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**PFAFF** Sales & Service

October-December, 2009



Mark these dates...

Block-of-the Month Pickup

October 3-31

November 7-30

December 5-31

FINISHING PATTERN:

January 1-31, 2010

Bitsy Chick Exhibit

October 20-Nov 1

After Thanksgiving Sale

Fri & Sat, Nov 27-28

2010 Block-of-the-Month

Sign-Up: Nov 2-30

HOLIDAY HOURS

CLOSED Thanksgiving Nov 26

CLOSED Christmas Eve Dec 24

CLOSED Christmas Dec 25

Closing at 3 PM: New Years Eve

Dear Friends,

Are you ready for fall sewing? With the AQS and DMAQG show just weeks away, you might be frantically finishing a project, or maybe you're so on top of things that you're already done with this year's show entries and are thinking about what to start next. I love sewing at this time of the year, when the weather is changing and I'm thinking of nestling in on dark evenings and rainy days.

If you're like me, you're already priming your appetite for the turkey dinner on Thanksgiving day. (Now there's something I'm good at: priming my appetite!) Don't forget the people who might need some help putting food on the table this year. Barb Dickerson has made some darling Thread Catchers as a fund raiser for the Food Bank of Iowa. Please pick out your favorite during October and take it home for a \$15 donation to this important community charity. (If you don't need a thread catcher, why not make a donation anyway?)

Thank you to all who made it to our *Customer Appreciation Days* in August. Warren Larsen was the lucky winner of the \$50 Gift Certificate. Hope you all had fun and found some good buys.

We're delighted to have found some old favorites available again: TransWeb fusible webbing and Roxanne's Glue Baste-It are back on our shelves! We know you love both products, so we never stopped looking. If there's something else you'd like to see in the store, please let us know. If we can't carry it, we will be happy to get it for you as a special order.

As always, thank you for your business.

*Connie and  
the staff at Creekside Quilting*

## NEW KITS & MORE



*Snow Day*

Kit: \$13.50, includes pattern

Pattern only: \$3.50



*The Wings of a Dove*

Kit: \$20.99, includes pattern

Pattern only: \$2.00



*Blossoms in Wool*

Pattern: \$10

Hand-dyed wool pack available or pick your own colors



*"Floral Arcade"* from the design pack by *Applique After Hours*

Kit: \$38.99 plus pattern

Pattern: \$15



See our new wool yarn punch needle projects. Great for rugs, chair pads, wall decor, etc. Kits available. **Free class with purchase of supplies!**



*Sophie's Garden*

One of many patterns and kits to be introduced at our booth at the AQS Show....come see us there!

## APPLIQUE

Machine Applique Basics with Patty Barrett  
Wed, Nov 11 - 10 AM to 12:30 PM

Have you ever seen a pattern you'd just love to make if only it weren't for the appliqued pieces? In this technique class, Patty will help you master machine applique using the fusible-web method. You'll love the results! \$20-no pattern required

Beginning Needleturn Applique with Angela Lawrence  
Tues, Nov 10 & 17 - 1:00 to 3:00 OR 6:30 to 8:30 PM

Have you always admired the beautiful applique quilts but weren't sure how to begin? Angela will teach you all the basics as you make a block suitable for use in a sampler quilt or as a medallion for a wall hanging. \$32 - pattern included



Applique project classes will be forming again early in 2010. Watch our next newsletter for more information!

## BEGINNING-TO-QUILT SERIES

Accurate Rotary Cutting with Carol Wilson  
Wed, Oct 14 - 6:30 to 8:30 PM

Before you take a piecing class, learn the basics of rulers, rotary cutters, and accurate and safe cutting techniques. We'll teach you to follow typical cutting instructions for strip piecing. (Pre-requisite to other classes in this series.) \$15-no pattern required

Turning Twenty

Wed, Nov 11 and 18 - 6:30 to 8:30 PM

This is a great pattern that's both super simple and so pretty that quilters of all levels enjoy making it. You'll learn basic piecing skills and how to follow a quilt pattern. You'll end up with a top worth quilting! *(Please note: You must take the Accurate Rotary Cutting class before this class unless you already have rotary-cutting skills.)* \$30 plus book

