullivan** is a pro at teaching you how to use fusible appliqué in all of your projects. Come and let her take you step by step through this process while making a fused project.  
*one 3-hour session - \$30*

## Hand Appliqué ♦

Saturday, March 10, 1:30pm

Barbara Dole will teach you the basics of traditional needle-turned appliqué. She'll address the proper tools and techniques needed to achieve the look you desire in hand appliqué while creating your first appliqué block.

one 3-hour session - \$30

## Hand Piecing ♦

Sunday, January 29, 1:30 pm

This time-honored skill is becoming popular again with many of our quilters. Come and let Barbara Dole show you the best way to hand-piece your quilt. Many of us began quilting this way!

one 2 ½ - hour session- \$30

## Hand Quilting ♦

Saturday, January 14, 1:30pm

More and more our quilters are asking for a return to hand quilting. Mary Sullivan can help you perfect your hand quilting stitches. You'll be amazed at the improvement you'll see as you develop even, consistent stitches!

one 2 1/2-hour session - \$30

## Intermediate/Advanced Paper Piecing ♦♦

Saturdays, Jan 28, Feb 25, March 31, noon-4 pm

This popular class is back with Barbara Dole leading the way. Work on Judy Niemeyer's Glacier Star, complete Celtic Wave, or receive help with the paper piecing project of your choice. Instruction provided for the first part of this class. You may stay and work on your projects until 4:00 if you wish.

once monthly, 2 ½-hour session - \$30

## Intermediate Machine Quilting ♦♦

Monday, January 16, 1:30-5:30 or Saturday March 17, 1-5pm

Take your quilting skills to the next level as you benefit from Stella Lang's creative instruction.

one 4-hour session - \$40

## Sampler Savvy ♦

April 9, 16, 23, 30 May 7, 14, 21 10am or 6pm

This is the perfect class for the beginning quilter who wants a "refresher" class. You'll be making a beautiful sampler quilt while you piece "skill filled" quilting blocks. Let Connie Cameron lead the way!

7-session class - \$100

## Scalloping Your Quilt ♦♦

Sunday, April 22, 1:30pm

Technique class: Learn how to scallop your quilt borders the easy way with Mary Sullivan! Bring your machine and your quilt project to learn this beautiful, feminine finish.

One 2 ½ hour session- \$30

## Straight Grain Binding ♦

Wednesday, March 14, 10am OR 6:00pm

Let Melinda Fulkerson teach you the technique involved in binding your quilt using the straight grain of your fabric while you complete a placemat. She'll also be teaching you how to determine the amount of yardage you will need for your projects. Come and join Melinda for this all-important information for all of your quilting projects!

one 3-hour session - \$30

## Texture Magic! ♦

Tuesday, April 3, 10am or 6pm

Mindy O'Donnell has been making projects from quilts to children's clothing using Texture Magic. It's time for you to come on in and be a part of the fun. Choose your project and let Mindy show you how to use Texture Magic to make it possible!

one 3-hour session- \$30

## Project Classes

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## 60-Degree Table Runner ♦

Wednesday, March 28, 10am OR 6:00pm

The EASIEST project you will ever make! Five seams and the top is finished, and no need for binding. As Barbara Dole will show you, the magic is in the 60 degree triangle ruler! Approximately 16" by 45".

one 3-hour session- \$30.

## \*\*Just Spoolin' Around \*\*

Sundays, Jan. 22, Feb 19. March 18, 1:30pm

Come and join us as we work on constructing *The Spool Quilt* from Edyta Sitar's book 'Friendship Strips & Stars.'

Three 3-hour sessions- \$30 for 3 sessions

## Landscape Quilt Class: "Accidental Landscape" ♦

Monday, March 5, 6:00

Come learn a quick and easy approach to making miniature landscape quilts using Karen Eckmeier's approach. You'll be layering fabrics with Beth Leonard as you capture the feel of a favorite scene without using templates or rulers! Be on the way to a completed project by the end of class!

one 2 ½ hour session - \$30

**Magical Slice and Dice** ♦♦Tuesdays, March 13<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup>, 6:00pm

Make this fun, wonderful quilt using four-patch kaleidoscope blocks, sashing, and strategic cuts. The result? A quilt that is magically set on point! Part 1: Tuesday, March 13; Part 2: Tuesday, March 27

2-part class, each 2.5 hours - \$40

**Purse Class – Working with Vinyl** ♦

Thursday, March 8, 6:00pm

It seems to be the latest craze – sewing and making purses with vinyl! Choose from our new vinyl fabric designs or make your own vinyl fabric using regular cotton fabric in the shop. No matter what you choose, you'll be making a click-it bag using vinyl!

one 2 1/2-hour session - \$30/session

**Tin Class**

Saturday, February 11, 1:00-3:30pm

You may have seen the tins that **Debbie Goss** makes for herself and for others- just perfect for gifts! Let her show you all of her great ideas.

