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## Thursday 10/20/2022

### **Beautiful Beaded Elements: Silk Ribbon Edition**

Nick Coman

This class is a continuation of hand beading basics. In this class we will take a lace motif and use silk ribbon, embroidery and beading to make a small element that could be used on garments, hats, or even as a closure. Lots of fun, no machines, just your needles, threads and beautiful shiny beads!

Sessions: 3

Materials: \$33.00

Hands-On

Thursday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

A 4 X, B20

### **Coloring is for the Birds (BYOF)**

Jill McCloy

Adding color to your applique can be fun and sometimes unexpected. In this in-depth hands-on class, you will learn, about realistic shading in class, bonded appliqué as a base, then step by step coloring. Jill will show what appliqué stitches she likes, and you can do the stitching at home. The class sample is a cardinal in winter, but she'll show you her latest dimensional flower and a leaf if you'd like to make a spring or summer scene. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3

Materials: \$12.00

Hands-On

Thursday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

A 3X, B19

### **Quilting with Embroidery**

Barbara Moore

*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

Have you ever thought about using your embroidery machine for quilting? Join Barbara to learn the best kept secret of using the embroidery machine to create a quilted pillow top which will teach students how to

incorporate embroidery into their quilting projects using batting, fabrics, threads, and designs.

Sessions: 3

Materials: \$20.00

Hands-On

Thursday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

A 5X, B21

### **Free Motion Stitching Made Easy**

Nancy Sapin

*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

That's all free motion? Really? Well, yes, it is! Adopt Nancy's easy approach to learning and mastering free-motion stitching and trapunto work. Learn how to take a photo and turn it into a line drawing so you can create your own free motion embroidered block with expert looking results. It's not hooped machine embroidery -- it's all free motion, however, wooden hoops will be available to borrow should you desire one. There will be a focus on threads and needles, plus tips and tricks so you look like an artist. You will receive an all-inclusive kit to make this trapunto wall-hanging.

Sessions: 4

Materials: \$28.00

Hands-On

Thursday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

A 6X, B22

### **Patriot Twist Table Topper**

Lisa Sutherland

*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

Wow, look what you can do with half square triangles! Learn the basics of quilt piecing while creating this patriotic table topper. Learn how to achieve the perfect ¼-inch seam allowance, correct pressing, and an easy way to cut half square triangle that come out the right size every time. Your center block should be complete at the end of class, and you will have instructions to complete at home. All the fabric to complete the top with binding and backing is included in the kit and will be precut ready to sew so you can concentrate on learning.

Sessions: 3

Materials: \$27.00

Hands-On

Thursday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

A 7X, B23

### **Inspiring Serger Confidence**

Kathy McMakin

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

Intimidated? Fear not! The serger is your friend! It's the perfect companion for your sewing machine, as it always makes you look like a professional (even if you're not). Knowing your serger, what it can do and how to do it, will take your sewing to a whole new level. Learn how a serger works, tension settings, stitch lengths, cutting

widths, differential feed, when to have your cutter in and out of work, needle positions, basic stitches for construction, decorative stitches for embellishing and finishing and specialty stitches used in construction, embellishing and finishing, and finally troubleshooting. When you maximize your serger's potential, you maximize your own, too!

Sessions: 4  
Materials: \$15.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
A 8X, B24

### **Fitting a Dress Form to You**

Joe Vecchiarelli

When making a garment it becomes faster and more accurate to create your fit on a dress form. Learn to make simple adjustments with easy placement of sizing material on the form to mimic your shape instantaneously. You'll eliminate the frustration of fitting the paper pattern (flat) to your body (not flat). One dress form can become your body shape in seconds, and help with faster, easier and more accurate fitting results forever after.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
A 1

### **Serger 911**

Kathy Ruddy

Explore how the serger operates from the inside out as you learn how width is used to improve stitches, how to create a perfect balanced-tension control strip to test your stitches for each new fabric and thread you use, a sequential tension formula that works on any model and with all thread types and five-minute serger pocket that can be added to any pattern. If you have a serger and barely use it, or want to use it with greater proficiency, this class is a fantastic place to start!

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
A 2

### **Notions You Can't Sew Without**

Connie Palmer

Nothing makes sewing easier and more fun like using the best notion for the job! You'll feel like a magician, since all the tasks suddenly become easier – right before your eyes. See the many ways you can add to your sewing pleasure, saving time and delivering excellent results, as Connie unravels sewing techniques using scissors, measuring tools, fabric marking tools, straight pins and much, much more! Fall under Connie's enchanting spell with this eye-opening lecture.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
B17

### **Refining Pant Patterns for Your Particular Shape**

Lorraine Henry

One standard pattern shape does not fit all figure shapes! Larger curvier buttocks need a curvier pattern angle in the back and flat buttocks need a flatter angle. The angle is as important as the width differences that are needed. This applies to the abdomen issues as well. Flat abdomens can have a flatter front but larger ones need a different shape to get the length and width needed. Learn a new and better way to alter for abdomen. All legs are not the same either, full thighs, flat thighs, knock knees, bowed knees all have their own fitting needs all well.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
B18

### **Help! My Closet is Full but I Don't Have a Thing to Wear**

Abby Riba

When you open your closet do you find yourself staring in and thinking "I don't have a thing to wear!?" Let's dig into that closet and find out what you've really got. Abby will guide you step-by-step through the process of purging the unworn or not so flattering pieces from your closet to find the hidden gems. The hard part is now complete, you have "let go" of the clutter and now we build. We are building a wardrobe that is complimentary, functional, and filled with less clothing but more choices. That's a win-win!

