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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

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Jennifer's Blog

Can you believe it's going to be Fall in a few days? Kids have been back in school. Have you been doing your Quilt school classes? We have some really good ones!

I know you have gotten the emails or most of you have. It's our 3rd annual Fabric Swap coming up on Friday, September 23rd and Saturday 24th! Get your extra stash into Ziploc bags, put your name and a price on them, and get them down to Quilters Depot by the 22nd @3pm! Then come back and see what your fellow Quilters are cleaning out of their stash! You never know what you are going to find that you love from someone else's stash!

If you signed up for our Fall Retreat you should have your invoice. If you did not find it in your email or junk mail let me know and I will send you another copy! Make sure everyone notes on their calendars we are closed on Friday, October 14th and Saturday, October 15th. On Monday we will be opening at Noon! That gives some of us some time to clean up and sleep in from our weekend!

We have some great classes in October for you!

For Halloween, we have a Make and Take Halloween Coasters! You will love making



brother
at your side



these little coasters that you will want to make them for every holiday! We have a bunch of different sessions for you to come make these. **October is** Breast Cancer awareness month and at by looking at the pictures for our classes by two of the teachers it's an early Valentine's Day!

Cindi will be teaching the Jelly Heart Roll Quilt! This is one of the quilts that when you see it done you just want to make them in every color wave you can think of! If you haven't seen it; it's hanging in the classroom over my table!

Peggy will be teaching a Quilt as You Go technique. One example you can make is a heart quilt! If you are not into the heart thing; you can also make the table running mat. All are pictured later in the newsletter!

In the world of knitting, we have our usual Knit/Crochet Klub on the first Thursday. As the cool weather sets in and you realize you

haven't picked up your needles or hooks all summer the klub is free! Just come in do what you love to do; play with yarn!

Embroidery club this month is a really cute in the hoop bowl. 90% is done by embroidery. Yes you will have to sew them together when you are done; so do not forget that piece of your machine! This is yet again another class where you will want to make them for everyone! Since you can't unless you make the first one you might just want to sign up! The club is open to all machine types!

If you are doing Elegant Elements make sure you come in on the last Saturday of the month and get month 6! Are you interested in doing Elegant Elements? We will be starting a second session in November! So stay tuned to next month's newsletter for more information!

Piecemakers, please make sure you look at the calendar. The Tuesday session is not the last week of the month for October. It's been moved to accommodate the Jelly Heart Roll Quilt Class!

W.I.P. Challenge Participants! Time is running out! Before you know it December will be here and we will be announcing our winner! Have you been forgetting to show us your finished items? Do you want to add more? Get Quilting/Sewing/Knitting/Crocheting and let's get those WIP's done!

Remember the one with the most stash wins! Jenn

October 2016 @Quilters Depot

Quilting:

Jelly Roll Heart Quilt: This is a quilt to show how much you love someone. Many proud mothers and grandmothers could make this quilt for a favorite child or grandchild. This quilt could be made for that special someone or could be used as a wedding or anniversary gift. It would be a great quilt for someone to snuggle under and it would also make a great play mat for children. This quilt is 54 in X 54 in using twelve easy blocks. You will be amazed at how quickly this quilt will come together. It can be made in any shade you wish. This is a TWO week class. **Level 200: When: Session 1:** Thursdays, October 13th and 27th @1 to 4pm. **Session 2:** Tuesday evenings, October 11th and 25th 5:30 to 8:30pm. **Cost:** \$25 + supplies + book. **Teacher:** Cindi Fuse-lier.



“QUILT-AS-YOU-GO” Quilt Class: You’ve been asking for a “quilt-as-you-go” class that is different from what we have offered in the past, well here it is. Peggy says it’s the easiest one she’s ever made. Each block is your quilt sandwich where you can create stitch and flip blocks, machine applique, or just use decorative stitching and/or quilting. Once you assemble your blocks with

sashing all there is left to do is the binding AND IT IS FINISHED!!!!!! Plus...yes there is more...the back of the quilt looks like a whole different quilt. So if you make a table runner, you can do one side with Christmas fabric and the other side with Thanksgiving fabric. Just think of all the possibilities. This is a TWO Week Class! **Level 100: When:** Saturdays, October 8th and 29th @9am to noon **Cost:** \$25 + supplies **Teacher:** Peggy Gibson.



Make & Take:

Make & Take: Halloween Coasters: Join us for this cute and very quick Halloween project! You will easily make the four coasters (mug rugs) in an hour! We will also show you how



to make a cool patriotic set! Once you make a set you can make in any fabric or holiday that you like! **Level: 100. When: 1)** Saturday, October 1st @9am to noon, **2)** Monday, October 3rd @10:30am to 1:30pm. **3)** Monday, October 10th @1 to 4pm. **4)** Wednesday night, October 26th @5:30 to 8:30pm. **Cost:** \$15 + supplies. **Teacher:** Pauline Shushnar or Jane Casne.

Knitting:

Knit/Crochet: Cabled Hat: Learn how to add cables to your knitting repertoire -- and to your crochet projects too. Yes, you can crochet cables! Once you see how it is done, you'll realize how easy it is. We'll be teaching a knitted and crochet version of a classic cable stitch hat, made with your favorite medium weight yarn. It's the perfect winter hat for yourself or as a Christmas gift for a special someone. This is a TWO week class **Level: 200: When:** Thursday nights, October 20th and November 10th @5:30 to 8:30pm. **Cost:** \$30 + supplies. **Teacher:** Emily Klaczik.



