



# Class and Event Schedule Winter 2010, Vol. 37

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Sun 12pm - 4pm

HAPPY NEW YEAR! HAPPY 2010!!  
INVENTORY IS DONE AND WE'RE READY  
FOR FUN...

We are looking forward to a great year! We have expanded our block of the month programs and have several starting over the next couple of months. Our class schedule is filling up. We'll continue some of our favorites and offer some new technique classes. How about learning paper piecing? We'll also be offering a series of FREE monthly product demo days.

### BYOP (Bring your own project!)

Here is yet another chance to finish off those projects.

Date: Friday, January 22 (Manon)  
Date: Friday, February 5 (Marianne)  
Friday, February 19 (Manon)  
Friday, March 12 (Marianne)  
Friday, March 26 (Manon)  
Friday, April 9 (Marianne)

Time: 5:00 pm - 10:00 pm

Hurry, this class fills quickly, but we have space available! We are opening the classroom up to anyone who would like to join us for some uninterrupted sewing. We can accommodate up to 12 people.

## Special Events

**May 13-16, 2010 - Cozy Cottage Retreat at Vina de Lestonnac - We have a few spots left! Don't miss the fun!!** Join us for our 3<sup>rd</sup> annual retreat at the Vina de Lestonnac Retreat Center in Temecula. Doesn't a weekend of dedicated quilting and sewing sound great? Bring your own project or join our optional group class. It's your retreat and your choice!

By popular request, we've added an additional day. Our next retreat will be Thursday - Sunday. \$350 dbl occupancy, \$435 single. \$50 deposit to reserve your space. Deposit is refundable through December 31, 2009.

## Limited Edition "Cozy California" Fabric



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## Million Pillowcase Challenge Join the Cozy Cottage Pillow Patrol!!

Wanna join the Cozy Cottage Pillow Patrol and touch the life of someone else? Cozy Cottage Fabrics is proud to be a participant in the 1 Million Pillowcase Challenge, sponsored by American Patchwork & Quilting. This charitable mission aims to make a difference in local communities by donating pillowcases to organizations that support and represent the less fortunate. The charities that the Cozy Cottage Crew will be supporting are: Orangewood Children's Foundation and the Ronald McDonald House Charities (Orange Location). You can get involved by donating finished pillowcases, 3/4 yard and 1/3 yard cuts of pre-washed fabric, and quart size plastic bags, as well as participating in open-sew sessions to put together the donations.

We've set a goal of **1000** pillowcases for the year. We'll be keeping track of the donations and have a board available in the shop with our updated totals. We ask that all fabric donations be pre-washed. The shop will also have pre-cut kits available for purchase to donate to this unique cause.

Our first FREE Pillowcase Patrol Sew-In will be Saturday, February 20, 10am – 4pm. In order to accommodate more of our Cozy Friends, we will be using an empty space in our shopping center. We'll have more tables and chairs set up down the way so we can sew, sew, sew! Please reserve a seat today!

## Clubs and Block of the Month Programs

### Deb's Freaky Friday

Instructor: Debbie White  
Date: Friday, Jan 29, Feb. 5, Feb. 12 & Feb 19  
Time: 10am – 12:30  
AND/OR  
Date: Friday, Jan 29, Feb. 5, Feb. 12 & Feb 19  
Time: 1pm – 3:30pm  
Cost: \$10 per day

Get those PIGS (Projects in grocery sacks)/ UFOs (Unfinished Opportunities) or start a new project with Debbie there to help you. Here's your chance to work on any project you like and have Debbie there to guide you to success. Sign up for one session or both! We're sure you won't get enough of Debbie!

### Old Glory On Point Civil War Sampler

Instructor: Rita Jones  
Date: April 24, 2010  
May 22  
June 26  
July 17 (3rd Sat)  
Aug 28  
Sept 18 (3rd Sat)  
Oct 23  
Nov 20 (3rd Sat) - large center block  
Time: 9am demo and block pick up  
Cost: \$26.00 per month (8 months – Includes pattern, fabric for top, borders & binding)

This block of the month has 2 blocks per month for 8 months. The last "section" is setting triangles, borders and binding. Rita will demonstrate two blocks per month.