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM  
C33X

### **Under the Sea Art Quilt**

Julie Luoma

Explore new techniques of freehand cutting, template cutting and raw edge applique that will create movement and interest to not only this quilt top, but future quilt tops as well. You will be amazed how easily this quilt top comes together right before your eyes. You don't want to miss this workshop with Julie! **Note:** You will be making design choices in class that will determine the finished size. However, it will be no larger than 18 x 40-inches.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$44.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
C36, D52XY

### **Darling Details: Sewing Children's Garments**

Kathy McMakin

Details *always* make the difference! From easy tricks for the smallest of garments, to creating perfect collars, added piping, pintucks, folded tucks, puffing, spaghetti bias, rick rack, covered buttons, pearl buttons and other embellishments..... you'll explore dozens of ways to make everything easier, and bring delightful charm to any classic garment. Discover the easiest construction

order for children's clothing, (it's different than for larger garments) and how accurate application of these "special effects" can make or break the appeal factor - generating 'oohs and aahs' (not 'oh my goodnesses')! Kathy shares her special secrets, honed over a lifetime of creating the most delicate and flawless details, so you can easily and confidently construct adorable and endearing garments – you know, the ones you and your family will cherish for a lifetime.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
C35

### **It's Sew Easy: Sewing with Knits**

Kathy Ruddy

You will see how easy it is to "body fit" your fabric and sew with knits. Discussion includes dresses and workout/leisure wear, with focus on pattern sizing, how to handle different stretch factors, plus marking, cutting, needle choice, thread options, seaming and setting in sleeves. Learn to strengthen and stabilize seams and hemlines, and control the shape of corners in this 'all-about-knits' session.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
C34

### **Embroidered Clutch (BYOF)**

Jill McCloy

*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

Hooped machine embroidery provides the base for this stylish petite clutch. You'll then choose from a trio of embellishment techniques to make your own stylish additions. A fabric covered snap closure and finishing techniques bring it all together. Select from hand beading, heat set crystals or manipulated machine stitches to personalize and beautify. Receive instructions for all three techniques, plus directions to use the embroidered base for the central panel of a charming, flanged boudoir pillow. **Note:** You only need to bring the clutch materials, general sewing supplies and the materials for one embellishment technique. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$12.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
C37, D53XY

### **Bias Waist Palazzo Pant**

Nick Coman

*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*  
Palazzos are back! Contrary to popular belief, they are super flattering on just about everyone, and so very comfortable, like a favorite pair of sweats, but stylish enough to wear out. Create your very own pair of this simple yet elegant style with full or not so full legs. You

decide. The secret to this stunning pair of pants is the bias-cut waist band that allows it to sit smoothly at the hip, giving you the ease of an elastic waist band with the look of a fitted garment.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$68.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
C38, D54, E70

### **Boxy Bag**

Connie Palmer

*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

Connie is always on the lookout for great projects to share and this cute little tote for your sewing supplies and more is no exception. The piecing on the front is done quickly and easily using Ten Sister's Easy Piecing Grid. No worries about matching corners. It all comes together perfectly. Inside are 4 pockets to help you stay organized. You'll finish the pockets with piping and a clever 3-ring circle closure draws the top closed. Leave class with a great bag and some great new techniques to make your sewing more enjoyable.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$32.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
C39, D55XY

### **Quilt Piecing by Serger (BYOF)**

Alicia Welcher

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

Using a serger to piece a quilt top? Absolutely! Come learn how quick and easy quilt piecing can be when done on a serger. Learn how to determine if a quilt pattern is suitable for serging, how to serge 1/4-inch seams and much, much more! You'll even leave with a completed quilt top! Finished size approximately 43 x 55-inches. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3  
Hands-On  
Thursday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
C40, D56XY

### **Commercial Notions for the Home Studio**

Joe Vecchiarelli

Learn about the specialty tools and notions used in the fashion industry for all types of pattern work, and how to use them for better, faster and more accurate results. These are the same tools found in the toolboxes of fashion professionals in NYC and Hollywood – they help you to move swiftly, accurately and surely through all your pattern work. Whether you're creating a new design from scratch, adjusting an existing pattern's fit, re-styling,

re-shaping or re-designing a great-fitting pattern, using the proper tools allows you to enjoy what you're doing, not worry about how to go about doing it. Includes the what, why, where, when and how for a collection of important fashion rulers, marking tools and more – an essential class for those who design or sew fashion.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
D49

