



THE QUILT TREE AND YARN BRANCH

2022 SUMMER CLASS SCHEDULE

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Monday - Friday: 10am-6pm Saturday: 10am - 6pm Sunday: Noon -5pm

THE QUILT TREE FINISHING CLASSES

Beginner II \$30.00 each

This popular class is designed to be an opportunity to finish one (or more) of those unfinished quilts. The teacher will be available to help you with unfinished blocks, sets and borders, binding, whatever you need. **We are limiting snacks due to COVID precautions** but come and have a productive time.

Saturday 11:00am-5:00pm	Friday 11:00am-5:00pm
July 30 - Pam Ventgen	July 22 - Ann Courtney
August 6 - Ann Courtney	

SUGAR SAND BEACH

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$45.00

Saturday - July 2, 16 & 23 10:30am - 1:30pm

A jelly roll (or fat quarters) and background fabric is all you need to make this great quilt that looks much harder than it really is. Multiple size choices available on the pattern.

ONE BLOCK WONDER

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$45.00

Saturday - July 2, 16 & 23 2:30pm - 5:30pm

In this class you have several options - you can do a traditional One Block Wonder quilt, or you can do an easier and very fun four-patch block. There is also the newest variation which uses a panel and surrounding it with one-block-wonder hexagons made from six more panels. The possibilities here are endless.

KAUFMAN COLLAGE

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$45.00

Thursday - July 7, 14 & 21 6:00pm - 9:00pm

This is a quilt that is all about the fabric. There are just a few tricks to make the construction go smoothly. This pattern works in solids, in batiks, or in florals. You can have a constant background fabric, or you can use lights and darks for your contrast.

KIT AND KABOODLE - JULY

Sharon Swieter Beginner II \$40.00

Friday - July 8 11:00am -5:00pm

Bring your unfinished (or not yet started!) kits, block-of-the-month, or anything else you want to work on. You will have six hours of uninterrupted time to get them done.

PAPER PIECING WORKSHOP

Sharon Swieter All Levels \$35.00

Sunday - July 10 1:00pm - 4:00pm

Here is a technique every quilter should know how to do. Learn to paper piece in this class where Sharon will show you the how-to, and then you can practice before moving on to the pattern of your choice.

THREE SEAM STOCKING OR SANTA HAT

Kate Beebe Beginner II \$25.00

Friday - July 15 3:00pm - 5:00pm

Make a fully lined Christmas stocking with only 3 seams. Great to have for guests, to decorate the house, or for actual use at Christmas time. The Santa hat uses the same technique and can be

used as chair back covers for holiday decoration or sized to fit your head. One or more of each item is achievable during class.

GNOME TABLE RUNNER

Teresa Kimmel Beginner II \$40.00
Sunday - July 17 12:30pm - 4:30pm

Join us to make this adorable table runner or wall hanging. Mix it up and use alternate color schemes to make on for each season or holiday. Halloween gnomes, valentine gnomes, fall or spring gnomes, the possibilities are endless. These make great Christmas gifts, and it is never too early to start. These gnomes use the fusible web applique technique.

BLOCK OF THE MONTH FINISHING

Sharon Swieter Beginner II \$40.00
Sunday - July 31 12:30pm -4:30pm

This class is for any of the participants in our latest Block of the Month (BOM) program. You will have an opportunity to work on finishing (or starting) the Graphic Jam BOM. Sharon will be available to help with any paper piecing questions you may have. Come join other folks working on the Graphic Jam quilt.

KIT AND KABOODLE - AUGUST

Sharon Swieter Beginner II \$40.00
Tuesday - August 2 11:00am -5:00pm

Bring your unfinished (or not yet started!) kits, block-of-the-month, or anything else you want to work on. You will have six hours of uninterrupted time to get them done.

WEAVING FABRIC FOR TEXTURE

Kate Beebe Beginner II \$40.00
Friday - August 5 1:00pm - 5:00pm

Fabric weaving is a technique that can either stand alone or work with other techniques to provide interest and dimension to your quilting and sewing. The basic technique is two pieces of fabric cut or torn into strips which are then

woven together and either fused or stitched together. Books and the internet provide lots of information on weaving patterns, so you can get as complicated as you want with fabric, yarn, and ribbon. We'll discuss options for various looks/styles, and you will go home with one woven background to use as you wish.

