

Tangled Threads Spring Newsletter

April & May 2017

Hello Spring!!! We had quite the winter with snow storms that we have not experienced for a long time. We were shut down unable to open for 5 days. So we welcome spring with our arms wide open and we are turning our faces to the sunshine. I might have been responsible for one of the storms... I might have bought 50 primroses and delivered them around Lynden. I can't help it, when they hit the stores, I am buying!!!! Remember Dani Fisk can quilt all those projects you got done while snowed in. She is competitively prices and has a fast turn-a-round.

***Announcement:** Tangled Threads is now the local dealer for Sew Steady Tables and Westalee Design quilting rulers and templates. Come in and check them out!!!*

We have a few new classes, some repeated by request and some on-going. So look through and see if something suits your fancy.

Upcoming Events:

Open House

Tangled Threads Quilt Shop

April 1st 9 am to 5 pm

Come and see most of the class projects and sign up for classes. Cookie and coffee provided. We have created an area with gift and retreat items that will be fun to have and to use. Stop in for a look and have a visit.

Wine-Chocolate-Craft Night

April 26th 5:00 pm to 7:00 pm

\$25 with Caroline and Tangled Threads

Learn a little more about dessert wines and sample some of Lynden's exceptional chocolates. Craft will be a make and take project. No machine required.

Bargello Class next Newsletter with Lori Bruland

Pieceables Guild

Did you know we had a Lynden quilt guild? We meet 3rd Tuesday every Month at "Christ the King" family room on the west side of Fairway Shopping Center (close to Little Caesar's) If you want a good time and some new friends that share your love for Quilting. Come check us out. Doors open at 6:30 pm.

Fabric of the Forest Quilt Show

Forks High School Auxiliary Gym

Forks, WA.

April 21–23

(Featured quilter Pearl Krush)

The Everett Quilt Show

Edward Hansen Conference Center

Xfinity Center

April 28th –29th

\$5 admission

Patchwork Nation Quilt Show

George Preston Recreational Centre

Langley, BC

June 23rd–24th 10–5

\$7 admission (Gentlemen Free)

Row by Row

June 21st is kick off. This year's theme is "On the Go!"

Classes

Bunnies All Around

April 5th 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

\$15 with Sharylann

Fun table topper for any Easter event. Applique Easy!

Placemats

April 8th 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

\$15 with Lori Bruland

Guess What?? No binding required!!!! Come check this great project out.

Bloom

April 10th 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

\$15 with Marcia

If you would like to learn to appliqué using a screwdriver and glue stick? This one is for you! Kits are available while supplies last.

Grandma's Gifts

April 19th 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

\$15 with Sharylann and Thelma

The first class for Grandmas who want to make gifts for their adorable grandbabies. Towel and washcloth for the bath time made with our great new terry cloth. Fun, easy project.

Tuffet

April 20th 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

\$25 with Marcia

Two day class makes the cutest foot stool. Second class will be determined later with you in mind.

Grandma Class #2

April 22nd 10:00 am to 12:00 pm

\$10 with Marcia

Making a snuggle blanket with mini's out of Minky.

Poppies

April 25th 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

\$15 with Marcia

Turning a panel into an art piece is a great way to use them. This wall quilt will brighten up your house or make a great gift. Kits available while supplies last.

Buckets Gone Wild

April 27th 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

\$15 with Susan

Handy to carry everything to class projects and makes use out of things that would be thrown away. Going on retreat? You will need this, so sign up today.

Dresden Plate with Lunch

May 3rd 9:30 am to 4:30 pm

\$30 with Sharylann

Learn a technique to make a classical block using Marti Michelle templates; and enjoy lunch with your classmates. *Lunch will be provided!!!*

Pineapple Day

Pineapple Runner

May 10th 9:30 am to 12:30 pm

Pineapple Block

May 10th 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm

\$15 each or \$25 for both classes with Sharylann

Pineapples are the upcoming trend so make some "Welcoming" things for your home or give as a gift.

Honeycomb

May 16th 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

\$15 with Marcia

This is a great 3-D technique. Two quilt patterns to choose from to learn this neat pattern. Book required for class.

Grandma Gifts #3 with Lunch

May 17th, 9:30 am to 4:30 pm

\$30 with Sharylann

Make a fun Spring Dress for that someone special to enjoy all summer. Enjoy Lunch with your classmates while learning.

Bargello

May 18th, 10:00 am to 1:00pm

\$15 with Shirley

Great two fabric quilt and all the math has been done for you.

Tumbling Terrarium

May 23rd 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm

\$15 with Marcia

Fun Springtime colors from Riley Blake and the pattern is from Adorn it. The Book is required and kits are available will supplies last.

Garden Quilt BOM– 8 months

Starts April 26th 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

\$10 a month with Sharylann

A great Spring/Summer Quilt that will brighten your walls or bed. Appliqué starts off simple and progresses. It's a perfect way to develop your skills or learn a new one.

Ongoing Classes You May Have Missed But Can Still Join

Beginning Quilting

Every Monday 1:00 pm to 3:00 pm

\$80 for 8 weeks with Marcia

***Must sign up ahead of time**

Get- R- Done

Every Monday 1:00 pm to 4:00 m

\$5 with Marcia

***Must call ahead of time to see if there's room.**

Christmas Projects

April 14th 10:00 am to 12:00 and May 12th 10:00 am to 12:00

\$5 plus supplies with Thelma

***Must sign up ahead of time**

Hand Applique Nancy Chong's Way

April 11th 2:30 pm to 5:30 pm

May 9th 2:30–5:30

\$30 with Nancy Chong

***Must sign up ahead of time**

Bring your own projects or choose one or her patterns for purchase.

Mystery Class

April 29th, 10:00 am to 1:00 pm and May 27th 10:00 am to 1:00 pm

\$15 for each class plus supplies with Lori Bruland

This is not the normal Mystery class. You will make a small completed project during class.

The second month's class will be a different project that you will be able to take home.

***Must sign up ahead of time**

Westalee

3rd Friday of the month 1-4pm

\$10 with Thelma

Learn to use all those expensive rulers you purchased and tossed in a drawer. Fun class!!

***Must sign up ahead of time**

Machine Embroidery

April 28th 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm and May 26th 3:00 pm to 5:00 pm

\$10.00 with Lori Bruland

Different ways to create with your embroidery machine.

***Must sign up ahead of time**

Easter Recipe: Chocolate Nests for Easter Treats

Ingredients:

12 ounces of dark chocolate, chopped

3 tablespoons coconut oil

12 ounces pretzel sticks

1 bag chocolate egg candies

Directions: Melt the chocolate and coconut oil in a bowl in the microwave for 2 to three minutes. Coat the pretzel sticks in the chocolate and arrange them on parchment paper or waxed paper. Refrigerate for 10 minutes to set. Add chocolate eggs and arrange on a festive plate or basket.