

## Beginning Collage ~ Making Fish!

Maureen Hartnett

*Skill level: beginner*

February 17

Saturday ~ 2:00pm – 5:00pm

If you are looking to try a new technique for creating fiber masterpieces, collage quilting could be right up your alley. This method involves a little planning, creativity, layering, and combining different textures to create visually stunning pieces. In this class, you will explore the methods of collage quilting while creating a fun, aquatic-inspired wall hanging. The intricate-looking piece is composed of small, straight strips of a wide range of prints and colors. The fusible appliqué pieces can be further enhanced with embroidery - resulting in an astonishing piece of art.

Fee: \$22.00 (**\$25.00 pattern required**)

## Intermediate Collage ~ Poki

Debbie Skundrich

*Skill level: intermediate*

February 3

Saturday ~ 1:00pm – 3:00pm

**And** February 24

Saturday ~ 3:00pm – 5:00pm

In this collage class, Debbie will help you plan (advise you on color and print selection) and begin construction of a 35" x 43" Laura Heine design. This project, a quirky giraffe, is accomplished with fussy cutting of bold prints and machine quilting.

Fee: \$27.00 (**\$30.00 pattern required**)



## The Circle Game

Mary Beth Hartnett

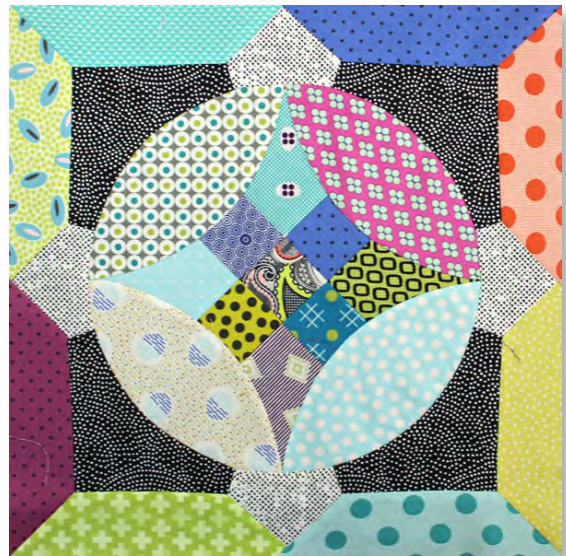
*Skill level: advanced*

March 3, March 24 and April 21

Saturday ~ 3:30pm – 5:00pm

Mary Beth loves circles (as her appliqué students know well!) and the work of Jen Kingwell, so it is no surprise that "The Circle Game" caught her attention. Jen's 73" x 73" quilt is a glorious riot of color and intricate piecing. The more Mary Beth pieced, the more she realized the potential this project held for teaching quilting techniques. You will learn how to draft several of the blocks (making for more accurate, easily pieced blocks), how to approach block construction differently than the designer intended, and how to accurately work with many different methods. Work with a multitude of your favorite prints to create a bold, contemporary work, or a far more traditional piece - make all sixteen blocks or repeat your favorites - the choices are all yours!

Fee: \$44.50 (**includes \$28.00 book**)



## Star Bright

Deb Skundrich

*Skill level: all*

May 26

Saturday ~ 3:00pm – 5:00pm

**and** June 2

Saturday ~ 3:00pm – 5:00pm

Star Bright was designed by Deb to help her make a dent in her stash (well, really she needed to make room for new favorite fabrics). The quilt is composed of four basic blocks - two make up the quilt center and two make up the borders (boy, do the borders ever enhance this one!). Star Bright is made with the help of Thangles. Thangles are easy to use and make for very precise half-square triangle units. You could make this piece from historic, modern or batik fabrics - really anything you wish!

Fee: \$25.00