### **Getting to Know Your Serger**

Kathy McMakin  
When sewists talk about sergers do you feel like you need a translator? Upper loopers...lower loopers... chain loopers...differential feed...five needles....WHAT??? You have got to be kidding! Kathy will start at the VERY BEGINNING, explaining the ins and outs of sergers and why we love them so. As she does, she'll introduce all the critical, we-use-them-over-and-over techniques: starting and stopping seams, handling corners and curves and serging on knits; how to create lettuce edges and gathers; using flatlock, cover stitch, chain stitch and more. Suddenly you'll understand the love affair so many of us have with our sergers!

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
D51

### **It "Seams" to Fit**

Lorraine Henry  
There are three different methods of pattern alteration one may use - the original slash and spread, the pivot and slide which was more accurate in many cases, and now the "new" seam method which was developed off the pivot and slide but is much more "user friendly". It has produced many "Ah-ha" moments for those who alter existing patterns for better fit. A British sewer declared that it has "revolutionized her sewing!" It is by far the easiest and most accurate way to alter a pattern. Another new development is the order one should follow in checking your measurements and doing the alterations. This has made a world of differences in understanding where and when changes need to occur on the pattern.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM  
D50XY

### **Wonderful World of Water Solubles**

Nancy Sapin  
Water soluble stabilizers can be useful in so many different ways! Explore a variety of applications, including free-motion quilting, 3-D applique, machine embroidery, paper piecing, making designer scarves and much, much more. Learn the "ins and outs" of proper storage, printing on a stabilizer and wash-away tips. You'll find inspiration in the many ways these magical stabilizers will enhance your creativity.

Sessions: 1  
Thursday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
E65

### **Draping Fundamentals: Upper Body**

Joe Vecchiarelli  
Discover why draping is the secret to truly fit the body and develop basic draping and patternmaking skills with hands on experience. Create a draped bodice (back and front) using a standard dress form, then turn the resulting muslin into a pattern using garment industry techniques. The resulting sloper is what designers use as a foundation for patternmaking with custom-developed pattern blocks. You'll even learn how to manipulate darts using cutting and spreading.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$87.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
F84X, G100

### **DIY Quilted Vest (BYOF)**

Jessica Cramer  
*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*  
In this class we will learn how to channel stitch fabric for a beautiful Oriental style vest. The fabric is quilted first or pre-quilted fabric can be purchased to save time. Then construction begins as we sew together, in class, to produce a fabulous vest! Students will learn the Hong Kong Seam finish, how to bind seam allowances, construct a mandarin collar, and finish square armholes. Recommended for intermediate to advanced students.  
***Kit is available for purchase or supply your own fabrics. See supply list for details.***

Sessions: 3  
Hands-On  
Thursday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
F85X, G101

### **A Tisket a Tasket, I Need a Cute Basket**

Marsha Kirsch  
*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*  
If you have ever taken a class with Marsha, you know that fun is in the making. If you haven't, now is the time to join in the fun as you create a cute basket. It's great for holding thread, bobbins, clips, etc...and it makes a perfect gift for that special friend. You will learn how to combine specialty stitches from the sewing machine along with some special sewing techniques as you "build" this practical and delightful basket. Come join in the fun!

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$22.00  
Hands-On  
Thursday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
F86X, G102

### **Magic Jacket (BYOF)**

Nick Coman

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

This Dolman sleeve jacket is "Magic" because it works on all figure types and makes up in fabrics from Knits to Linen or Rayon. Easy to sew, and great for wearable art applications. This will be your go-to jacket for that quick to make easy to wear wardrobe essential. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 4

Materials: \$22.00

Hands-On

Thursday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM

F88X, G104

### **Greenbelt (BYOF)**

Kelly Garcia

*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*  
Half square triangles don't have to be boring! Greenbelt is created from one block using half square triangles. But don't let the thought of making all those half square triangles scare you away. Kelly will teach you an easy method guaranteed to give you perfect results every time. So, dig into your scrap box or run to the fabric store for coordinating fabrics, or feel free to do both, for this very modern quilt. You will be amazed at how easily you will master this technique as you stitch a few blocks (or more) in class. You'll have the tools and know how to finish your project at home. Choose the size you want to make, from baby to queen. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3

Hands-On

Friday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

H118X, J134

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## **Friday 10/21/2022**

### **The Custom Sleeve Pattern**

Joe Vecchiarelli

Have you struggled with sleeves that are too big, too small, or just don't seem quite right? Join Joe for this hands-on sleeve pattern drafting class. You will be using your very own measurements to create a pattern that is perfect for you. Once you have a basic well-fitting sleeve, you can use this as the basis for any type of sleeve you desire. Joe will guide you through the entire process of measuring, pattern drafting and adjusting. See how to make corrections to balance the sleeve cap to the bodice for the perfect fitting sleeve. This will in turn improve and simplify your sewing. You will leave class with a drafted sleeve pattern that is just right for you.

