

Gathering with Friends

Barb and Friends

February 1, March 1, April 5, May 3
Thursday ~ 7:00pm

Consider joining this great group as they begin their 11th year. Each year, they focus on construction of a stunning quilt. The 2018 quilt is Heritage Square, by Whirligig Designs. At monthly meetings, you will receive instructions for making the required quilt blocks, offered in either 6" or 12" square size (for the small 35" x 35" or large 103" x 103" version of the quilt). Fabric selection and technique discussions begin the year, and every month features yummy snacks too. Sewing and treats - so much fun!

Fee: \$8.00 per month (**\$40.00 pattern required**)



Sew-n-Love

January 10, February 7, March 7, April 4, May 2
Wednesday ~ 11:00am-3:00pm

Our charity sewing group, "Sew-n-Love", will continue their stitching efforts for those in need in our area during the coming year. This "term", they will focus on supporting the Washington City Mission with Quilts of Valor for veterans transitioning from the mission to their own homes. Future stitching efforts will be made in support of the youth of Auberle, Baby Love Layettes, and Alzheimer's patients. This group accomplishes a tremendous amount - think how much more they could do with your help!

Fee: \$10.00 per session

Dresden Modern Club

January 18, February 22, March 22, April 19, May 17
Thursday ~ 7:00pm

Who knew the traditional Dresden Plate design would become one of the hottest quilt world trends?! In this club, the newest Dresden designs will be shared, those of Katja Marek. You will use her "Distinctive Dresdens" book as inspiration and instruction for unique Dresdens. Work on making a quilt with the different blocks, or make smaller projects - either way you are going to have fabulous blocks!

Fee: \$8.00 per session

Christmas Club

January 17, February 21, March 21, April 18, May 16
Wednesday ~ 10:30am

We realize the holidays just ended, but we still think it's the perfect moment to begin stitching for this year! In Christmas Club, we focus on creating smaller items which make perfect gifts. The yearlong series will use two issues of the popular "Quilts and More" magazine as a text. We will select projects from the magazines to demonstrate, showing alternate construction methods when appropriate, and add demonstrations of other new potential gift items to each meeting, as well. We begin each session with show and tell and end with a little gift for each member - enjoyable and productive - the perfect combination!

Fee: \$5.00 per session

Stash Management

January 27, February 24, March 24, April 28, May 26
Saturday ~ 10:15am

New projects, new ideas and lots of laughter fill every meeting of this group dedicated to using the fabrics already in their collections. Each session brings new show and tell and a new pattern perfect for using up the bits of fabric that pack our sewing rooms. Sewing space organizational suggestions are also offered - perfect timing as we begin the new year? We laugh at our mistakes and cheer everyone's successes - the group is a powerful source of inspiration and friendship!

Fee: \$10.00 for the entire series! (**series ends in August**)

Border Creek Mystery

February 3, March 3, April 7, May 5 and June 2
Saturday ~ 10:15am

The newest Border Creek Mystery, Sweet Sixteen, is well under way. Members of this group are busy creating segments of a quilt which won't be revealed until the final session. We have included the dates here so members can add them to their schedules.

Fabric Fanatics

January 18, February 15, March 15, April 19, May 17
Thursday ~ 7:00pm

Join this Thursday evening group of fabric-obsessed sewists to be exposed to new techniques, new fabrics and loads of inspiration. There is even a monthly challenge - nothing too difficult! Members receive a fat quarter as a gift, and then are challenged to use it in some way before the next meeting. If the fat quarter is used, they receive the next one as a gift. They would love to count you as a member.

Fee: \$5.00 per session