## QUILTING & FINISHING

Template-Free Free-Motion Machine Quilting with Patty  
Sun, Nov 15 - Noon to 4:00

Advance your machine-quilting skills and discover the fun, freedom, and beauty of free-motion quilting without premarking your top. You'll learn many designs and how to move gracefully from one to another. \$25-no pattern required

Machine Quilting with Lynn Witzenburg

Sat, Nov 14 OR Sat, Dec 5 - 10:00 to 4:00

Overcome your fear of working with a large quilt on your home sewing machine! You'll learn how to pin-baste the quilt, how to use your walking foot for straight-line quilting, and the techniques used in free-motion quilting. After the class, you'll be ready to actually *complete* one of those tops you've finished! \$45

Long-Arm Machine Certification with Jeanne Stilley

Sat, Nov 14 - 10:00 to 1:00

Learn to use our long-arm in this 2-part class. In the 1st session, you'll learn to wind and load a bobbin, thread the machine, load the quilt, and operate the controls. If you want to become certified for rental, you'll need a second one-on-one session with the instructor to prepare for your "solo flight." Session 1-\$65; Session 2- \$100 for 4 hours of practice (by appointment.)

## OTHER TECHNIQUES & PROJECTS, cont.

Creating with Color with Angela Lawrence

Thurs, Nov 12 - 6:30 to 9:00 PM

We hear it a lot: "Choosing fabrics for my quilt is the hardest part!" We know what we like when we see it, but aren't always able to visualize it ahead of time. Angela will explain the basics and help you practice putting together combinations that work. \$20-no pattern required

Wool Yarn Punch Needle with Connie Doern

Thur, Nov 5 - 1:30 to 3:00 OR Mon, Dec 7 - 6:30 to 8:00

**NEW** You'll love the rugs, pillows, chair pads or wall hangings made from wool yarn. This easy technique is perfect handwork to do when watching TV or at your next quilting group get-together. The class is free when you purchase your hoop and needle from us; otherwise it's \$15.

*Class fees are due at the time you enroll and are non-refundable unless you provide notice prior to 7 days before the class begins. Books, patterns, and notions on the class supply list can be purchased at a 15% discount upon your paid enrollment, through the day of the class.*

One of our favorites

# BEST PRESS

from Mary Ellen's  
The Clear Starch Alternative



Makes pressing easier. We carry it in lavender and unscented.

16 oz spray bottle - \$7.95  
Gallon refill - \$47.75

Don't want a full gallon refill?  
Bring in your empty Best Press  
spray bottle, and we'll refill it for  
you for \$6.29.



## Texture Magic

from Superior Threads

Texture Magic is a  
shrinking fabric. Stitch  
it to the back of your  
quilting or applique

fabric, steam it, and watch as it "magically"  
shrinks 30%, resulting in permanent puckers  
that are great in quilts (think about the texture of  
a flower center), garments (instant smocking!),  
pillows and other home decor. \$11.99/pkg

# QUILT SHOW SPECIALS

**Sale prices** on our most popular machines for quilters,  
the **Expression** line and the **Grand Quilter**

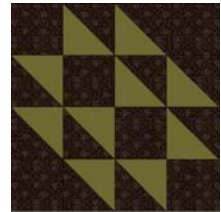


Come in and let us  
show you how a new  
PFAFF can make your  
quilting more fun!

Prices valid thru Oct 25

# PFAFF

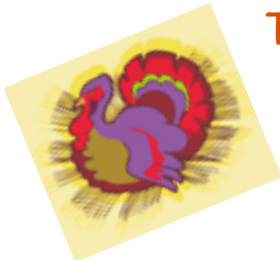
## 2010 BLOCK-OF-THE-MONTH



We'll make two 8" blocks each month,  
and cut sashing and cornerstones  
along the way. At the end, you'll add  
setting triangles and borders to make a  
finished quilt approximately 65" square.  
(Exact quilt dimensions not yet  
determined at the time of this  
newsletter.)