Sessions: 1

Materials: \$32.00

Hands-On

Friday 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM

H116X

### **Handy Hobby Handbag**

Nancy Sapin

*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

Hobby bags are so useful for sewers, knitters, or just when you need a small handbag. We will learn to add a set-in zipper and/or a hidden zipper. We will create a pocket that will be between the bag layers. This bag is also a reversible handbag which becomes two bags in one. Nancy will also show you how to alter your pattern to create exactly what you want for your personal needs. There will be many samples on display with ideas how to personalize your handbag. This bag is so versatile and a great gift idea you will finish in class.

Sessions: 3

Materials: \$28.00

Hands-On

Friday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

H119X, J135

### **Music City Collage Quilt**

Hope Yoder

*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

Mix media, shapes, and colors to create a mini quilt masterpiece. The different textures from wood, string, laser-cut fabrics, and thread make this project come alive. Yes! You read that correctly, you will be using wood to create this beautiful masterpiece. Join Hope Yoder as she guides you through the EASY steps to creating this incredible in-the-hoop collage mini quilt that will be the envy of all your crafty friends.

Sessions: 3

Materials: \$47.00

Hands-On

Friday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM

H117X, J133

### **Knit Tee-Top: Serging for Rookies**

Kathy McMakin

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

Unbelievable! A whole knit tee-top in just a few hours? Are you kidding me? You can do it! We promise! It's quick, easy, looks very professional, and it's all created with your serger. We have chosen a luscious, soft-as-butter knit in combination with its dyed-to-match ribbing to make the perfect outfit for your child – and all the techniques can be used for older kids and adults, too. Learn the tricks for serging knits while unlocking the mystery of differential feed. Attach a circular neck binding perfectly, in a snap. The hem of the tee can be finished with a lettuce-edge for a frilly look or a cover stitch for the more tailored version. Machine embroidery can be added at a later time to personalize. You'll watch your project take shape before your very eyes, and by

the end of class you'll want to make this little knit tee-top in every color. Child's size M is created in class, and your materials fee includes the pattern for children's sizes XS - XL.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$23.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
H120X, J136

### **Notions You Can't Sew Without**

Connie Palmer  
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Sessions: 1  
Friday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
H113

### **Embroidering Knits**

Alicia Welcher  
Knits can confound even the most seasoned embroiderer from time to time. Alicia has had plenty of experience working with a wide range of knits over the years, and has collected all her favorite, tried and true techniques for you. Join her as she shares her collection of top tips and easy tricks for getting the best embroidery possible -- even on the stretchiest of knits.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
H115

### **The No Pattern Wardrobe: Jackets and Skirts**

Jill McCloy  
Flattering your figure is all about proportion, style and drape. This wardrobe of fast and easy garments that you design to reflect your personal style will keep you looking good, feeling comfortable and make a unique statement. Jill will illustrate and explain how to construct the many samples she will show and help you start designing your very own look. We'll discuss proportion, measuring, ease, construction techniques and how to get the most becoming looks for your figure.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
H114

### **Achieving Success in Pattern Alteration**

Lorraine Henry  
There is an order to follow in making pattern alterations that will make all the difference in achieving successful fit. Receive tips on effective measuring and watch a

demonstration of altering a pattern for a figure with multiple variations which so many of us have. It works wonders for figures needing asymmetrical changes. This remarkable development will change your fitting experiences for good!

Sessions: 1  
Friday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
J129

### **Balancing the Armhole**

Joe Vecchiarelli  
As we age our body also changes. Things have shifted or become rounder or hopefully slimmer. When dealing with the armhole, patterns may have the same measurement front and back. However, is your body really the same front and back? How will that affect the fit and look of the sleeve? Let's bring it all into balance as Joe guides you through the steps involved to truly balance the pattern for a beautiful fit in the armhole area as well as giving you the mobility you desire.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
J132

### **You Want to Hoop THAT?**

Alicia Welcher  
Feel like you're missing out on something? Like knowing how to hoop things that just don't look hoop-able? Those days are over, as Alicia shares easy ways to tame those seemingly impossible items and get them under your embroidery needle without a struggle. As with all her courses, she starts with the most basic process and builds, in clear, easy-to-follow steps, to the most sophisticated techniques. Share the journey as she works with a variety of totes, a hat, a cosmetic bag, and more delicate items, including a one-piece baby bodysuit, organza patches and a double-layered knit blanket – seven very different types of items, seven different approaches. From tough and sturdy to small and tricky to dainty and fine, the projects represent many of the challenges we come upon in our everyday embroidery practice.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
J131

### **Pictorial Quilts**

Jill McCloy  
Designed for those of you with ideas, but not sure of the direction to take and for those seeking inspiration. Jill will have examples of how and where she finds her ideas. Get insight on how to turn your own ideas into a usable pattern with an interesting and exciting focal point and learn how to choose the background that best displays it. Discover her, sometimes unorthodox techniques for creating depth and dimension. Get some insight on the use of art supplies and found objects. You do not need to be an artist to create a lovely and appealing pictorial

quilt. And just for fun be sure to ask Jill how many kinds of white out she has and about her eraser collection!

