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# Quilters Depot

It's a Quilt Store & So MUCH MORE!

Quilters Depot Hours: M,W,Th, & F 10am to 6pm Tues: 10am to 8pm  
Sat: 9am to 3pm Sun: CLOSED! **If we have classes we are open for you!**  
11/1-2/28 we close @5pm for winter hours

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## Jennifer's Blog

Usually I sit on my couch and write the newsletter. I am trying to at least start it at the store as I sit here on a Saturday. The only problem I find is as I sit here and write I think of something else I have to do!

**Retreat** is filling up fast! We only have about four more spots for people to reserve! The number might change as people find out they can't come but for now I'm saying four! Contact Jenn sooner rather than later!

**I am excited** to announce we will be having a Handi Quilter Educational Event in December! We will be welcoming Susan Jungerheld to the Depot for four awesome classes! See the write-up farther in the newsletter for more about Susan and about the classes I have picked for you!

**Here is another** reminder that Peggy will be doing two sessions of her Free Motion Quilting class! Register early because these classes always fill up and there is always someone disappointed that they did not get in! The sessions will be **Saturday, November 18th** from 9am to 3pm. If that date does not work Peggy is also going to be teaching it on **Saturday, December 9th from 9am to 3pm.** **Classes in September**, include Mom teaching the most popular pattern on our Distributors site

for many years. It's the Yellow Brick Road! She will be doing a day and night! She doesn't usually do the night classes this late in the year, but I conned her into it!

**Jane will** be doing a Crazy Cut Quilt! You will definitely want to sign up for this one!

**Crazy** is the theme for September! Verna will be doing a Crazy Quilt Picture Frame in Machine Embroidery. Not a frame of the picture fan. You can also make it into a Mug Rug! Remember in Verna's classes you always leave with a finished project!

**Emily will be** knitting and crocheting Finger gloves in September. No we do not want to think about wearing them, but get them done so you will be ready for that harsh winter they say we will be having. Do they say that every year?

**Peggy has the Cutest Quilt** in September. We are calling it the Dogs in Sweat-

ers! If you have not seen the sample hanging up in the store you will want to check out the picture in this newsletter. The doggy with the glasses is too cute for words! Her Technique class continues also!

**We will be** in month 3 of my special Project class of Sayings by Ju Ju! I have figured out what I am doing with the first block, family. I am going to frame it and start to hang pictures on my apartment wall surrounding it. Please do not take bets though how long this will take me! **We will be celebrating** our 8th Anniversary and starting into our Ninth year! Can you believe we have been here this long! We will be having some special things going on during the month to celebrate you and us being together for all these years! One of the things I know we will be doing is gathering all of our samples that we no longer have the patterns for and selling them off! Some will be completed and some will not. If it's an uncompleted and you want me to long arm it there will be a discount from my normal charges.

**UFO's are back in September!** Come join us for one of two Friday evenings and get your work done! Make sure you check out the calendar in case I forgot to tell you something!

**Remember**, Starting September we are no longer open late on Tuesday nights. Thursday will be our late night!

*Remember the one with the most stash wins Jenn*



brother  
at your side



# September 2017 @Quilters Depot

## Quilting:

**“Techniques” Quilt Class – Half-Square & Quarter-Square Triangles:** We are offering a special half day class on a more advanced quilting technique - Half-Square & Quarter-Square Triangles. In this class you will learn various ways to create these pieces and the many, many ways you can put them together. **Level 200: When:** Saturday, September 16th @ 9:00 am to Noon. **Cost:** \$20 + supplies. **Teacher:** Peggy Gibson



**Yellow Brick Road:** The Yellow Brick Road quilt has been around for a long time, but yet it is one of the top selling quilt patterns you will find. Come learn how to make this quick and easy quilt. You will not want to stop at just one! **Level 100: When: Session 1:** Tuesday, September 12th and 19th @ 1 to 4pm. **Session 2:** Fridays, September 15th and 22nd @5:30 to 8pm. **Cost:** \$25 + supplies. **Teacher:** Pauline Shushnar