Pick up schedule, program cost, and  
color options available at the store  
beginning Nov. 1.

**Sign up between Nov 1 - 30**



## THURSDAY MENU: TURKEY & DRESSING

## FRI & SAT MENU: SALE FABRIC!

Friday, Nov 27 and Saturday, Nov 28 10 AM to 5 PM

All regular-priced fabric - 15% off  
Special collection of \$2 and \$3/yard fabric (minimum cut 1 yard)  
Other clearance fabric - extra 5% off (extra 10% off if you finish the bolt)



**15% OFF** Triangulations or  
any Triangle Paper  
Valid Oct 14-20, 2009  
*Limit 2, please*



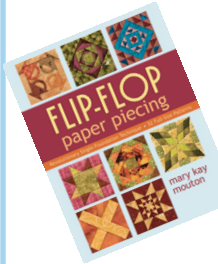
**15% OFF** Bendable Bright  
Light  
Valid Nov 9-15, 2009  
*Limit 1, please*



**20% OFF** Pre-Cut Fat Quarters  
Valid Dec 7-13  
*No limit!*

# NEW BOOKS *on the shelf or coming soon*

## Flip Flop Paper Piecing



Revolutionary new technique has all the paper-piecers ready to try new blocks!  
\$27.95

## Quilt the Seasons Book 2



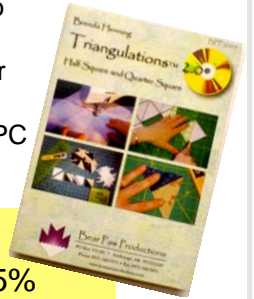
14 designs by Pat Sloan, including table runners, lap quilts, and bed-size projects with seasonal flavors. \$14.95

**OTHER NEW TITLES** ❖ Autumn Gatherings ❖ Fat Quarter Quilting by Lori Smith ❖ Kaffe Fassett's Quilt Romance ❖ Paradise Stitched ❖ Art + Quilt ❖ Cottage Garden by Need'I Love ❖ Japanese Garden Quilt ❖ On the Run by Anka's Treasures ❖ Ruby Red Circles ❖ Flags of the American Revolution

Have you tried.....

## TRIANGULATIONS™

Print paper for precise piecing of any size half- or quarter-square triangles (1/2" to 7 1/2" in 1/8" increments). You'll never have to buy a whole package of paper again just to make a few triangles in a certain size.....and you'll never run out at midnight again, either! The disc runs on any PC or Mac. \$27.95



Use the coupon in this newsletter and save 15%

# NEW FABRIC

*...in the store or coming soon*

- ★ Aster Manor by 3 Sisters (Moda) including precuts
- ★ Wiscasset by Minnick & Simpson (Moda) including precuts
- ★ Strafford by Jo Morton (Andover)
- ★ Crimson & Clover by Jo Morton (Andover)
- ★ Birdie by Me & My Sister (Moda)
- ★ Civil War Tribute (Marcus Bros.)
- ★ Memoirs of a Geisha (Benartex)
- ★ Essence by Sandy Gervais (Moda)
- ★ Vine Creek by Kansas Troubles (Moda) including precuts
- ★ Flight of Cranes (Northcott)
- ★ new from Kaffe Fasset and his design team
- ★ **new batiks** from Hoffman, Island Batik, Robert Kaufman, and more.....including Bali Pops and Roll-Ups (precut 2 1/2" strips)
- ★ Civil War Homefront by Barbara Brackman (Moda)

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**Christmas List**

- Bendable Bright Light
- 2010 AQS Quilt Art Engagement Calendar
- Kit: \_\_\_\_\_
- Book: \_\_\_\_\_
- Triangulations™ disc
- Sew Steady Dream Table for  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
*(machine brand & model)*
- PFAFF model # \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_\_\_

Instructions for use: Fill in with your name, mark your selections, cut out and leave where Santa will find it!

