I scheduled our Winter Open House for Saturday, January 28th, 2017 – hoping for good weather – well — we have been blessed with unusually warm weather the last few weeks and I'm pretty sure that is going to change soon – lol. We will still be brave and continue on with the hope that all will be well. As well as showing the new fabrics and introducing our teachers and new classes we will again be having our sale of \$1.00/per yard off fabric; 20% off books, patterns and notions; fat quarters \$2.00/each (already cut only); jellyrolls & layercakes \$5.00/off each. I look forward to seeing everyone.

<u>Amazon Star</u> – Regina Parsons will be teaching another Judy Niemeyer paperpieced quilt. This quilt pattern was designed over 10 years ago but since that time Judy has made tremendous advancement in her techniques. This new pattern has full Template Layout Sheets allowing for layers of 8 pieces of fabric, floating points, her latest strip-piecing technique for lone star constructions,



smart corners and also uses less fabric than the original design. This class is for intermediate and advanced quilters. Instructor fee: \$80.00 – Pattern \$98.00.

<u>Dates – Saturday, February 4th, March 4th, April 22nd, and May 6th</u>

<u>Tumbling Blocks/Convergence</u> – Quilting expert Ricky Tims presents an imaginative, new piecing technique that quilters will adore!! Convergence quilts feature two or more fabrics cut in strips, sewn together, then cut and pieced



again. **Pat Habenschuss** adds a little applique and turns each convergence quilt into a unique work of art. Instructor fee: \$50.00 - Book - \$23.95.

Dates: Wednesday, February 8th and February 22nd. – 10:00am – 3:00pm

<u>Katie's Quilts</u> – **Dee Begley** will be teaching this scrappy-look quilt by Missouri Star. A great way to use charm packs or layer cakes or perhaps just dig into that stash!!



This quilt is perfect for beginners and intermediate quilters – and one that you will probably remake several times for gifts. Instructor fee \$25.00 - Book \$5.99 Date – Saturday, February $11^{th} - 10:00am - 3:00pm$

<u>Checkered Dresden</u> – Clara Poe has been busy putting a new twist on an old traditional pattern. Using jellyrolls makes this project fun and fast!!



Perfect for wall-hangings, baby quilts or just keep going and make a queen size bed quilt.

Date: Thursday, February 16th – 10:00am – 3:00pm – Instructor fee: \$25.00

<u>Raw-Edge Applique'</u> – This 3-block table runner is a technique class being taught by a guest teacher from Livingston, TX. We met **Carol Pearson** as she visited our shop while travelling in her RV. She has a different method of raw-edge applique than our area is familiar with and she is willing to do a one day class!



<u>Date: Wednesday, February 15th – 10:00am – 3:00pm - \$35.00 includes pattern</u>

<u>Seven Sisters</u> – Clara Poe will be instructing this classic quilt technique once again. Using Marti Michell's template set – you will be amazed at how easy this block goes together –



Intermediate to advanced quilters. Template required.

Date: Saturday, February 25th - 10:00am - 3:00pm - Instructor fee \$25.00 -

<u>Missouri Dresden Wreath</u> – Another Missouri Star pattern using charm packs or fat quarters makes this wall hanging another great beginner/intermediate project.



Pat Habenschuss encompasses both piecing and appliquéing techniques in this session. Instructor fee: \$50.00 –

Dates: Wednesday, March 1st and March 8th – 10:00am – 3:00pm

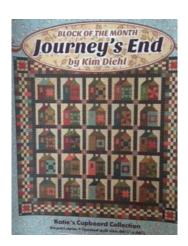
Hand Applique Flower – Award winning teacher Clara Poe will be teaching her hand applique techniques in this two day class. You will be inspired to not only complete this block but to continue to applique your own flower garden as her love of hand applique begins to rub off on you!! Instructor Fee: \$50.00 Dates: Thursday – March 2nd and March 16th – 10:00am – 3:00pm.

<u>Ohio Star</u> – **Dee Begley** will be continuing with another Missouri Star pattern – using pre-cuts or fat quarters she will show you a few new techniques on getting those points perfect.



Beginner – intermediate. Instructor fee \$25.00 **Date: Saturday, April 29**th – **10:00am** – **3:00pm**

<u>Kim Diehl's – Block of Month - Cookie Ranson</u> is back with another 6-part series of Journey's End. Beautiful checkerboard surrounds this quilt for an amazing finish to such a lovely sampler house center. Kits with complete yardage will be ready at your first class as Cookie begins helping you construct your first houses. Kits are \$149.00 – payable upon sign-ups.



<u>Dates: Tuesday, Feb. 14th & 28th; March 14th & 28th; April 11th & 25th; May 9th & 23rd; June 13th & 27th; and July 11th – 10:00pm – 3:00pm</u>

Happy quilting !!

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