



THE QUILT TREE AND YARN BRANCH

2022 SPRING CLASS SCHEDULE

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Monday - Friday: 10am-7pm Saturday: 10am - 6pm Sunday: Noon -5pm

THE QUILT TREE FINISHING CLASSES

Beginner II \$30.00 each

These classes are designed as opportunities 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. Please be aware that there is generally not enough space to layout, pin and baste a quilt in this class.

Saturday 11:00am-5:00pm	Friday 11:00am-5:00pm
March 5 - Pam Ventgen	April 29 - Ann Courtney
April 16 - Pam Ventgen	May 27 - Ann Courtney
June 4 - Pam Ventgen	

VINO ROW TABLE RUNNER

Sarah Klever Beginner II \$30.00

Saturday - February 26 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.

FARMER'S WIFE

Sharon Swieter Intermediate \$65.00

Sunday - March 6, April 3, May 8 & June 5

12:30pm - 4:30pm

Farmer's Wife is back! If you've been wanting to make this quilt now's your chance! Join us in learning some new skills to make an heirloom quilt you will be proud of for years to come.

IMPROVISATIONAL QUILTING

Jan Sant Intermediate \$45.00

Saturday - March 12 11:00am - 12:30pm

March 19 11:00am - 2:00pm

& March 26 11:00am - 1:00pm

Start the journey of improvisational quilting with this class. Play with color, texture, value and line to achieve a unique improv quilt. There is no pattern to purchase. Your quilt will be designed by you block by block using 4 different types of blocks and the guidelines learned in class. You will learn how to make a unified quilt using many different fabrics. The blocks are then framed and sashed to unify into a beautiful quilt. Guaranteed, your creativity will soar free! If you are a "by the book" quilter, try this quilt. You will discover a new and different part of your creative nature!

WOOL APPLIQUE

Sharon Richards All Levels \$40.00

Saturday - March 19, 26, April 2 & 9

1:00pm - 2:30pm

Wool applique is hand sewing, not machine sewing. It requires felted wool fabric which now comes in beautiful colors, some of it hand dyed. The Quilt Tree has a nice selection. It is easy to learn the basic stitches and no previous experience is required. Choose your own pattern, be it a wall hanging, a pillow, a table runner, or a penny rug; the methods will all be the same. Small pieces are suggested for your first venture. After you get the hang of it, it's fun to stitch while streaming!

PAPER PIECING - MARCH

Sharon Swieter All Levels \$35.00

Sunday - March 20 12:30pm - 4:30pm

Here is a technique every quilter should know how to do. Sharon will show you the how-to before moving on to the pattern of your choice. Once you master the skill you can tackle the Trinket quilt that Sharon has hanging in the store. This class is also offered in April.

BEGINNER SAMPLER

Ann Courtney Beginner I \$75.00

Thursday-March 24, 31, April 7, 21, 28 & May 19

2:00pm -5:00pm

Learn the very basics of quilting in this 12-block sampler quilt class. We will move at a slower pace and learn all about the tools and techniques you will need to end up with a beautiful quilt you will be proud to own! This is also a great class for someone who already knows how to quilt but wants to make a sampler quilt. Lots of information provided in this class for every quilter.

FLANGE BINDING

Ann Courtney All Levels \$25.00

Sunday - March 27 1:00pm - 3:00pm

A quick, practical class to teach you the essentials of flange binding your quilt.

CRUMBLE BAG

Sarah Klever Beginner II \$60.00

Friday - April 1, 8 & 22 12:00pm - 3:00pm

Crumb quilting all the rage right now! Join Sarah to learn this great technique and put it use by designing your own bag!! Orphan blocks and lots of small scraps are the ticket here. Let your creativity blossom and grow. This is a "no rules" project so relax and have fun!!

EQUILATERAL

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$45.00

Saturday - April 2 & 9 12:00pm - 4:30pm

Equilateral triangles shine in this quilt using predominantly black and white prints with small pops of color. Triangles are easy to cut from strips with the 60-degree triangle ruler, they are also accurate and go together well. Pattern is included with the class, and you'll learn the tricks of sewing these triangles that make it easier than it looks.

INTRO INTO MACHINE QUILTING

Ann Courtney Beginner I \$45.00

Sunday - April 10 & 24 1:00pm - 4:00pm

You've finished your quilt top, and you love it. But what do you do now?? Join Ann for instruction on how to quilt your top on your own sewing machine. The class will cover putting your layers together, choosing the right quilting design, and picking out the right needle and thread to complement your design and your top. You'll start by learning to make straight line designs, then move into the fun (and unnecessarily scary) world of free motion.