October 2016 @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 Emily so that we provide you with the classes you want! **When:** Thursday, 10/6/16 @5pm. **Cost:** \$FREE\$

PieceMakers: Come join us for Piecemakers this month! Attention all of those who enjoy handwork of any type! Piecemakers is a group meeting every month just for you! Bring your needles, thread, scissors and pins and what you are working on. Come spend your Tuesday evenings with us! We have one official Piecemakers for you, it's a week earlier than usual. Remember you can come to any WIP, or UFO and do Piecemakers! **When:** Tuesdays, 10/18 @5pm to 8pm. **Hosted by:** Beth Rossana **FREE\$**

Machine Embroidery—Fall Cloth bowl: This month we will be making a Fall Cloth Bowl. Put them on your Thanksgiving table filled with candles or put a votive cup and tea light for a great table topper. All you will need is your 5x7 hoop, threads and scissors. There will be a small amount of sewing so make sure you also bring your sewing supplies and machine parts! This embroidery club as always is open to any brand machine. If you know how to use it



your welcome to join the fun! Bring a USB to get your file! **When:** 1) Thursday, 10/20 @ 1 to 4pm. 2) Thursday

10/27 @ 6 to 9pm. **Cost:** \$15 includes designs **Hosted by:** Verna Spargo.

W.I.P. Challenge: As always you have two opportunities this month to work on your WIP's. Remember all WIP's are also open to Piecemakers and UFO'ers! **Tuesday, October 4th @5 to 8pm or Saturday, October 8th @noon to 3pm.** Remember it's not only a free work session you get 10% off any of your purchases if you are a registered W.I.Per! Need to add a project to your list?. You can do that for a small nominal fee!

Hoop Sisters: Saturday Sessions: Elegant Elements: It's Month 6 for the Elements BOM'ers! Bring your machines or just bring your USB! You will get blocks done! I can get on average 3 blocks done in an evening! **When:** Saturday, October 29th @9am to noon. Stay tuned to next newsletter. We will be starting a new session of the Elegant Elements.

Sewing Circles & UFO

UFO nights: We have UFO's for you almost every Friday night in October. 10/7, 10/21, and 10/28. All UFO's start at 5pm **Cost: \$FREE\$ If you want to stay all day and want lunch we can order out!** Call ahead so we know you are coming!

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 the dates!**

On Demand

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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 and schedule the time, class, price and the teacher.

Handi Quilter

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! We have classes! Come learn how to use and then rent our machines. Do you own a Handi Quilter? We have your supplies! We are here for your longarming needs!

October 2016



Family History Month, National Cookie Month, Breast Cancer Awareness Month, National Dessert Month, National Book Month

Sun Mon Tue Wed Thu Fri Sat

						1 Make & Take : Halloween Coast- ers 9:00am to noon <i>Nat'l Homemade cookie day!</i>
2	3 Make & Take: Halloween Coast- ers 10:30 am to 1:30pm <i>Techies Day!</i>	4 W.I.P Challenge 5:00 to 8pm	5 Whispering Creek Jacket: Ses- sion 1 Week 5 of 6 1 to 4pm Whispering Creek Jacket: Sesssion 2 Week 5 of 6 5:30 to 8:30pm	6 Knit/Crochet Klub 5pm <i>Come and Take it Day!</i>	7 Sewing Circle UFO 5pm <i>You matter to me day!</i>	8 Quilt As You Go Week 1 of 2 9am to noon W.I.P Challenge Noon to 3pm
9	10 Columbus Day Make & Take: Halloween Coast- ers 1 to 4pm	11 Jelly Heart Roll Week 1 of 2 5:30 to 8:30pm	12 Whispering Creek Jacket: Ses- sion 1 Week 6 of 6 1 to 4pm Whispering Creek Jacket: Sesssion 2 Week 6 of 6 5:30 to 8:30pm	13 Jelly Heart Roll Week 1 of 2 1 to 4pm Penguins Home Opener!	14 CLOSED Quilters Depot Retreat	15 CLOSED Quilters Depot Retreat <i>I luv Lucy Day!</i>
16	17 Opening at Noon	18 Piecemakers	19 Sewing Circle	20 Embroidery Club: Fall Cloth Bowl 1 to 4pm Knit/Crochet: Ca- bled Hat Week 1 of 2 5:30 to 8:30pm	21 Sewing Circle UFO 5pm <i>Count your buttons day</i>	22
23	24 Sewing Circle <i>Wear Pink Day!</i> <i>Make a difference day!</i>	25 Jelly Heart Roll Week 2 of 2 5:30 to 8:30pm	26 Make & Take: Halloween Coasters 5:30 to 8:30pm	27 Jelly Heart Roll Week 2 of 2 1 to 4pm Embroidery Club Fall Cloth Bowl 6 to 9pm	28 UFO/Halloween Party! 5pm <i>Nat'l Chocolate Day!</i>	29 Hoop Sisters Elegant Elements Month 6 9am Quilt As You Go Week 2 of 2 9am to noon <i>Nat'l Cat Day!</i>
30	31 <i>Halloween Closing @5pm!</i>  Happy Halloween					

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