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Tuesday—Friday 10am to 5pm

Saturdays 9am to 3pm and closed on Sundays

Dec. 2023 News/Jan 2024 Calendar

Jennifer's Blog

I can't believe that as I sit down to write this blog that Christmas is about 3 weeks away. Where are the days going!

So a couple months ago, I told you that I had a new social media person. However, that has ended and it's back to Kathy and I doing the Facebook and Instagram posts. So if you are seeing posts they are from us. I try to schedule them in advance so we have a bunch every week. If you need one of us to answer something please direct your comment to us so we know which one needs to reply!

Speaking of social media. Have you checked out our Facebook or Instagram(quiltersdepotpa) pages? If not we would love to have you like and follow! There are weeks that we show you all the new stuff and share other fun stuff with you on there vs emails. We hope that you will like and follow us!

If anyone is interested in a Quilting 101 Saturday version stop in and we get a January class up and running. In the meantime I am designing a 201 class for you all! Hopefully, I will be ready to advertise for the first session to start in March or April. The classes will be small in size as we will want to be doing a lot of 1 on 1 activities with you. I have given hints to a couple of 101 students and have had positive feedback and hope that you all think the same. I started my sample and writing my lesson plans this weekend so hopefully I'll get a good bit of sewing done in the coming weeks!

Just as a reminder we will be closed on both Christmas day and New Years. We however are open 24/7 online for you to shop in your pajamas!

Upcoming Classes/Events:

Quilting: Sit N Sews: Do you have unfinished projects? Do you just need some out of the house time? Do you need some help? You can come to all of them or make it a special occasion outing at the last minute., We have enough room for probably 5 people with sewing machines. So depending on what you are working on we fill up pretty quickly! If you are going to need help, please tell our sales associate so you can register for their time just so they can plan their day. If these dates do not work for you, call and talk to a Sales Associate. If there is no class going on and you want to make your own Sit N Sew! Times are any hours that we are open that day! For this month, we are have 6 times you can come in and Sit and Sew! Cost: \$5.00 per session.

When: 1) Wednesday, January 3rd, 2) Friday, January 12th, 3) Saturday, January 13th, 4) Tuesday, January 16th 5) Friday, January 19th and 6) Thursday, January 25th.

Upcoming Classes/Events:

Coming in 2024 "Kathy's Korner" - Join Kathy and other "Sewists" to create a monthly project. Every month there will be a new and exciting project(s) to do. What will they be? Whatever Kathy and your "Sewists" come up with! If you have an idea for something that you would like taught please let Kathy know. The class will be on 4 Wednesdays of the month (please check below and the calendar for exact dates!). You can come to one or all times to get your work done! The cost of the class is \$15 for each month's initial workshop plus pattern and supplies. If you need even more time you can also come to any Sit N Sew for an additional \$5.

For January—Come to Kathy's Korner and you will have a choice of making the snowflake, heart block or both that you see in the picture. As Kathy finishes any samples they will be posted through Facebook and Instagram!

January Project: Wednesday 10:30 am 1/10, 1/17, 1/24, 1/31. Saturdays available upon request 9:00am - 12:00



Yarn Time!

This month we will be having 5 sessions each month of Yarn Time. We will be charging \$5.00 a session whether you are doing the project of the month or just your own stuff. If you come to all you get the final session free! As always our Yarn times are hosted by Emily Klaczak. Spread the word that it's a great time to come in and work on your knitting and crochet and socialize with like mind artists! If you know anyone who wants to learn have them come talk to Emily during one of these times and see what can be set up for lessons! December is dedicated to getting your projects done, coming in for help or to learn how to crochet or knit!

Yarn Times: All are from Noon to 3pm unless specified.

1)Saturday, January 6th, **2)**Tuesday, January 9th, **3)**Saturday, January 20th, **4)**Saturday, January 20th, **4)**Saturday, January 30th.

Project Class! - January - Dragonscale Crochet Gloves

Winter isn't over yet, and since we did knitted dragonscale gloves in November, we'll do the crochet version in January. This is an intermediate crochet project, and a basic knowledge of crochet stitches is needed but once you learn the pattern, your hands will be warm in no time!

Supplies:

One skein medium weight (#4) yarn. "Soft" yarns like Caron Soft or Red Heart Soft are recommended for this project.

Crochet hook size G/7

Removable stitch marker



Finally we wish all of you had a very Merry Christmas and Happy New Year! We also hope that those of you who are Jewish had a very Happy and Peaceful Hanukkah.



January 2024

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
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