Please note our fabric choices are different than those pictured.

### It's not too late! Join the 2010 Village Green Thimbleberries Quilt Club

Instructor: Debbie White  
Date: Day "Babes" - 3<sup>rd</sup> Monday each month, Beginning January 18, 11am

OR

Date: Evening "Babes" 3<sup>rd</sup> Tuesday each month, beginning January 19, 6pm

Participate in our online club and have your kits and newsletter shipped each month. (Shipping via US Priority Mail \$6 per month)

We are excited to announce that Debbie White, your "Thimblemom", will be back for the 2010 Thimbleberries Quilt Club. We'll continue to offer day and evening sessions. Your "Thimblemom" has great tips, demos, show & tell, and door prizes for you each month. Your 2010 Thimbleberries Quilt Club membership includes patterns to

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complete the Village Green Quilt, queen and throw variations, 12 bonus projects, monthly newsletters and fabric for top, borders and binding. Choose from Dusk, Dawn or Midnight colors

Cost: \$9.99 membership fee, plus monthly kit Kits – Standard 72" x 82" \$17.99/mo or Queen 96" x 106" \$23.99/mo.

Cozy Cottage Fabrics will offer both "standard 72 x 82" Village Green quilt or "queen variation" in your choice of Midnight (Dark blue), Dusk (Green)



Dusk Standard



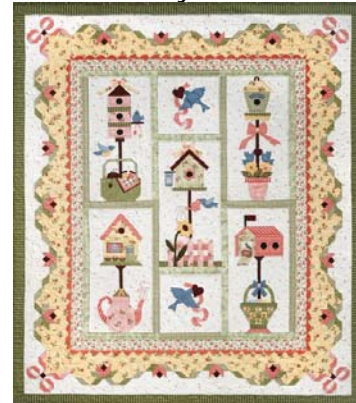
Midnight Standard



Midnight Queen

## Lovebird Lane Block of the Month

You'll love our new block of the month, "Lovebird Lane", featuring "Wildrose" fabric from Maywood. Blocks and beautiful Tulip border are all EASY piecing-NO templates! The quilt measures 72" x 62" finished size. There are 6 patterns to complete the quilt. Our program features "Wild Rose" Maywood Studio fabrics. You may pick up your block in the shop or we'll ship it to you.



Program begins shipping in February, 2010. Membership is \$14.99 and is non-refundable. This gorgeous block of the month program is \$34.99 per month for 6 months, and includes US shipping, pattern, accessory kit, fabric for top, including borders and binding, and ric rack.

Come see this gorgeous quilt in person, December 20 – January 6. We get this finished quilt to show off to you for a couple weeks.

## Lovebird Lane Applique Workshop (6 classes)

Instructor: Debbie White  
Date: 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday, beginning Feb. 13  
Time: 10am – 2:30pm  
Cost: \$90

Join Debbie for a hands-on machine appliqué class. She'll teach you how to make each block of the quilt plus the gorgeous pieced border. Class will meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in Feb., Mar., April, May, July & August. Spaces are limited, so please reserve your seat today. You may pay ½ of the class fee to reserve your spot, and balance will be paid on the first day of class.

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## Classes

### Redwork/Hand Embroidery Club

Instructor: Diane Emry

Date: 2nd Weds each month (Feb. 10, Mar. 10, April 14)

Time: 6-8pm

Cost: \$10 per class meeting

Join Diane and learn all about Redwork and hand embroidery. Choose your own project or have Diane guide you.

## Calling all Embroidery Machine Owners! Join Diana Fish at Cozy Cottage Fabrics for some embroidery machine fun!

We are excited to be introducing several new classes, projects and "Embroidery Play Days".