Sessions: 1  
Friday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
J130

### **Stabilizer Pairing: Hope Yoder's Guide to Pucker-Free Embroidery**

Hope Yoder  
Have you heard of "wine pairing?" In this course, Hope will teach you the formula she uses to pair different fabric types to the right stabilizer based on design density and stitch count. If you have wondered why something looked good until you un-hooped it, this class is for you! Using Hope's tried and true formula will have your machine embroidered pieces pucker-free in no time.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 12:30 PM - 2:00 PM  
K146X

### **Secrets to Success with Unusual Fabrics**

Cheryl Sleboda  
Sewing with an unfamiliar fabric can be intimidating. What is the best way to handle a particular fabric? As an enthusiastic cosplayer, Cheryl has learned what it takes to work with many different types of fabrics. She will share the secrets of the trade to tame even the most challenging of fabrics that may be outside your current comfort zone.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 1:00 PM - 2:00 PM  
K145

### **Pants for YOU: Personal Fit and Styling**

Kathy Ruddy  
Create the only pant pattern you'll need for years to come! Measurements and visual keys are the foundation for creating your own custom pants pattern. Each member of the class will receive a visual fit chart on which Kathy will analyze and record the changes you'll be making to your base pattern. Using a single student, she will demonstrate taking correct measurements. As time allows and using one class member's chart, see how to apply personal changes to a pants pattern to create a custom fit block. Apply fit changes with Kathy's guidance, then practice how to use your pattern block to restyle the leg to follow current trends.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$30.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 1:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
K148, L164, M180

### **Flowers, Buds and Leaves: A Ribbon and Fabric Bouquet**

Kathy McMakin  
Luscious ribbons of all sizes and colors are folded and stitched in a variety of ways that transform them into beautiful flowers, buds and leaves. Kathy introduces these simple techniques along with how to hold your hands and fingers while twisting, flipping, rotating, or folding the ribbons. Learn a couple of fabric flower tricks, too! You will love watching the flowers "bloom" right before your very eyes. Arrange your gorgeous roses, wild flowers, folded leaves and tiny buds to create a mini-bouquet, the perfect addition to a variety of projects including pretty garments (tees, dresses and gowns), pillows, picture frames, book marks, hats and porcelain boxes; or, add a pin back to create a brooch to be worn on a scarf or sweater. This is a project we promise you will enjoy!

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$15.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 1:00 PM - 3:30 PM  
K147, L163

### **I "Heart" Fans (BYOF)**

Jill McCloy  
*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*  
The heart fan is the 4th in Jill's asymmetric fan series and uses a template to shape the fan. It has an interlacing turned fan base for perfect curves and features machine "hand quilting". You'll have a choice between a new dimensional flower or an appliqué flower if you'd prefer a flat surface. There is also a choice between a full size 12" block or 4" mini block with a shamrock option. You will receive directions and patterns for all choices but will select one to make in class. We will also play with stitch manipulation for the embroidery over the fan seams to keep everything in scale. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$12.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
K149, L165XY

### **Peek A Boo Portfolio**

Connie Palmer  
*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*  
There's not a fabric or non-fabric that stumps Connie. Why? Because she figures out all the easiest, no-fail methods, which notions help most and how to choose designs that ensure success. Share in all of that knowledge as you create this practical portfolio in class. Learn all about setting your machine up for vinyl with the correct accessory feet, needles and threads. The pretty fabric accent and simple zipper installation complete your experience, and you'll leave

with complete directions and a finished bag. All materials included.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$18.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
K150, L166XY

### **The Perfect Bias Tee**

Nick Coman

*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

This beautiful woven tee has a bias drape and cut on sleeves. There are only two pieces to cut, the sewing is easy, and the length and look are variable depending on the look you want. This is a great wardrobe builder that is easy to wear and versatile. Depending on the fabric you choose, it can go from boardroom to cocktails. Give it a try and find your new favorite go to garment. Fabric for this project will be included in the kit.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$48.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
K151, L167XY

### **Intermediate Serger Technique Notebook**

Alicia Welcher

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

Ready to take your serging skills beyond the basics? Come join serger expert, Alicia Welcher, for a few hours as she shares her best methods for perfecting techniques such as serging in the round, attaching elastic for waistbands, beautifully pointed corners, serging knits like a pro and many more! During this class, you will start to build a notebook of serger techniques that you can use on almost any project you can imagine.