**Dog in Sweaters Quilt:** Peggy thought the “Dogs in Sweaters” Pattern by Elizabeth Hartman was a cute quilt that is really popular right now and would be fun to make. It also gives you a chance to use “plaids” in your quilt. We have a wide selection to choose from in the shop. The pattern is required for the class and is available at the store. This class is rated as a level 200 because it requires precise cutting of pieces and accurate 1/4” seams to get it all to fit together. **Level 200: When:** Saturday September 16th @ noon to 3pm and Saturday September 23rd @9am to 3pm. That’s right two weeks and the second bring your lunch or we will order out! **Cost:** \$25 + supplies. **Teacher:** Peggy Gibson



**Crazy Cut Quilt: aka Baybee Bee Quilt:** Looking for a new and unusual way to create a quilt? Join us in sewing simple blocks together, then cutting it into three pieces, turning the pieces and sewing them back together. Whal-la! A new and exciting quilt. No setting triangles or Y seams. This is for a confident beginner to an advanced quilter! You will be working from the book *Simple Blocks, Stunning Quilt* (available in store! **Level 200: When: Session 1:** Wednesdays, September 13th and 20th and 27th@5:30 to 8pm. **Session 2:** Fridays, September 15th and 22nd and

29th @10:30 to 1pm. **Cost:** \$25 + supplies + book. **Teacher:** Jane Casne



## Knitting/Crochet:

**Knit/Crochet Class: Fold Over Fingerless Gloves:** Even though we do not want to think about winter; now is the time to think about keeping your hands warm! Make a pair of fingerless gloves that will cover your fingers when you are driving or walking outside, and fold back for texting, looking for loose change, etc. This is a two week class! **Level 200 class. When: Session 1:** Thursday, September 14th and 21st @5:30 to 8:30pm. **Session 2:** Saturdays, September 9th and 30th @noon to 3pm. **Supplies:** Both versions: 2 skeins Lion Brand Landscapes Yarn, or 1 skein Red Heart Supersaver or comparable medium weight yarn; yarn needle **Knit version:** 1 set size 7 double pointed needles, removable stitch marker, scrap yarn (for thumb stitches) **Crochet version:** Size H/8 crochet hook.

**Cost:** \$30+ supplies.

**Teacher:**  
**Emily Klaczak.**



# September @Quilters Depot Continued

## Clubs:

**Knit/Crochet Klub:** Emily will be on hand to help you with those pesky issues you have been having. Whether it is knit or crochet! Haven't been knitting or crocheting? This is a fun filled night where you can just come in with your knitting or crochet or hand work and chat and work on your projects! Have ideas on classes you want to see? Come discuss them with us so that we provide you with the classes you want!

**When:** Thursday, 9/7 @5:30pm.

**Cost:** \$FREE\$

## Machine Embroidery Club—

**Crazy Quilt Picture Frame:** This month we will be making a crazy quilt picture frame. Do not want a picture frame? You can make it into a mug rug if you so choose! Any machine brand is welcomed as long as you have an usb! Need a machine we sell them! **When: Session 1:** Thursday, September 21st @1 to 4pm. **Session 2:** Thursday evening, September 28th @6 to 9pm **Cost:** \$15. **Hosted by:** Verna Spargo.



## Sewing Circles & UFO

**UFO nights:** UFO's are back in September! We have two for you! Let's start getting our projects done and out the door! It's never too early to start Christmas gifts!

**Sewing Circles:** Want to get out of the house and enjoy a day of sewing? Loosely based upon our UFO's, bring in your friends; just bring yourself! Sit in our classroom and work on those projects or start a new one. Bring a snack and bring your refreshment. Our Sewing circles are held three or four times a month. Come to one. Come to all! Stay for an hour. Stay for more! (if you need one on one help other than general help, please call ahead and there might be a charge for any teacher help). **Check the calendar for dates!**

## On Demands

### On Demand

Quilters Depot understands the demands in your life. Have you seen a class that you really wanted to take, but you were not able to schedule it? Have you always wanted to learn how to do a specialty item that only a quilt store can teach you? Well this may be the answer for you. We offer On Demand Classes to fit your schedule! We know how hard it is to work two or three jobs or have family obligations. If you really want that class you let us know! Contact Pauline at the store to see if class is available for on demand (not all are!) and schedule the time, class, price and the teacher. Prices vary depend-

ing but normally the cost is \$25 for one hour or \$40 for two hours.

