

Spring 2008 Update



Dear Friends,

Spring is only a few weeks away and we have so many new and exciting happenings at Quilter's Crossing! First, we have become Rockland, Orange and Bergen counties' first HandiQuilter Dealer! We are so excited and proud to promote this affordable and practical home mid-arm quilting system! Stop in and check out this great machine! Better yet, mark your calendar for April 5th as Gina Zelenock, a HandiQuilter educator will be here for our official "HandiQuilter Kick Off." It will be a day of demos, show and tell and fun! Purchase a HandiQuilter during the month of February and get a Quilt Table - a \$490 value for FREE! Stop by the shop and check it out!

We will celebrate "National Quilting Day," March 15 with a 20% off everything in the shop sale (sorry—excludes the HandiQuilter and the clearance fabrics)! All customers that day will receive an entry for our "Quilter of the Year" drawing - where one lucky person will receive 20% off for the year! For every \$20 a customer spends, he or she will receive an additional entry! What a great way to share our love of quilting!

I am very excited to have fabric and quilt designer, RaNae Merrill here at the shop teaching her Spiral Quilt technique. Her newest book, Simply Amazing Spiral Quilts, will be released at International Quilt Market in Houston, TX this fall. Take one of RaNae's classes and learn her spiral techniques and before you know it you'll be a Spiromaniac!

With concern about a looming recession, why not purchase a Quilter's Crossing's Class Pass! A fantastic value at \$60! The Class Pass allows you to take any class at QC for FREE for 6 months! Many people have taken advantage of this great buy! Why not join them—learn something new and make a few new friends!

Enjoy the last few days of winter and look to the newness of spring! We at Quilter's Crossing wish you a Happy Easter and a Happy Passover! I look forward to seeing you soon!

Piecefully,
Colleen

Simply Amazing Spiral Quilts with RaNae Merrill



Spiral Rose Block— One Day Workshop: Learn to draw and color a Nesting Spiral. Using a spiral Block template provided, foundation piece a Spiral Rose Block that can be completed into a pillow or bag (Additional foundation templates will be available if students want to make more blocks at home for a table runner or quilt).

All levels

Date: Saturday, March 1

Time: 12 Noon to 6 pm.

Fee: \$75.00



Five Day Spiral Design Workshop

This class is for the intermediate to advanced quilter with good piecing skills. The class emphasizes individual design and students should come to class with an open mind, a sense of adventure and a willingness to experiment and play with new designs!

Dates: Saturday, Mar. 15, 22 and 29 and April 19 and 26

Time: 11am -5pm

Fee: \$175.00

Hone Your Skills...

Hand Quilting 101: Learn the Basics of Hand Quilting - from marking and basting your top to needles and thimbles.

Beginner.

Instructor: Colleen Nunes

Dates: Thursday, April 10 and 17

Time: 2-4pm or 6:30-8:30pm

Fee: \$40.00



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Beginning Quilting By Machine This class is for the beginner quilter! In this class you will learn quilting by machine, rotary cutting, fabric tips and cutting tricks and SUCCESSFULLY finish your first quilt! Don't have a machine? Sew on one of our Pfaff sewing machines!

Beginner - little or no experience!

Instructor: Colleen Nunes

Dates: Wednesdays, March 19, 26 and April 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 and May 7

Time: 7-9pm

Fee: \$65.00

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Paper Piecing: Perfect Points, Extreme Angles

Foundation paper piecing facilitates precise points, accurate alignment and sharp angles and more. This introductory class will teach you how to paper piece on a foundation working with a simple block design by Carol Doak, a popular author of numerous paper piecing books. The block you make in this class can become a wall hanging, a pillow or the first of multiple blocks to be used in a larger quilt.

Beginner

Instructor: Dana Jones

Dates: Tuesday, March 25 and April 1

Time: 6:30-8:30pm

Fee: \$45.00

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Class Pass
Get A Class Pass
today for great savings!

This guarantees _____ six months of classes!

Valid from _____ to _____

*does not include Strippers/Chicks



QC's Clubs

Friday Night Strippers: This great group of quilters led by Ardeth Wurdeman meet the first Friday night of the month for a pot luck dinner and to work on a quilt project. A new project will start in April. Newcomers welcome! All levels

Instructor: Ardeth Wurdeman

Dates: Friday, April 4, May 2 and June 6

Time: 6-10pm

Fee: \$70.00

Monday Morning Chicks: Our daytime version of the Strippers, meet for bagels and coffee and a morning of sewing. All levels.