### Embroidery Play Day

Instructor: Diana Fish

Date: January 23, 2010

Time: 10:30 – 2:30

Or

Date: February 27, 2010

Time: 10:30 – 2:30

Or

Date: March 27, 2010

Time: 10:30 – 2:30

Cost: \$25 (Includes lunch)

Get that embroidery machine out and come play with Diana. She'll show you some great ideas for using those designs you've stitched out. Plus she'll also demonstrate some new products available at Cozy Cottage Fabrics. Basic knowledge of your embroidery machine is needed.

### Everything Baby

Instructor: Diana Fish

Date: Sunday, February 7

Time: 10:30 – 2:30

Cost: \$30

Learn how to appliqué with your embroidery machine. Make up a few blocks for a quick and easy quilt for that new addition or use the designs to embellish a diaper tote or burp cloth. Diana will show you how easy this technique is.

### Scrapbusters Scrap Club

#### 2010 Session 1

Instructor: Michele Braithwaite

Date: Jan. 18, Feb. 15, Mar. 15

Time: 6-9pm

Cost: \$40 per session

For the past several years my quilting friends and students have complained that their sewing rooms are overflowing with fat quarters and fabric scraps left over from previous projects and they don't know what to do with them.

**The purpose of scrap club is to make quilts with fabrics that otherwise would remain unused and clutter up your sewing room.**

Each scrap club session will last 3 months. In most cases, the first month you will piece units, the second month you will construct blocks and the third month you will explore setting options, assemble the quilt top and on occasion, learn a new edge or border treatment. The quilt designs are based on traditional pieced blocks and lend themselves to a variety of sizes and color schemes. Many of the students trade fabrics to add variety to the scrappy quilt designs.

### International Mystery

Instructor: Manon Ehlers

Date: Sunday, January 31

Saturday, February 13

Saturday, March 13

Sunday, March 14

Saturday, May 15

Sunday, May 23

Time: 10:30-4:30pm

Cost: \$59.99 (includes class, pattern & fabric)

Our Mystery Quilt Series continues in 2010. Let Manon be your tour guide. Choose your kit and show up ready to sew. You'll have fun and many students leave with a finished quilt top. These classes fill quickly, so reserve your spot today.

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## Marianne's Tote Workshop

Instructor: Marianne Wells  
Date: TBD  
Time:  
Cost: \$30

Our resident "Bag Lady", Marianne, will teach you the techniques for making your favorite totes from Quilts Illustrated. Choose your favorite, Charm Party Tote, Chubby Charmer, Bow Tucks, Weekender or Camille Bag, and let Marianne lead the way to success!

## Reminder...

*Lori's Apron Club meet's*  
January 27, February 24, March  
24 & April 28 6pm

## Great Beginnings (4 day class)

Instructor: Michele Braithwaite  
Date: Tuesday, Mar. 23, 30, April 6 & 13  
Time: 6:00pm – 9:00pm  
Cost: \$65, includes pattern

This is the beginning of a wonderful quilting experience and a lifetime of quilting enjoyment. This four-part lesson will ensure the success of your future projects. In lesson one you will learn how to rotary cut, strip piece and chain stitch and press for success. In lesson two you will learn precision pinning and how to assemble the quilt top. In lesson three you will add boarders and then layer & pin baste your quilt top. In lesson four you will "quilt in the ditch" & "grid quilt" by machine. Then you will learn how to bind the finished quilt.

## Beginning & Intermediate Machine Quilting

Instructor: Rita Jones  
Date: Saturday, April 3  
Time: 10:30-2:30  
Cost: \$40

Your quilt top is pieced and ready to be quilted. This is the class for you! We will cover layering, batting, thread and needles. This a hands on class, and you will have a lot of time to practice simple quilting with your walking foot. Rita will also teach you free motion quilting and cover stencils, marking, and stippling, Students are encouraged to bring a quilt top and Rita will offer suggestions for quilting.