HANDSCAPES - LANDSCAPES BY HAND

Kate Beebe Beginner II \$40.00
Saturday - August 13 12:00pm - 4:00pm

Easy fabric landscape made entirely by hand - no machines, no fusibles, no rotary cutters or rulers! Use big stitches (previously known as utility stitching) and fabric to "paint" a landscape of your choice. This is an easy "take-along" project, so learn it now in time for your next trip whether in an RV, in a tent, or by a stream.

VINO ROW TABLE RUNNER

Sarah Klever Beginner II \$40.00
Tuesday - August 9 11:00am - 3:00pm

Turn your table into your own Italian restaurant or wine bar with this minimalist table runner. Sarah made hers using 18 bottles (approx. 48"), but it can be made any length you like. Don't fret about the curves, you will learn Sarah's easy-peasy method for putting this together

CLASS SUPPLIES

Supplies are needed for almost all classes. If a pattern or book is necessary to make the quilt top or knitted project, it is a required purchase. The class fee covers instruction *only*. You are responsible for picking up your supply list and coming to class prepared.

We strongly recommend that you purchase your supplies prior to class day.

The Quilt Tree / Yarn Branch cannot guarantee we will have specialty items the night of a particular class. We do try to order enough for everyone in a class. However, sometimes items do sell out prior to your class. Please review your class supply list and bring all the requested items, plus basic sewing items for quilting classes.



CAST ON & BIND OFF

Sally Bennett All Levels \$20.00
Friday - July 22 4:00pm-6:00pm

All pieces of knitting start with a cast on and most end with a bind off. In this workshop we will be learning the various types of cast ons and bind offs. We will talk about advantages and disadvantages of each and discuss what projects they work best for. Come learn a new skill for your knitting tool box.

RAVELRY: A CRASH COURSE

Sally Bennett All Level \$30.00
Sunday - July 24 1:00pm-4:00pm

Ravelry is the central site for knitting on the internet. It is where you can find patterns, see pictures of other projects, track your own stash, and more. Sally will walk you through the basic functions of Ravelry and show you how she keeps things organized.

CLASS POLICIES

You must pay for the class when you register. Phone reservations are accepted with a credit card. The supply list is provided when you pay the class fee. We can mail or fax the supply list.

Class fees are not refundable unless we cancel a class. If you are unable to attend a class, you may contact us to see if there is someone on the waiting list to buy your spot, or you may send a friend in your place. Class cancellations, when necessary, will be one week prior to the class start date. If a class is canceled, we will refund your class fee.

Out of consideration for the instructor and the other students, children, pets and non-paying guests are not allowed at classes.

PATTERN READING WORKSHOP

Sally Bennett All Levels \$20.00
Friday - July 29 4:00pm-6:00pm

K3tbl? Repeat around? Knit even? Reading a knitting pattern can feel like trying to decipher a foreign language at times. Learn a few tricks, key words to look for, and what common terms mean to make your pattern reading easier. If you have a particular pattern that is tripping you up, bring it with you so we can make sense of it together.

COLORWORK COZIES

Sally Bennett Beginner II \$40.00
Sunday - August 7 & 14 1:00pm-3:00pm

These little projects make great gifts, and they are a great way to practice your color work. Come and whip our a few early Christmas gifts!

YARN BRANCH CLASS LEVELS

BEGINNER I - You have not yet learned or are not yet comfortable with knitting or crocheting. These classes will provide you with the basic skills needed.

BEGINNER II - You know how to cast-on, bind-off, knit, purl, increase, decrease, and follow a pattern. These classes will expand your skills or give you special tips.

INTERMEDIATE - You have many projects 'under your belt.' These classes are a little faster paced and often tackle more difficult patterns.

QUILT TREE CLASS LEVELS

BEGINNER I - You must know how to sew on your machine. These classes will include instruction in basic rotary cutting and piecing.

BEGINNER II - You must already have basic piecing and rotary cutting skills. These classes will expand your skills or give special tips.

INTERMEDIATE - You are experienced in piecing and rotary skills. These classes are a little faster paced and often tackle more difficult patterns.