This includes Knitting, Crochet, Machine Embroidery and sewing machines bought at other Brother Dealers or on the internet.

## Handi Quilter @Quilters Depot

**General Information:** Quilters Depot is a Handi Quilter Authorized Dealer. Want a Handi Quilter? Come talk to us and we will help you finish your quilts with your very own machine! From a Sweet Sit down model to the 26" Infinity; Handi Quilter and Quilters Depot will help you finish your quilts! Would you like to Demo a machine before buying? Contact Jenn to arrange a time that you can come in and play! Always watch your emails. Handi Quilter is always coming up with new sales! We have classes on both the Avante and on the Sweet 16! Call, email, or stop in for more information!



**A couple random pictures from years gone by!**



# September 2017



*Sewing Month, Fall Hat Month, Ovarian Cancer Month, Women's Friendship Month, Coupon Month*

Sun      Mon      Tue      Wed      Thu      Fri      Sat

					1  <i>Lazy Mom's Day!</i>	2 <b>Machine Embroidery Project Class Month 3</b> <b>Sayings by JuJu</b> 10am to 1pm.  <i>College Colors Day!</i>
3	4  <b>Labor Day</b>  <b>Closed</b>	5  <i>Day of Charity!</i>	6  <i>Read a Book Day!</i>  <i>Full Moon!</i>	7  <b>Knit/Crochet Klub</b> 5:30pm  <i>Buy a book day!</i>	8 <b>Sewing Circle</b>  <b>UFO</b> 5pm to 8pm	9 <b>Knit/Crochet: Fingerless Gloves</b> Session 1 Week 1 of 2 Noon to 3pm  <i>Teddy Bear Day!</i>
10	11  <b>UNITED WE STAND</b> <b>SEPTEMBER 11, 2001</b>	12 <b>Yellow Brick Road</b> Session 1 Week 1 of 2 1 to 4pm	13  <b>Crazy Cut Quilt</b> Session 1 Week 1 of 3 5:30 to 8:00pm  <i>Fortune Cookie Day!</i>	14  <b>Knit/Crochet: Fingerless Gloves</b> Session 2 Week 1 of 2 5:30 to 8:30pm	15 <b>Crazy Cut Quilt</b> Session 2 Week 1 of 3 10:30am to 1:00pm  <b>Yellow Brick Road</b> Session 2 Week 1 of 2 5:30 to 8:00pm	16 <b>Techniques Quilt Class: Half/Quarter Square Triangles Month 5 of 6</b> 9am to noon  <b>Dog in Sweaters</b> Week 1 of 2 Noon to 3pm
17	18 <b>Sewing Circle</b>	19 <b>Yellow Brick Road</b> Session 1 Week 2 of 2 1 to 4pm	20  <b>Crazy Cut Quilt</b> Session 1 Week 2 of 3 5:30 to 8:00pm	21 <b>Machine Embroidery—Crazy Quilt Picture Frame</b> Session 1 1 to 4 pm  <b>Knit/Crochet: Fingerless Gloves</b> Session 2 Week 2 of 2 5:30 to 8:30pm	22 <b>Crazy Cut Quilt</b> Session 2 Week 2 of 3 10:30am to 1:00pm  <b>Yellow Brick Road</b> Session 1 Week 2 of 2 5:30 to 8:00pm	23 <b>Dog in Sweaters</b> Week 2 of 2 9am to 3pm  <i>Bright Pink Lipstick Day!</i>
24	25  <i>Binge Day!</i>	26  <i>Love Note Day!</i>	27 <b>Sewing Circle</b>  <b>Crazy Cut Quilt</b> Session 1 Week 3 of 3 5:30 to 8:00pm	28  <b>Machine Embroidery—Crazy Quilt Picture Frame</b> Session 2 6 to 9pm	29 <b>Crazy Cut Quilt</b> Session 2 Week 3 of 3 10:30am to 1:00pm  <b>UFO</b> 5pm to 8pm	30 <b>Knit/Crochet: Fingerless Gloves</b> Session 1 Week 2 of 2 Noon to 3pm  <i>5th Saturday!</i> <i>Save Your Photos Day!</i>