One 2 1/2 hour session-\$25

**T-Shirt Quilt Class** ♦

Saturday, March 3 &amp; April 14, 1:30pm

Gather your cherished T-shirts and create a memory quilt for someone special or for yourself. **Cheryl Ashley-Serafine** will help you prepare the shirts in the first class and then will help you assemble them in the second session.

two 3-hour sessions - \$40

*Clubs to Join***Basket Cases** ♦

Last Monday of each month, Jan. 30, Feb. 27, March 26, 6:00pm

A club just for all of you "basket cases" out there who've become addicted to making baskets of all kinds after taking **Beth Leonard's** class, *It's a Wrap II*. Come and see Beth's latest seasonal project. You might want to make it yourself, or begin a new project and let Beth assist you... *Monthly fee - \$15.00.*

*Instruction for making your first basket during this same time - \$25.00.*

**Embroidery Club** ♦+2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday of each month: Jan. 14, Feb. 11, March 10, 10:00 am

Cindy Lee has projects, ideas, and expertise to share with you on the second Saturday of the month. Her monthly class has been so popular that we've named the group, **Stitchin' Sisters!** Focus this quarter is to learn new stitches each time we meet. Cindy has the expertise to guide you through all of your hand stitching projects. Join us!

one-2 1/2 hour session - \$5

**Farmer's Wife Club** ♦♦

Sundays, Jan. 8, Feb. 12, March 4, 1:30pm

Come and join us as learn all about the journey of making the Farmer's Wife Sampler quilt while learning about changing American culture in the 1920s. We'll guide you through making the blocks while exploring the world in the 1920s.

*This club meets monthly on the first Sunday of the month, with Maetha Elliott - \$10*

**Passion for Precuts!** ♦ +3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month, starts Jan 21, 1:30pm.

We'll show you how to use those great precuts we're seeing from all the fabric companies. Taught by the Tiny Stitches Staff, we'll be featuring new projects each month.

*\$10.00 class fee. Project supplies extra.*

**Marti and Me** ♦+

Mondays, Jan. 23, Feb. 20, Mar. 19, Apr. 16 10:00 am

Carolyn Shea and Maetha will preside this spring as they show you how to use Marti's templates in all your projects. Carolyn has a wealth of knowledge to share and has made many of Marti's quilts. Let her show you how to make your projects easier by using Marti's templates.

New pattern and template featured each month.

*Class is taught in one, 2 1/2 hr. session-\$10*

**\*\*Sew n' Sews Club\*\* (It's back!)**

Thursday, March 1, 10am or 6 pm

Learn to use your sewing machine as you create useful projects for your home and garments for yourself in this once-monthly club!

*\$15 per 2 1/2 hour session*

**Thimbleberries Sit and Sew** ♦♦

Last Thursday of the month, begins Jan. 26, 10:00 am.

It's friends, food & fun in 2012 for Thimbleberries fans. Receive new recipes from Lynette Jensen, and work on the great projects from her new book, *Pattern Party*. Bring your machine and piece with us if you wish. We'll be meeting the last Thursday of the month.

*Mary Sullivan – 2 1/2 hour session - \$10*

*Special Shop Events***\*\* Super Bolt Sunday\*\***

Sunday, February 5, 2012- noon-5:00pm

Special Bag Lady hours: 9am to noon.

It's the event of the year! Special clearance on end-of-the bolt sales, plus 25% off storewide books, notions, and fabric (1/2 yd minimum cut). You can't miss these great deals! **\*\*Special Bag Lady hours: 9:00am-noon (don't forget your card!!) General Public 12-5pm.**

**\*\*Quilt Retreat 2012 – Rockin' Back to the 50's!\*\***

Friday – Sunday, January 13, 14, 15 - \$175.00

Join Laverne, Shirley and the Fonze as we go back to the 1950's through our quilting retreat at Amicalola Falls. It will be our fourth great year hosting our retreat. You'll experience this year's mystery quilt as well as many other surprises. Don't miss it!

*Dates for 2013, Jan. 11, 12, & 13<sup>th</sup>.*

## Quilt 'Till You Wilt Events

Every Friday 9:30am to 8pm; every 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday, 9am-5pm

Quilt 'Till You Wilt Events occur every Friday from 9:30-8:00 p.m. Scheduling for one month ahead occurs on the final Friday of the month. You may either call or come to the shop to reserve your spot. Scheduling is based on availability of space. Waiting list is available and is frequently utilized.

*We now schedule a Quilt 'Till You Wilt on the third Sunday of each month from 9-5. Please call the shop for availability.*

## Shop Hop 2012

Thursday, March 22-Sunday, March 25

We're going to the Fair! Come join in the fun...Tiny Stitches is "Best in Show"!

For more information, visit [www.atlantaquiltshophop.com](http://www.atlantaquiltshophop.com)

### *School Rules: Class Policy and Registration Information*

*Class space is reserved on a first come basis. Class fees are due upon registration. Payment can be made on the phone, by mail or in person. We accept American Express, VISA, MasterCard or DISCOVER. Please register as soon as possible in order to guarantee your place in class. We reserve the right to cancel a class that does not meet a minimum enrollment. If we cancel class you will receive a refund. If you cannot attend a class, cancellation should be made 7 days prior to the first session in order to receive a refund. Children and guests may not accompany you to class. Doors to Tiny Stitches close daily at 5:30. We will re-open 15 minutes before class begins. Thanks! Check our calendar at [www.tinystitches.com](http://www.tinystitches.com).*

## **Tiny Stitches Annual Super "Bolt" Sunday Sale, February 5<sup>th</sup>**

*25% off stock in entire shop. (1/2 yard minimum cut on fabric purchases)*

*Take advantage of additional Savings in our classroom area.*

*9-12 "Bag" Lady hours (be sure to bring your card); 12-5 open to general public.*



### **What is a "Bag Lady"?**

*This is our frequent shopper savings program at the store. You can become a member before Super Bolt Sunday. For an annual payment of \$25.00 you receive a Bag Lady card which entitles you to 5% off **every** purchase and 15% off your entire purchase on three occasions of your choosing. You'll also receive 20% off on your birthday. (Renewing members earn an additional 15% off opportunity.)*



## **Shop Hop 2012 – March 22-25, 2012**

*Join us for a Day at the Fair – You'll be meeting all of our Blue Ribbon Prize Winners! Tiny Stitches is definitely "Best in Show"!*

