

# Main Street Quilt Company

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Hours: Monday—Saturday, 9 a.m.—5 p.m.

August—November 2010

## Calendar of Events

(For series class this is the day the class begins)

- ◇ 9/9 Beginning Knitting
- ◇ 9/14 Sweet Pickin's
- ◇ 9/17 & 9/18 Effingham quilt show
- ◇ 9/24 Quilting 101
- ◇ 9/25 Twister Class
- ◇ 9/30 Advance Knitting
- ◇ 10/1 & 2 Fat quarter Frenzy
- ◇ 10/9 Scarecrow Days Quilt Show
- ◇ 10/10 Points of Pride
- ◇ 10/19 Prairie Women
- ◇ 10/23 Margo Handbag
- ◇ 11/1 Paris in the fall
- ◇ 11/1 Buck a Block Series 7

### *A note about classes:*

You may register for a class in person or by phone at (217) 774-3484. Payment is required to reserve your place in the class. A supply list can be picked up at the shop or we can e-mail it to you. You will receive a 20% discount on all required class supplies. Please mention at the time of purchase. Cancellations less than one week prior to class will forfeit class fee (you may send someone in your place). We reserve the right to cancel a class due to insufficient enrollment, however in this event you will receive a full refund.

We are very excited about our first annual quilt show here in Shelbyville. It will be held in conjunction with the Scarecrow Day festival, Saturday October 9th from 9-3 pm. There will be lots of opportunities for you to participate both as a volunteer and an entrant. If you would like to help with set-up or take down I have a sign up sheet at the shop.

Quilt show entry forms are available on our web site as well as here at the shop. The entry fee is \$5.00 per quilt. We will be awarding viewers choice gift certificates of \$75, \$50 and \$25 for 1st—3rd prize.

If you are a fat quarter collector than the upcoming **Fat Quarter Frenzy** is not to be missed. October 1st and 2nd all fat quarters will be \$1.50 each and sale fat quarters will only be \$1.00.

I think you will be excited about the upcoming classes we are offering. There are several new monthly groups starting this fall. We will also bring back the very popular Buck a Block If you have any questions please just call the store.

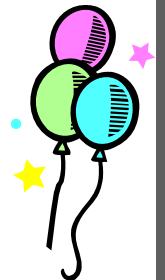
Happy Quilting!

*Kate*

## FAT QUARTER FRENZY



Friday October 1st  
Saturday October 2nd  
All Fat Quarters \$1.50 each  
—no limit—  
Sale fat quarters will be  
\$1.00 each



# Clubs

All of our clubs are free to attend. You may join at any point in the year and everyone is welcome no matter your skill level.

## English Paper Piecing Club

1st Wed. of the Month ♦ 10:30-12:00 noon  
English paper piecing is a truly portable form of quilting. This is the perfect method for making the Grandmother's Flower Garden Pattern, Tumbling Blocks, Dresden Plate and many others. Come and work on the project of your choice or find help in getting started.

**PLEASE NOTE DAY CHANGE FOR  
THE KNITTING CLUB STARTING  
IN SEPTEMBER!!**

## Knitting Club

1st FRIDAY of the Month ♦ 1:00.-4:00 p.m.  
Bring your current knitting project or we can help you get started. It is sure to be an enjoyable afternoon spent making new friends and learning all the tricks to knitting. This club is lead by Karin Bennett.

## Beginning Knitting I

September 9th & 16th  
6-8pm

Learn to knit continental style (or just brush up your skills) while you make a dishcloth. Cast on, knit, increase, decrease and bind off are covered in this two part class. The pearl stitch is covered in Knitting II (will be offered Sept. 30th).