# **Handi Quilter Education Event!**

## **Get what you really want for Christmas!**

### **2 day event!**

**Friday, December 1st and Saturday, December 2nd, 2017**

#### **Friday, December 1st:**

**11am to 2pm:** Stepping Stones—This class is for everyone – whether you’ve never quilted and want to learn, or if you already quilt. This overview covers the step-by-step process, from selecting a quilting design to the first quilting stitches. You will learn how to resize and apply designs, choose batting and backings, baste quilt tops, and all about threads, needles and tension. You will be on your way to finishing your quilts!

Topics Include: \*Selecting, resizing auditioning and applying quilt designs \*Preparing the quilt top and backing \*Batting selection and basting \*Threads, needles and tension \*Stitch in the ditch and meander quilting

**3pm to 6pm:** Long Arm Quilting Boot Camp. Does longarm quilting interest you, and you’d like to learn more about it? Or do you just need a review of longarm basics? This class takes the mystery out of longarm quilting by acquainting you with the basic terms, machine features, how to load a quilt, and what you need to know about thread, needles and tension. Handi Quilter longarm systems are user-friendly, come in various sizes for every budget, and are designed by a quilter, for quilters – just like you!

Topics Include: \*Definition of longarm quilting terms \*Basic machine features \*Bobbins, tension, needles and thread \*Loading quilts \*Groovy boards and pantographs

#### **Saturday, December 2nd:**

**9am to noon: Ruler Mania** If you love precision and consistency in your quilting designs, you will love using design rulers and templates! These handy tools assist in placing designs accurately and stitching them out precisely. Learn to handle rulers and templates safely with the ruler base, and how to achieve accuracy with the markings. The wide variety of Handi Quilter rulers will inspire you to new design heights.

Topics include: \*Handling rulers safely \*Accomplishing precision and accuracy \*Straight line quilting and stitch in the ditch \*Right angles and crosshatching \*Overview of all shapes of Handi Quilter rulers

#### **1pm to 4pm Creative Textures and Fills**

Meandering is the easiest and most common filler for background space – but there are limitless creative design elements to use instead. Come expand your design portfolio by learning the stitch path of a wide variety of creative filler designs. Learn which designs lend themselves best to micro-quilting, and how to use micro-handles for best results.

Topics include: \*Selecting appropriate fills to compliment design style \*Creating special effects with different fillers \*Scaling the fill design size appropriately \*Evenly placing and spacing fills \*Effectively using HQ Micro Handles



## Susan Jungerheld National Handi Quilter Educator

Susan Jungerheld has been a professional machine quilter since purchasing her first longarm machine, an HQ Sixteen®, in 2008. When Handi Quilter introduced the HQ Fusion®, Susan knew it was the machine for her. Since then, she has added the Pro-Stitcher® and purchased an HQ Sweet Sixteen®. She loves free motion and ruler assisted quilting on both stand up and sit down machines, and enjoys combining freehand and computerized quilting.

Susan has been sewing her whole life and began teaching sewing, piecing and quilting in local quilt shops. She is thrilled to share her knowledge and experience with quilters everywhere as a Handi Quilter Educator. Since 2013, she has taught in many Handi Quilter retail shops in the United States, Germany, South Africa, and Dubai, UAE. Susan has also been a classroom educator with the Original Sewing & Quilt Expo.

An award winning quilter, Susan has experience quilting for local quilt shops, customers, and charities. Her quilting has been featured in *McCall's Heritage Quilts Made Modern* and *Quilt Trends* magazines.

Before working professionally in the quilting industry, Susan received her bachelor's degree in psychology and worked in counseling, education and customer service. Originally from Pennsylvania, she has lived in several other states, Germany, and Ireland. She and her husband reside in New York state and have young adult children.



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