



**A NEW PARTNERSHIP**  
CANADIAN LINE OF  
QUILTING RULERS



**SPECIAL**  
**ANNOUNCEMENT**  
STOCK UP ON BLUE



**SAVE THE DATE...**  
LOVELY NOVEMBER  
VISITOR

# DESIGN WALL DIGEST



## Year Two: Flexibility is My Middle Name

As always, I hope this edition of the Digest finds you well and staying safe. The sun and the warm days are a welcome change for outdoor activities and new places for the cats to stretch out and sleep where sunbeams are cast.

Many of my days are a blur, answering emails and phone calls, receiving and sending texts, conducting virtual tours, managing social media inquiries, even pulling bolts out into the daylight for colour matching on the sidewalk, curb-side pick-up arrangements and non-contact deliveries.

I am thankful for your patience as I continue to work remotely. I am asked many times a week as to when I'll be open to

the public and when I can safely sanitize and disinfect soft surfaces (i.e. bolts of fabric) or know how long to quarantine them, I'll be able to comfortably welcome people back. I have read that the virus can live in fabric, clothes, and/or upholstery anywhere from 24 hours to 11 days; so it is clear there is no definitive answer at this point. The fun of visiting Design Wall is the touching but right now there is no way for me to safely help you with that. As I learn more, I vow to keep my website current. Changes can happen at any time!

In the meantime, things continue to grow and change here, behind locked doors....

# Silly Moon Quilting Company

It is my great pleasure and I swell with national pride to welcome the Canadian company, **Silly Moon Quilting Company** to my product line. This company designs and manufactures a full line of quality quilting rulers in both 1/4" and 1/8" options. Truly unique shapes and well-thought designs are adorned with marking lines and pressure foot stops. In addition, each ruler also comes with a strip of grip tape that is movable and replaceable on your ruler as you need it for your work. Well-priced, extraordinarily constructed, and Canadian-made makes these an exciting addition my product lines at Design Wall!

As an introduction to learning to use these fine rulers, an online Zoom class has been arranged.

## Zoom Class Offering

The owner of Silly Moon Quilting Company will conduct a Beginner Ruler Quilting Class to teach you the techniques pictured here and all with the purchase of two Silly Moon Quilting Rulers - **Edgie 6 and Charming**.

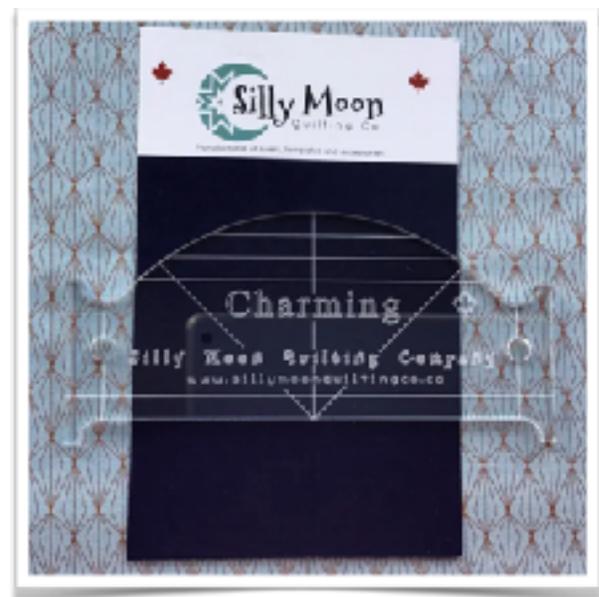
Upon purchase, you will receive detailed instruction to join the Zoom class and a supply list. Participants **MUST** have a ruler foot. Design Wall has been given specified dates for the classes:

Class 1: Saturday, June 27, 2020

Class 2: Sunday, July 05, 2020



Design Wall has three (3) sets of 1/4" rulers and one (1) 1/8" set for this class. Please call to purchase your rulers (instructions will follow). Act now, in case more rulers have to be ordered to accommodate everyone!



## First Anniversary Thanks

Many thanks to those who participated in my First Year 24-hour gift card gift back. I spent the better part of three days filling orders, delivering orders, and making arrangements for curbside pickup; participation was overwhelming and I appreciate you being willing to forgo the big shin-dig for the fun of online shopping! Let's see what we can plan for next year!

## Indigo Dye Shortage

In my communication with the owner of Cherrywood Hand Dyed Fabric, I've learned that there is a significant shortage of indigo for dyeing many of the fabric "recipes" for a blue hue.

I have many of the 8-steps that may be affected so it is suggested that if you have projects planned, you may wish to "stock up, as it were.

With the dollar returning to an almost acceptable rate (hard to believe I'm excited about 35%), I can also place special orders (with no guarantee) Cherrywood would be able to fill the requests. I am happy to try. Please be in touch.

## Special Visitor - November

It is in the works that Design Wall will be hosting Krista Hannebury in late November. If travel is allowed and it is safe to do so, set aside the weekend of November 21st as Krista will be a visiting instructor at Design Wall.

The Winnipeg Modern Quilt Guild will also be hosting a class that weekend and as world events unfold, I will continue to work with the Modern Guild to bring you a variety of activities and classes that weekend.

Let's keep our fingers crossed that all goes well - Krista is a terrific woman in which to spend time!

**Tim Holtz full collection is en route. Watch my website for updates! All new product is uploaded within 24 hours of it being added to inventory!**

*Beautiful new lines, RJR digital prints & new notions in now!*



Jen Kingwell - Fine & Sunny available in pre-cuts and yardage



RJR - bright digital prints



SewTites - magnetic pins perfect for English Paper-Piecing, holding multiple layers, and thick materials.