KIT AND KABOODLE - APRIL

Sharon Swieter Beginning II \$40.00

Friday - April 15 11:00am - 5:00pm

Bring your unfinished (or not yet started!) projects, block-of-the-months, or kits. You will have 6 uninterrupted hours to dig in, get help, and get things done!! This class is also offered in May.

PAPER PIECING - APRIL

Sharon Swieter All Levels \$35.00

Saturday - April 23 11:00am - 3:00pm

Here is a technique every quilter should know how to do. Sharon will show you the how-to before moving on to the pattern of your choice. Once you master the skill you can tackle the Trinket quilt that Sharon has hanging in the store.

ONE BLOCK WONDER

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$45.00
Saturday - April 30 & May 7 12:00pm - 4:30pm
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. Or the newest variation is using a panel and surrounding it with one-block-wonder hexagons made from six more panels. The possibilities here are endless.

KIT AND KABOODLE - MAY

Sharon Swieter Beginning II \$40.00
Friday - May 13 11:00am - 5:00pm
Bring your unfinished (or not yet started!) projects, block-of-the-months, or kits. You will have 6 uninterrupted hours to dig in, get help, and get things done!! This class is also offered in April.

BIONIC GEAR BAG

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$40.00
Saturday - May 14 & 21 2:00pm - 5:00pm
This multi-zipper bag is great for holding your essential notions. Even if you're fearful of zippers you can make this bag, Pam will show you how. You can use two fabrics or lots of fabrics and different color zippers to make it really fun.

MULTI-TASKER TOTE

Jan Sant Beginner II \$40.00
Sunday - May 15 & 22 1:00pm - 4:00pm
This pattern is a fun one because it uses construction and design techniques that are a little unusual. The pockets on the sides are unique, and you will have fun choosing fabrics for the different elements of the tote. Jan will give you fabric measurements so you can take advantage of using multiple coordinating fabrics. In this class you will be guided through the pattern so that construction is a breeze. You will be finished before you know it!

JUNE MARATHON

Pam Ventgen Beginner II \$55.00
Saturday - June 11 1:00pm - 7:00pm
AND Sunday - June 12 12:00pm - 6:00pm
This is a marathon of sewing, visiting, and shopping with a teacher available to help you. It is such a treat to leave your machine and all your projects, go home for the night, and pick up right where you left off when you return the next day. What a great opportunity to get a lot accomplished.

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.

QUILT TREE/YARN BRANCH 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.

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.

QUILT CLASS SUPPLIES

Supplies are needed for almost all classes. If a pattern, book, notion or fabric is necessary to make the quilt top or bag, 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. The Quilt Tree 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.



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.

LOVE OWLS

Sally Bennett Beginner II \$40.00
Saturday - February 19, 26 & March 5
10:30am - 12:30pm

Who whoooo! These owls just melt my heart. This would be a great first colorwork project since it doesn't have to fit anyone. I will also be covering the basics of embroidering on your finished owls. These owls knit up quickly and soon you will have your own parliament. (Which is a group of owls!)

DUPLICATE STITCH WORKSHOP

Sally Bennett Beginner II \$20.00
Saturday - February 19 1:00pm - 3:00pm

This class will help you master duplicate stitch so that you can add fun elements to your knitting projects. I will demonstrate how to duplicate stitch on a flat piece and a stuffed/finished piece.

BEGINNING KNITTING

Sally Bennett Beginner I \$65.00
Wednesday - March 2, 9, 16 & 23
3:00pm - 5:00pm

This class will teach the basics of knitting; knitting, purling, and decreasing. You will create a book of swatches to refer back to as you move on in your knitting journey. After finishing this class you will be ready to take on your next knitting project with confidence!

PATTERN READING WORKSHOP

Sally Bennett All Levels \$20.00
Saturday - March 5 1:00pm - 3:30pm

This class will be a discussion of how to read knitting patterns and help you understand common mistakes knitters make when reading and interpreting patterns. Please bring something to write with and write on as well as any particular pattern you might be struggling with.

GNOME PUN INTENDED

Sally Bennett Beginner II \$40.00
Sunday - March 6, 13 & 20 12:30pm - 2:30pm

This gnome is sure to bring joy to your life! The fun crumpled hat is a lot simpler to knit than it looks and the fun loopy beard is quite the knitting trick. Watch out...I don't think you can just knit one gnome!