

A Peek at Purple Mountain Quilt Shop

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Have some summer time fun on the Mountain. Come to Purple Mountain Quilt Shop and share good times with fellow quilters and non-quilters of all ages. New classes are always being offered. Kids classes are being offered for the summer. Keep your eyes peeled for different classes (not just quilting). We will be offering needle punch, embellishments and dressmaking!



A Peek at Our Featured Quilter

We will continue introducing Featured Quilters in the Fall. Everyone have a great summer and keep on quilting!

One of my goals when opening the shop was to bring back life to Monterey. In an attempt to do so, Featured Quilter became an important date each month. By introducing the stories of local families, and giving them an opportunity to share their history, we hope to enhance the pride of our Town.

If you are interested in becoming a Featured Quilter, stop by the shop and add your name to our list. We are always interested in the history and stories of local quilters and crafters and their ancestors.

Purple Mountain Quilt Shop hopes to bring light to the history of our town through the many quilters who have contributed to its development.

Purple Mountain Gives Back

Twenty percent of all pink ribbon material purchases go to the Susan G. Komen Breast Cancer Foundation.



Other News



Our Shop is expanding to include special occasion teas.

Celebrate in a warm and inviting environment. The shop is now available for your bridal tea, baby showers or special occasion teas.

Call Angie at 931-277-5481 to make arrangements for your tea today. Cost: \$20 per hour to rent the shop for a tea.

In addition, let us decorate your wedding place. We have what you need to decorate for your wedding ceremony. We will come set up and take down your decorations. Come by and see our window display in June for a sample of what we can offer. Contact Angie Silcox at 931-277-5481 to set up your wedding plans. Cost: \$50 per hour for bridal equipment set up.



**Due to summer schedules, this newsletter will cover the months of June, July and August. We will be emailing the current calendar at the end of each month and weekly updates on specials, class updates and events on Saturdays. Please feel free to call or email us with any questions.

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We are the only authorized dealer of the **AccuQuilt GO!** in the Upper Cumberland area. We have kits using the **AccuQuilt GO!** patterns. Come in to see what you can do with a **“GO!”**

Join us for “Quilting Bee” on Tuesday nights from 6 to 8 p.m. for “UFO” night. Bring in those unfinished projects or begin a new project. And if you don’t know how to quilt, join us for your very first project. We are always there to help you get started!

Shop hours are:

Monday - Friday
 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 Saturday - 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Our goal is to be your community shop and provide what you want and need.

We look forward to seeing you soon!

Do you love to quilt, but hate to cut?

Let us do your cutting for you.



AccuQuilt cutting services now available. Cut up to ten layers of fabric at a time. The charge is minimal and the convenience is great.

\$1.50 for cuts up to 10 pieces of fabrics from your stash

-OR-

\$1.00 for cuts up to 10 pieces of fabrics purchased at our shop

-OR-

Reserve your space today to cut your own quilt fabric for just \$5.00 per half hour.

AccuQuilt GO! demonstrations available upon request.

Win your independence from your rotary cutter. Any purchase of \$50 or more on fabric, notions or books, entitles you to an entry in our drawing for an **AccuQuilt GO!** on July 4.



Feature Fabrics & Projects

* Thimleberries “Block of the Month” are here. Register now. Quantities are limited. We meet on the third Wednesday of each month at 11:00 a.m. Each kit and instructions only cost \$15. Come by and pick up your kit.

◇ AccuQuilt - Project of the Month - is a Sunbonnet Sue and Sam. These kits are ready to bond to your choice of background fabric. Kits are available in a variety of fabrics. We will also customize your Sunbonnet Sue and Sam.

Students Learn Math Through Quilting

We have been very successful and have enjoyed working with the young people of Monterey. Miss Liz offered a math tutorial program, Making Math Real Through Quilting.

There were five young ladies who completed their first quilt and learned how to apply their mathematical skills. We are excited about them being entered into the Putnam County Fair in the Fall.