Instructor: Karin Bennett.....\$20

**Please Note:  
We will be Closed Sept.  
6th for Labor Day**

## Sweet Pickin's Mystery Quilt

2nd Tuesday of each month  
starting September 2010  
10 am OR 6 pm



This is the perfect quilt to use up that stash of fabric that you have collected. Small or medium size prints for all the piecing and a medium large print for the outer border would work best. Be sure that the background is lighter and the rest of the fabric is medium to medium dark to make sure you have enough contrast to see the piecing. Bonus project and recipe each month.

Instructor: Kate Laskowski.....\$60.00/year

## Quilting 101

Sept. 24, Oct 15 & 22  
6-9 p.m.

Learn how to create beautiful quilts starting with the basics. Work on a throw sized rail fence quilt as you learn about fabric selection, tools, rotary cutting, the perfect  $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam and more. Sewing machine and basic quilting supplies are required.

Instructor: Sarah Greider.....\$50

## Twister Class

September 25th  
9:00 a.m.— 12:00 p.m.

Do the "twist" with your fabric! A specially designed template works the magic with 5" or 10" squares. You can choose to make either a table runner from 5" squares or a lap quilt from 10" squares.



Instructor: Sarah Greider.....\$20 + template

## Beginning Knitting II



September 30th

6-8 p.m.

Continue your knitting journey by learning the purl stitch. You will work on a more complicated dish-cloth to practice. Knitting I is a prerequisite.

Instructor: Karin Bennett.....\$20

## Points of Pride Wall hanging

October 16th

9am—4 pm

In this class you will learn not only paper piecing but curved piecing. Your new skills in foundation and curved piecing will pay off on a star-studded wall hanging or you could even make a bed quilt. Tips and tricks prove it's possible to master these easier-than-they-look techniques.



Instructor: Lorna Blount.....\$35.00  
includes the pattern  
50¢ material fee to instructor

## Prairie Women's Sewing Circle

3rd Tuesday of each month

6 pm

Starts October 2010

In this class you will be making 5 mini quilts and one lap quilt PLUS bonus projects. This club was designed to use Civil War reproduction fabrics. The club features quilting history in the form of anecdotal stories of what life was like for "Prairie Women". Another feature of the club is the "make-do" quilts. The club runs for six months.

Instructor: Kate Laskowski.....\$35.00

## Margo Handbag

October 23rd

9-2 pm

Margo's secure zip-top closure safely nestles 1" from the top edge of the bag.

Along with the zipper the purse features: shoulder length fabric handles, 2 handy outside plus 6 inside pockets to keep you organized.



Instructor: Karin Bennett.....\$30

## New Block of the Month

### Paris in the Fall

Each month for six months you will be making 2 blocks. This quilt features French General's Maison de Garance Collection by Moda Fabrics. The finished size is 66" x 86" You can pick up your first block beginning November 1st. Blocks must be picked up between the 1st and 15th of each month. The cost of Paris in the Fall is \$139.99 if you pay in full. Or \$49.99 for the first month and \$19.99 for months 2-6. You may also do this BOM by mail for an additional \$4.95 mailing fee each month.



### Thangles Buck-a-Block

The popular Thangles Buck-a-Block program will be returning with a new quilt in November. With BAB 7 you will be making two 6" blocks from your strip set each month. The quilt finishes at a twin size (67" x 94") We will have two color ways available for you to choose from. Both from Moda fabrics "Bliss" and classic "Kansas Troubles". Samples of both will be in the shop as soon as we can get them made! Stop in for all the details!



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## Mailing List Update

Please notify us if there are any changes or errors in your address.

E-mail us at

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Include both your old or incorrect and new information.

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## Upcoming Local Quilt Shows You Will Not Want To Miss!



### **Crossroads Quilters Guild's Quilt Show**

Hendelmeyer Recreation Center

1906 South Fourth Street, Effingham

Friday September 17th 10 am—5 pm

Saturday September 18th 10 am—5 pm

### **Scarecrow Days Quilt Show**

Saturday, October 9th 9 am-3pm

Downtown Shelbyville (West of the Courthouse)

Get your entry form at Main Street Quilt Company!