## Stash Pot Pie

Instructor: Marianne Wells  
Date: Weds. Feb. 17  
Weds. Mar. 17  
April 21

Time: 6-9pm  
Cost: \$25 per class or sign up for 3 for \$60, includes pattern. Do you have mounds of scraps that you would like to use up? Join Marianne for a new scrap quilt pattern each month, plus dessert!!

## T-Shirt Quilt

Instructor: Rita Jones  
Date: Sunday, March 21 & 28  
Time: 12:30 – 2:30pm  
Cost: \$40 (Includes pattern)

Get out those t-shirts you've been saving or get some from a thrift shop and make a cool memory quilt. Perfect for Dads & Grads! Rita has some hot tips and tricks to help you be successful!

Cozy Cottage Fabrics is excited to  
have been selected as the official  
"Camp Store" for 2010 Camp-  
Watcha-Patcher

## Lyn Mann's Bargello Heart

Instructor: Lyn Mann  
Date: Sunday, February 21  
Time: 10:30-4:30  
Cost: \$45 (Includes pattern)

Have you wanted to learn the "Bargello" technique? Lyn will show you how to make this gorgeous heart quilt. It's really a lot easier than it looks! Using Lyn's technique, you will have great success putting this quilt together.

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## Knitting Classes

**NEW!** "Sit-n-Knit" Open Knitting with Prudence Bring in your WIPS (works in progress) and UFOs (unfinished opportunities) or get started on a new project. Enjoy a relaxed atmosphere for some uninterrupted knitting, all while having an instructor available to help you. Space is Limited. It is encouraged to reserve your space, but drop-ins are ALWAYS welcome!

When: Thursday Nights  
Time: 6-8pm  
Cost: \$10

### Beginning Knitting: Scarf Class

Have you been wanting to learn how to knit? This is the class for you! You will learn how to cast on, make a knit stitch and bind off, all while making your first knitted item, a scarf.

Date: Tuesday February 2nd  
Time: 6-8 pm  
or

Date: Saturday February 20th  
Time: 12:30- 2:30  
Cost: \$30  
Instructor: Prudence lee

### Sock Knitting

Learn how to knit socks using double pointed needles & worsted weight yarn. This sock is a perfect introduction to knitting using double pointed needles to knit in the round, working short rows & heel turns. No second sock syndrome here, these socks are quick to knit, you'll be showing off your completed pair in no time!

Dates: Monday February 15 & 22 and March 1  
Time: 11:30- 1:30  
Cost: \$40 + pattern  
Instructor: Prudence Lee

### New! Corkscrew Scarf Workshop

So many of you have inquired about the Corkscrew Scarf that we have displayed in the shop that we will be offering a workshop on how to make one. This scarf is fun & quick to knit.

Date: Wednesday February 10  
Time: 12-2pm

OR

Date: Tuesday February 16  
Time: 6-8pm

Cost: \$10 (Project worksheet included)  
Instructor: Prudence Lee

### Private Knitting Instruction

One-on-one knitting instruction is available & can be scheduled for your convenience. Choose your own pattern, bring in a pattern that you need additional help with, or choose one of the patterns from Cozy Cottage.

Instructor: Prudence  
Cost: \$20/hour

\*Private classes for small groups can also be scheduled at your convenience.

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## Stitches from the Heart

If you can knit, quilt, or crochet you can help just by putting your skills to work. With a little yarn and a lot of fun you can help someone before they even know they need help. Open your hearts and give as generously as possible to these worthwhile projects.

**Our Stitches from the Heart group meets the Fourth Tuesday of the month, 1:00pm – 3:00pm.** Come join Peggy Baxter, Long Beach representative for Stitches from the Heart, for a couple of hours of knitting and crocheting baby items for babies in need.

Feel free to bring a friend and any items you wish to donate. Why not clean out your yarn stash and donate it to our senior program?

Questions: Contact Peggy Baxter  
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