To celebrate their accomplishments, we are having a party on Thursday, May 28, from 4:00 to 5:30 p.m.

We will offer this program again in the Fall; however, children in Grades 4 and up are invited to join us on Thursdays in June from 1:00 to 3:00 p.m. to create blocks to be donated to charity. There will be no charge for this activity. Children are welcome to join in other classes during the summer at the regular fee and are subject to the same Class policies as described on Page 3.



Sales

✂ Monthly special - Come in and see which fabric is cut 40% off.

Memorial Day Sale! May 25: Zippity Doo Dah and Glory Fabric - 40% off.

Father’s Day Sale! June 15-20: Norman Rockwell and all sports fabric 40% off.

4th of July Sale! June 29-July 3: All Red, White & Blue fabric 40% off.

AccuQuilt GO! Drawing: July 3 at 5:00 p.m. You do not have to be present to win, but feel free to stop by anyway!

AQS Sale! July 20-25: All Fabrics 30% off.

Coming Soon! Dressmaking material will be in stock.



Remember to show your key chain at time of purchase to receive 10% off all purchases until October 2009. To receive your key chain, come in and purchase \$25 or more (while supplies last) -OR- Show your Guild Membership card for a 10% off all purchases. (Only one discount applies.)

Customer comments are always welcome.



June Classes



May 28: Applique Wall Hanging, by Debby Olson, Designer of Above All Else Patterns, 5:30-8

This is the first class in a series of four seasonal

wall hangings, which incorporates piecing, applique and the use of embellishments.

June 13: Little Jackets with Carolyn Frazier, 10-5

Many of you have seen the cute little hooded jackets in the Shop and have inquired about them. Carolyn will offer this class in which you can create a child's jacket from 3-6 months up to 4T.

June 17: Thimbleberries BOM with Debbie at 11:00 a.m.

June 22: Embellishment Challenge! 10-3

Great class for kids and adults who enjoy adding some pizzazz to their clothing. Debbie Olson (The Queen of Embellishments) will guide you through the embellishment process.

Participants will be invited to bring in their embellished garments on June 25 for customer judging. Our winner will be announced on June 30 who will be awarded a \$25 gift certificate from PMQS.

June 27: Needle Punch Classes Begin!

Class #1 will be an introduction to needle punch with Debbie Olson. You will have a choice of 2 patterns.

June 27: Applique #5 (Continued), Loretta Yoder, 10-12



Jelly Roll Purse Class with Joyce available on Wednesdays by Appointment.

Make two 12" x 14" strip purses from a Jelly Roll! A great project to share with a friend (minus the calories).



Back Pack Class with Joyce available on Wednesdays by Appointment.

Make an easy, fun, cute backpack with just 5 fat quarters. Great for the summer. Good project for a beginner, including Kids!



Shoulder bag or two-handle purse with a flap closure with Joyce on Wednesdays by Appointment.

July Classes

July-Thursdays: Tatting Class, Marsha, 1-3

July 11: Applique Class #6 (Continued) with Loretta Yoder, 10-12

July 15: Thimbleberries BOM with Debbie at 11:00 a.m.

July 18: Needle Punch Class featuring an Ice Cream Design and Social.

July 25: Crayon Pillow with Sarah Phipps, 1-3

Hexagon to GO! Table Topper, Barbara, Available by Appointment.

Traditional piecing by hand. Did you ever wonder how quilts were made before we had sewing machines? The advantage to this class is that we will be using the AccuQuilt GO! to cut the hexagon shapes. This class mixes the old with the new.

August Classes

August 3: Lone Star with Charlie Rhea and Jaimie, 10-4

Make a Lone Star Wall Hanging using 2 1/2" strips. Remember we can cut your strips for you.

August 6: Smocking 101 with Marsha Buckner, 6-8

Turn a basic dress into an elaborate design. Class continues for 4 weeks.