Sessions: 4  
Materials: \$22.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 1:00 PM - 4:00 PM  
K152, L168XY

### **Trivets, Bowls, Coasters and More**

Nancy Sapin

See clothesline projects galore.....explore Nancy's journey from creating wrapped clothesline bowls and hats, to designing square-center based trivets, coasters, purses, boxes and much, much more. Don't miss this awesome trunk show as Nancy explains her secrets and how different Sulky products solved her design issues.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 2:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
L161

### **Turn Your Craft into CA\$H: Start or Scale Your Business Today!**

Hope Yoder

Have you ever thought about selling your craft? Maybe you're not sure how to get started? Or you already sell but want to scale your business. This lecture is perfect for everyone who wants to take the steps to becoming an entrepreneur. Hope has helped countless people turn their craft into cash and she is looking forward to helping you! Product ideas, pricing, time management, networking and social media will be discussed. Turn your craft into CA\$H now!

Sessions: 1  
Friday 2:30 PM - 4:00 PM  
L162XY

### **Pattern Alteration for Not So Basic Styles**

Lorraine Henry

Many styles require more thought and care in alteration procedures. Styles without darts make it harder to alter for larger busts. Raglan and dolman sleeves are more challenging to alter for shoulder variations. Shoulder alterations can mean collar alterations, too. One-piece dress alterations may be different than those for separates for 'below the waist' figure variations. Discover how to approach these and other more challenging style situations.

Sessions: 1  
Friday 4:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
M177

### **Draping Fundamentals: Lower Body**

Joe Vecchiarelli

Learn the fundamentals of draping pants as you work along with Joe to create a basic straight pant using a body form. Includes learning about taking proper measurements, comparing them to the body form, calculating for and drawing the initial pattern from those measurements and then tweaking it on the form itself. Complete the creation of several pant styles in class, working in groups of 3 or 4: straight leg, cigarette, palazzo and discuss darts and the conversion to pleats. You'll leave with all the tools and knowledge to drape your own pants on your body double at home.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$96.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
N196X, P212

### **Art and Charcuterie Party with Hope Yoder**

Hope Yoder

Relax and unwind with Hope Yoder as she brings her fun Art & Charcuterie Party to OSQE. Make the "Be Happy Giraffe" paint project using mixed media materials including wood, fabric, paint, and Modge Podge. No painting skills required. While crafting, learn the secrets of making a swoon-worthy charcuterie board, including



how to make a salami rose. After the live charcuterie demo concludes, our snacks are ready to eat. It's a party, a craft, and food! What better way to end a day at the Expo.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$37.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
N195X, P211

### **Double Stars with The Combat Quilter**

Andrew Lee

*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

Join Andrew Lee, aka The Combat Quilter, to learn the basics of making the Double Star with half square triangles. Learn all the steps and why we make the blocks the way we do. You will also get to try your hand at a great way to make flying geese. By the end of class, you will have one, if not both, of the star blocks sewn and the topper or table runner (You get to choose!) well on its way to being complete. The kits provided will be precut and ready to sew so you can concentrate on learning the sewing and pressing techniques. Kit will make two table toppers with binding or a table runner in your choice of Patriotic or Christmas fabric.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$38.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
N199X, P215

### **Front Drape Knit Top for Serger (BYOF)**

Nick Coman

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

You're going to love this little draped tee; it wears perfectly at home all by itself or under a blazer or cardigan. The magic here comes from the drapey of a rayon jersey or ITY (Interlock Twist Yarn) knit and the ease of sewing it up on a serger. There is no doubt this will soon be your "Go To" knit top. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 4  
Materials: \$22.00  
Hands-On  
Friday 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM  
N200X, P216

beginning of building your own pattern alteration reference file. Working with half-scale practice patterns, learn how to alter for common variations in these four areas using the new Seam method of alteration. Experience altering for a figure with more than one variation and learn how important it is to follow the 'length before width' rule. Your clothes may begin to fit so well you will LOVE sewing garments again!

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$19.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Q228X, R244

### **Clone Your Clothes**

Kathy Ruddy

We all have garments in our wardrobe that fit well and feel fabulous when worn. Wouldn't it be great if you could take a pattern from those same finished garments and create a whole new wardrobe of styles inspired by your favorite looks? Kathy will guide you through the process of taking a 3-dimensional garment to a flat pattern. Learn the rules for copying sleeves, darts, seams, and gathers. Make the sewing experience smoother and more gratifying, as you easily recreate garments in your own fusion of styles and fabrics. Bring your favorite garment to class that you want to copy and Kathy may use it as an example in class.

Sessions: 1  
Materials: \$7.00  
Saturday 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM  
Q227X

### **In the Hoop: Cord Minders**

Alicia Welcher

*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

Cords, cords everywhere! Today's electronic conveniences all come with cords – charging cords, power cords, you name it. Tame that jumble of cords today! These handy cord minders are made from durable cork and marine vinyl fabrics and will keep your cords organized and labeled and the three available sizes fit just about any cord you can imagine.