Instructor: Ardeth Wurdeman

Dates: Monday, April 14, May 12 and June 9

Time: 10:30am - 2:00pm

Fee: \$70.00

Easy Going Jane: The Jane-iacs are at it again!

Join these Dear Jane fans as Melanie guides them once a month in creating reproductions of Jane's 4 1/2 inch blocks. Make them all or just a few to incorporate into a smaller project.

All levels.

Instructor: Melanie Matte

Dates: Sunday, April 20, May 18 and June 15

Time: 1-3pm

Fee: \$50.00

Girls Night Out: Need some quilting time to yourself? Join us for dinner and an evening of sewing. Need help with a project? Bring it in and we'll help you resolve it!

Dates: Thursday, April 17, May 15 and June 19

Fee: \$10 per session or \$25 for April, May and June

Time: 6-9pm



Mini Monthlies Each month receive a kit to create a 6" x 22" quilt with a theme for the upcoming month. The cost of the kits are \$23.99 per month. That will include the pattern, fabrics, buttons and wired hangers to complete all twelve months. The demo class is FREE! Can't make the class? We'll put aside a kit for you as well as a handy tip sheet for that month! All levels.

Dates: Saturday, March 8, April 12 and May 10

Time: 10am

Elegant Garden Appliqué

For Beginners: Our lovely Pam will patiently teach you how to hand appliqué these lovely 9 1/2 " traditional floral blocks. Make just a few for a wall hanging or pillow or make all 25 to create this beautiful quilt. This class is geared for the beginner who has never appliquéd before. Beginner.



Instructor: Pam Capen
Dates: Thursday, April 24, May 8 and 22nd
Time: 6:30-8:30pm

Fee: \$45.00

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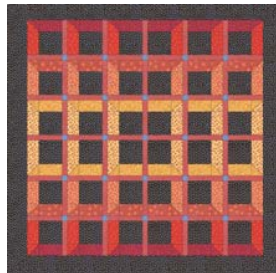
Appliqué Enthusiasts: A group of experienced appliqué lovers will meet on Wednesday afternoons to create these elegant blocks. There will be no designated instructor, just one another sharing tips and encouragement.

Intermediate or Experienced.
Dates: Wednesday, March 5,12,19,26
Time: 1-4pm

Fee:\$15.00

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Attic Windows: A New View Eda has designed a contemporary variation of this traditional pattern. Attic Windows:A New View allows you to complete the blocks without using a Y seams, but still maintains the illusion of depth that this pattern is so famous for.



All levels.
Instructor: Eda Steinman
Date: Saturday, March 8
Time: 12-5pm

Fee:\$50.00

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Ribbon Stars: Using simple strip piecing , you'll create a beautiful quilt with stars that appear connected by ribbons of fabric. You'll learn to cut and sew on a bias as you make a piece for table top or wall. You'll fall in love with this elegant but simple pattern. All levels.



Instructor: Dana Jones
Dates: Tuesdays, April 29, May 13 and 27th
Time: 6:30-8:30pm

Fee: \$45.00

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Paper Piece Me a Garden!



This class is for the **intermediate or advanced quilter** with paper piecing experience! Pam is going to show you how to paper piece these lovely 7" blocks each month. Not for the faint of heart, but for those who love paper piecing and intricate designs. Intermediate or advanced quilter with paper piecing experience.

Instructor: Pam Capen
Dates: Saturdays, April 8, May 3, June 7, July 12 and August 16

Time: 12:00-3:00pm

Fee: \$75.00

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Remembrance: I have always wanted to try a two color quilt. When I saw this stunning sampler with it's delectable mountain borders, I could not resist! Join me in making this beautiful, traditional quilt using modern and quick piecing methods! Advanced beginner.



Instructor: Colleen Nunes
Dates: Mondays, March 24, 31 and April 21 and 28
Time: 10am-12pm OR 6:30-8:30pm

Fee;\$50.00

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Starlight Retreat - This quilt has been the talk of the shop! Join us for what will be our 4th run of this class! What could be better than a log cabin under the stars? You will be amazed at how quickly the log cabin blocks go together to form the center of the quilt. A sky of glittering pieced stars and a scrappy border complete the beautiful setting! Ambitious beginner.