August 19: Thimbleberries BOM with Debbie at 11:00 a.m.

August 22: Needle Punch chicken or cat design with Debbie Olson, 10-1

Class Registration and Cancellation Policy:

Either stop by the shop to register or call in to register by credit card. Full amount of the class must be paid upon registration. Cancellation by students requires 24 hours notice; otherwise, your fee will be forfeited. If classes are cancelled because the minimum enrollment has not been met, you will receive a full refund. We consider your enrollment to be your commitment to take the class. We then make a commitment to our teachers. A class supply list will be handed or mailed out when you register. Please do not purchase your supplies until you have confirmed that the class will go ahead as scheduled. Classes will be canceled if the minimum enrollment has not been met by the Friday before.

****A 10% Discount Is Offered to Our Students for All Supplies Purchased for Your Class.**

****We Carry Only Quality Fabrics and Supplies and Appreciate Your Support.**

Remember the Putnam County Fair is coming in August. This is a great place to showcase your quilts.

Monthly Block Party



Thanks to all our customers for participating in the Block Parties. With your help, we have been able to donate to the following charities:

American Heart Association - \$60
March of Dimes - \$85
Easter Seals - \$50
DAV - Hoping to donate \$80

Help us reach our goal for May by stopping by and picking up a kit.

Our May Block Party will be on May 30 at 4:00 p.m.

Our Block of the Month program will resume in September 2009.



Have

you met the girls from the Shop? Because summer is vacation time, follow Liz, Debbie, Joyce, Vikki, Linda and Barbara as they travel to different places this summer. Watch for weekly updates and news about whose gone where and what quilt shops they found. We will have a travel trivia in August. The winners will receive a Gift from the Shop.



What's Happening?

AccuQuilt Cutter – Additional dies are now available for your use or for custom cuts in our store.

2 ½" Strip
Nickel and Dime Squares
(5" and 10")
Sun Bonnet Sue and Sam
Large and Small Diamonds
4 ½" Squares
45° Triangles
(Large, Medium and Small)

Tee Shirt Cutter
Rob Peter to Pay Paul Pattern (Leaf)
3 ¼" Square
4 ½" Rectangle
4" Square
Flower Petals
2 ½" Square
Small Circles
2 ½" Parallelogram
Double Wedding Ring
Drunkards Path

New Items:

2" Strip
Hexagon and Clear Hexagon
(for fussy cutting)

Come in and enter your "Customer Choice" on desired AccuQuilt dyes.

Consignment Items:

- ☺ Princess House sold by Debbie Melgar
- ☺ Pampered Chef sold by Kara Hufstedler
- ☺ Gently used Books of Charlotte McGowen
- ☺ Ready made quilts and baby gift items by Sherry Calahan
- ☺ Hand-made gift bags - *great for candy and jewelry* - provided by Darlene Riel
- ☺ Handmade Pure Glycerin Soaps by Angie Silcox

Coming soon! Homemade candles.

Purple Mountain Quilt Shop is your newest wedding and party place. Come in and check out photos of designer cakes by Angie.

**Come by the shop to check out these items.



One of our goals is to provide a gathering place for friends and to give back to the community. You don't have to be a quilter, just come by to share some time with friends and maybe meet someone new.



Quilting Choir

****NOTE: Choir & Dulcimer will be postponed until August. Come join us then!**

We started the Quilting Choir for the holidays under the direction of Jane Fronheiser.

We would like to continue the choir and watch it grow. No quilting required; singers of all ages and genders welcome. We will meet on Thursdays from 4:30 to 5:15 p.m. for rehearsal of selected music. This provides for a good time, enjoying friends and music, and sharing.

If you are interested in joining the choir, come and join us on Thursdays.



Now available: Dulcimer lessons by Jane will be on Thursdays from 5:15 to 6:00 p.m.



Remember to check us out on the website:

www.Cookevilleishappening.com



Have a Happy Summer!