Sessions: 2  
Materials: \$12.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 8:30 AM - 10:00 AM  
Q229X

### **Acute Angle Blouse**

Nick Coman

*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

This bias-cut blouse is a stunner. Made up in woven fabric, it skims the body while accentuating the right curves, and there is no need to be afraid of those stretchy bias seams. This blouse is all sewn on the straight of grain, making it a breeze to put together. This

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## **Saturday 10/22/2022**

### **Pattern Alteration Bootcamp**

Lorraine Henry

Bellies, boobs, butts and backs: the four main areas of our bodies that give us our "fitting fits!" Since there are 88 different figure variations, this workshop is the

will be one of your go to patterns. There are three neck variations and several sleeve variations as well. Fabric color choices are Aqua, Lilac, Turquoise and Dusty Rose.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$68.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Q230X, R246

### **In the Pink (BYOF)**

Jill McCloy  
*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

This class is a real mix of techniques. The pinks fabric makes use of a bleach pen to discharge color for blended variegation in the dimensional petals. The vases feature both appliqué shading and pencil shading; there is ruching for flower shaping; paper piecing for the background, colored pencil accents on the dimensional leaves and two hand embroidery stitches for added detail. That is a huge amount of creativity in this diminutive 5 x 6-inch mini. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$12.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Q231X, R247

### **The Quick Serger Tote with Pockets**

Kathy McMakin  
*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

Can you ever have toooooo many totes? Absolutely not, never!!! We always need something to carry all of our stuff. This easy-to-construct tote will be completed in three hours and ready to fill!! For your tote pockets, you will attach and create piping with your sergers AND insert a zipper. Plus, learn a simple binding technique. Come and join the serger fun!

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$25.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 8:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
Q232X, R248

### **Fitting a Dress Form to You**

Joe Vecchiarelli  
When making a garment it becomes faster and more accurate to create your fit on a dress form. Learn to make simple adjustments with easy placement of sizing material on the form to mimic your shape instantaneously. You'll eliminate the frustration of fitting the paper pattern (flat) to your body (not flat). One dress form can become your body shape in seconds, and help with faster, easier and more accurate fitting results forever after.

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
Q225

### **How to Create a Fabric Technique Notebook**

Nancy Sapin  
If you wish to just learn a technique in class or on your own, and not create an entire project that you probably won't finish, let's learn how to create a technique page and make a fabric technique notebook. Also, you will learn how to print your directions onto a permanent stabilizer that will become the back of your technique page. Never lose your directions again. We will examine different ways to finish each page, size your page, and technique ideas you will want to re-examine in your future.

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 9:00 AM - 10:00 AM  
Q226

### **Notions You Can't Sew Without**

Connie Palmer  
Nothing makes sewing easier and more fun like using the best notion for the job! You'll feel like a magician, since all the tasks suddenly become easier – right before your eyes. See the many ways you can add to your sewing pleasure, saving time and delivering excellent results, as Connie unravels sewing techniques using scissors, measuring tools, fabric marking tools, straight pins and much, much more! Fall under Connie's enchanting spell with this eye-opening lecture.

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
R241

### **Llamas in Pajamas: Paint Party**

Hope Yoder  
Make memories while painting with your bestie at the Llamas in Pajamas party. Family and friends are so important, and studies show families that craft together laugh together. Ok, I just made that up, but I promise this will be an experience to cherish forever. Each kit consists of a wood Llama you can customize with your choice of paint colors. No skills required. So, grab your mom, sister, brother, best friend and let's paint, laugh and have a good time together!

Sessions: 2  
Materials: \$31.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
R243X

### **Pants: One Pattern Five Styles**

Kathy Ruddy  
With knowledge of different sewing skills the same pant pattern can be turned into any style that you prefer. Kathy knows the easiest fast ways and in this class she will share them with you. Learn more about basic pull-on

waist, "Eat Cookies" comfy tailored waist, contour elastic waist, faced waist and jeans fly zipper waist. There truly is something for every skill level.

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 10:30 AM - 11:30 AM  
R242

### **In the Hoop: Sewing Accessories**

Alicia Welcher

*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

This adorable pincushion and matching scissor case will add a touch of whimsy to any sewing room. They are both created in the embroidery hoop – no sewing required! Come learn how easy it is to create projects using the embroidery functions of your sewing/embroidery machine.

Sessions: 2  
Materials: \$12.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 10:30 AM - 12:00 PM  
R245X

### **Trade Secrets of the Body Form Use**

Joe Vecchiarelli

Joe Vecchiarelli, professional garment fitter for *Dancing with the Stars*, will demonstrate how to alter a combination of commercial patterns and ready-made garments together to achieve an accurate and comfortable fit on the body form. With his trade secrets, you too can have better fitting garments in no time!