Instructor: Colleen Nunes
Dates: Sundays, April 13 and 27 and May 4 and 25

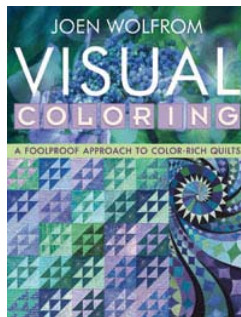
Time: 1-3pm

Fee; \$50.00

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Visual Coloring: Selecting colors and fabric for your quilts becomes fun and easy with Joen Wolfrom's "visual-coloring" techniques. You don't need to know color theory or how to use a color wheel. You simply work from a photo or artwork with colors that appeal to you.



This class is ideal for those who struggle with color choices. And it will introduce color experts to a new approach. You'll learn visual-coloring concepts, select fabrics and piece a wall hanging using your new skills. All levels.

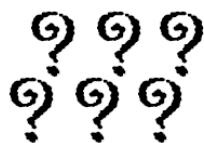
Instructor: Dana Jones

Dates: Tuesdays, April 8, 22 and May 6, and 20

Time: 7-9 pm

Fee: \$50.00

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North American Mystery Series

Join us as we travel throughout North America! It's an evening of dinner, sewing and intrigue!

All levels.

Dates: Fridays, March 14, April 11, May 9, And June 13

Time: 6-10pm

Fee: \$65.00 each mystery includes fabric kit

Bag Ladies Club

One can never have too many bags! Join us to create one or all of our terrific totes!

Dates: March 11 - Patch Me If You Can!

April 15 - The X-Bag

May 13 - Quilter's Companion

June 10 - Sophia Carry All

Time: 10am-1pm or 6:30-9:00pm

Fee: \$30 per class or \$75 for 2nd Quarter (April, May & June)



HandiQuilter Kick Off April 5, 2008



We are so proud to be Rockland, Orange and Bergen counties' first HandiQuilter dealer! We LOVE this stitch regulated machine designed with the home quilter in mind! Join us as HandiQuilter educator, Gina Zelenock, shares with us her show and tell and demonstrates all the highlights of this fabulous and affordable machine!

Snapbag: This is Lacey's cool bag that was so wildly successful at Quilt Market this past fall....in fact she sold out of patterns the first night! See how adorable this bag is and you too can be part of the Snapbag craze! All levels.

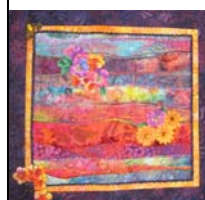
Instructor: Lacey Hill

Date: Sunday, March 30

Time: 1:00-3:30pm

Fee: \$45.00

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Brushstrokes of the Seasons: Fusin' Susan is finally home from the South and she is brightening up the shop with her twist on Studio 55's Brushstroke patterns. Susan will teach you how to couch threads and embellish to create the easiest yet most beautiful quilt you've ever made!

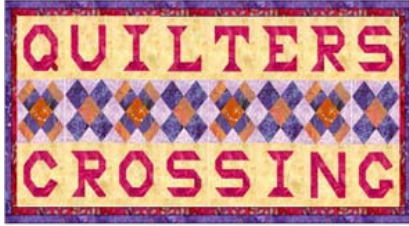
All levels.

Instructor: Susan Osinoff

Dates and Time: April - to be announced

Fee: \$50.00

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Sign up for classes on the Web!

www.quilterscrossing.com

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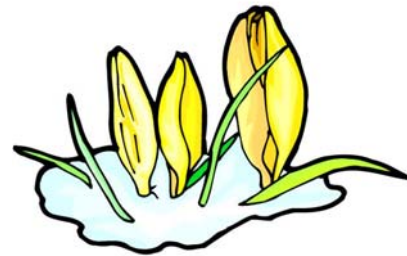
Store Hours: Mon-Sat 10-5

Sun 12-4

Any evening we have classes-call ahead!

Store Closings: Easter - March 23

Mother's Day—May 11



Quilter's Crossing Registration Form

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Visa/MC/Discover _____

Expiration Date: _____

Class	Date	Time	Fee
TOTAL	XXXX	XXXXX	

Class Policies

- Class sizes are limited, register early. A supply list will be given upon receipt of payment.
- Sorry! No family, friends or children permitted in the class.
- NO REFUNDS given for cancellations. You are welcome to find a substitute to take your place.
- In case of inclement weather, if Clarkstown schools are cancelled, we will cancel class and reschedule for another time.

Class Symbols

- M: Sewing Machine in good working order required
- P: Pattern Required
- B: Book Required
- H: Hand Sewing