# Spring Is Around The Corner!



## **Sunny Days Ahead**

As I write this, the forecast for plus temperatures is practically so close I can reach out & feel it. We've all been sequestered and buried, we've been dumped on and and forced to spring those clocks forward but like day follows night, Spring follows Winter. Even in Winnipeg, it does not stay winter year-round.

# It's Always Sunny in Design Wall

### What's Changing In The Shop

It's true that Covid-19 restrictions have changed quite drastically and your safety remains my top priority just as it has been since this all started, two years ago THIS WEEK! Two years already!



Many, many of my clients have appreciated my one-on-one dedicated appointment times and so, on a trial basis or until numbers change, I will keep them in place for **MORNINGS ONLY, starting Tuesday, March 22, 2022.** This time is also preferred for the in-take of Gammill quilting. This will allow for undivided attention to your quilting project.

<u>You may pre-book your appointment from 10am-12pm Tuesday to Saturday</u>by calling 204-897-8458 or emailing simone@designwall.ca requesting a time & day and I will work you into my schedule.

<u>Drop-in shopping will begin at 1pm and run until 5pm each day(4pm on</u> Saturday). I still make many deliveries so doors will lock again at 5pm so that I can start my rounds.

I will keep mask requirements, hand sanitizing, and social distancing in place when you are in the store for either pre-booked or drop-in shopping. I will closely monitor the number of clients in the shop and if spacing cannot be maintained, clients may have to wait outside until others leave. I will continue to ask for proof of vaccination and temperatures will be taken. If you are not vaccinated, I will ask screening questions.

I will continue to accommodate, remote sales options on a first, come, first served basis. Please be sure to leave a message if you call or order online and it will be time-stamped so you get into my virtual line-up. My website is always current and curb-side pickups and in-city deliveries remain easy & safe!

### Starting Tuesday, March 22, 2022 Pre-Bookings 10-12 Drop-in Shopping 1-5

Protocols could change at any time so always watch designwall.ca for updates

(google is not always accurate).

## I appreciate & thank you for your patience as we work toward a new covid-normal.

# **Spring Always Brings Anew**

New collections, pre-cuts, notions, and patterns continue to arrive in the shop. New specially curated pieces, full collections, and wide back options for longarming are always arriving.

Although experiencing some delays beyond regular thresholds, I do everything to communicate timelines as best I can. The new normal is 8+ weeks for new arrivals past the designer's original release dates. I've just received word the Zen Chic's Celestial collection will be arriving in 3-6 weeks.

Here is a sampling of some of the new things in the shop (so much more to see in-store):







Dear Stella | Orangerie

#### Ruby Star Society | Unruly Nature



Robert Kaufman | Gustav Klimt



Sunshine Soul | Create Joy Project for Moda

## Browse Everything Here

In-Store Gammill Long-Arm Quilting Always Available

- Introductory
  pricing in effect
- Long-arming includes thread & trimming
- 1,800+ patterns from which to choose (catalogue on my News page)
- Currently have a 6-8 day turnaround time (including 4-day quarantine)
- Call ahead for your one-on-one in-take consultation (mornings are



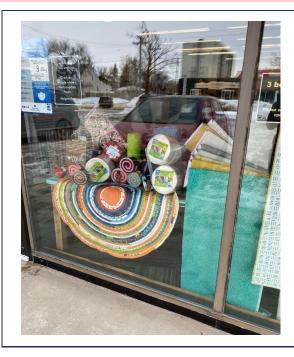
I am so very proud to offer quality Gammill longarm machines with the ability to sell, service & offer fully automated or custom long-arming services.

Two machines in-store often have me hopping between them both to ensure you get your beautiful quilts back in a timely manner.

I look forward to absorbing more advanced longarm training later this year & one day, visiting

#### best)

Gammill head office for hands on service training.



#### Window Displays Continue

I spend time each week updating my window displays. Sometimes it's a new collection, other times, a feature favourite. I've even been so proud as to display client quilts. I appreciate the favourable comments I receive and know that my creativity is often sparked through this medium.

Com'on by any ole time and have a gander. I try and keep it fresh and beautiful, just like that long-awaited Spring!



### Love Your Featherweight

I carry a wide range of maintenance items and accessories but I can only carry that which I know you need. If you don't see something, please send me a note and I'll add it to my list for my next order.

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## Wishing You All a Sunny Spring!