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 12:00 PM - 1:30 PM  
S257X

### **Wool Felt Hand Applique and Embroidery (BYOF)**

Jill McCloy

Have fun with wool felt appliqué and some wonderfully easy hand embroidery. No turning or edge finishing, just go straight to the fun and creativity of embroidery, with dimensional petals and beaded accents. We'll do a simple central motif and add some progressive borders that will allow you to play and build on stitches without having an overwhelming project to finish. ***Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.***

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$12.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
S260, T276X

### **Stabilizing for Embroidery, Quilting and Beyond: Building a Stabilizer Notebook**

Nancy Sapin

Let's make sense of stabilizers. Understanding stabilizing, what to use where, when and how can be very confusing and frustrating. In this class, we will be

creating a notebook that will guide you to the correct stabilizer for all your sewing and embroidery needs. We will explore each type of stabilizer, the best use for each one and Nancy will share a trunk show which will further your understanding.

Sessions: 4  
Materials: \$22.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
S259, T275X

### **Pushing the Pattern Envelope**

Cheryl Sleboda

If you are new to garment sewing, deciphering what all those crazy terms and numbers on the pattern envelope mean can be a bit daunting. During this class, you will learn how to decode the pattern envelope and see how the information given has evolved over time.

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 1:30 PM  
S258

### **Quilting on the Grid Zipper Bag**

Connie Palmer

*In the Husqvarna Viking Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

Quick, easy and accurate piecing all made possible using a piecing grid. In class, we will use 1 1/2-inch finished size grid to make the front of this handy zipper bag that is completely lined with no seams showing. The fun doesn't stop there, we will jazz it up with a fold-over elastic and netting pocket on the back to make the bag even more user friendly.

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$24.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
S261, T277X

### **Strip Tease: Borders that Really Dance! (BYOF)**

Julie Luoma

*In the Pfaff Studio sponsored by Sewing Machines Etc*

Measure, chop and create amazing borders by using only strips of fabric. Creativity does not have to be complicated. You will be pleasantly surprised and pleased with where you can go when you let go of the rules. Sign up for this class with Julie today! ***Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.***

Sessions: 3  
Materials: \$28.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
S262, T278X

### **Hollywood Boulevard (BYOF)**

Kelly Garcia

*In the Janome Studio sponsored by Chattanooga Sewing Machines*

Create your own walk of fame using the Wedge Star tool and some strip piecing. Don't be fooled by the complex look of the pattern, it is easier than you might think. We will take it nice and slow, one step at a time, and make wedge star blocks together. Kelly will explain the use of the tool and demonstrate how to use it, and then assist you to learn to make the blocks. Working with this tool usually leads to some fun and interesting ideas for more quilts! The quilt pattern includes 3 sizes for you to choose from; lap, twin, or queen - the only difference in the sizes is how many blocks you make. **Bring your own fabric; see supply list for details.**

Sessions: 3  
Hands-On  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
S263, T279X

### **5 Zippers, 5 Bags, One Serger**

Alicia Welcher

*In the Juki Serger Studio sponsored by Sewingmachine.com Southeast Sewing*

Have fun and build your serger skills at the same time. This is the perfect class for everyone who loves to sew and wants to increase her dexterity with the serger. Discover a fantastic collection of bags, zipper techniques and serger tricks – all wrapped up in helpful tips and lots of creative choices. You'll definitely learn to install zippers a bunch of different ways -- all on the serger of course. And, you'll pick up tricks bag designers use all the time, so you can create your own bag styles as easily as imagining them. So ... if you love all kinds of bags, this is the perfect course for you, too!

Sessions: 4  
Materials: \$28.00  
Hands-On  
Saturday 12:30 PM - 3:30 PM  
S264, T280X

### **Sleeve Solutions**

Lorraine Henry

Do you realize there is a direct relationship between fitting sleeves and fitting pants, think crotch shape and depth. All correlations will be revealed in this sleeve seminar. You may have a "mature" arm or a thin arm, forward arm joint, inward, or outward rotation of the elbow. These and other arm variations can give one "fitting fits" when it comes to working with sleeve patterns. Learn how to recognize the variation and make the necessary adjustments for a comfortable, well-fitting sleeve. Style solutions will be addressed as well as a demo on how to set in a sleeve smoothly. Sleeve Solutions will significantly solve your sewing sighs!

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 2:00 PM - 3:30 PM  
T273X

### **Clone Your Clothes Construction Techniques**

Kathy Ruddy

Kathy shares her 70 years' experience of finding the easiest ways to sew the clothes that she copies. You will learn how to finish a ruffle hem neckline using bias stay tape & sheer delight interfacing for perfect control, sew a scarf collar neckline finish from the Hallmark movie "Fixing Pete", hide the cookies you ate with a scrunchy scarf, add and stitch a smooth dart to improve fit, hemming made easy with double sided fusible, and how to use bias to improve fit and comfort and so much more.

Sessions: 1  
Saturday 2:00 PM - 3:00 PM  
T274