

Auntie's Attic Quilt Shop

Hours: Tues. – Sat. 10 AM – 5 PM Wednesday 10 AM – 8 PM (Closed Tues. July 5th)

(716)297-3636 www.auntiesatticquiltshop.com

Happenings, May – August, 2011

2nd Annual Dash 4 Stash Shop Hop “Think Pink”

Receive a 10% - 50% at each shop!

Thurs. & Fri. May 5 & 6 10 AM – 6 PM, Sat. May 7 10 AM – 4 PM

Pick up your passport at your 1st shop for \$5.00. Turn it in at the last shop & you will receive a reusable tote bag, fabric from each shop, an exclusive pattern & coupons for future use! Proceeds to the Susan G. Koman Foundation.

Grand Prize - \$50 Gift Certificate to each shop (\$300 value)

2nd Prize - \$25 Gift Certificate to each shop (\$150 value)

PLUS 5 Additional Prizes of \$25 Gift Certificate to one of the participating shops

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Heartland Quilt Shop

Marie's Sewing Center

Sew On Sew Forth

The Whole Nine Yards

Threads of Time

Customer Appreciation Days

June 14th – 18th

Choose anything that you want and receive 20% off one item! You can shop every day and receive 20% off one item every day! That could mean one continuous cut of fabric. This sale includes everything but sewing machines & repairs.

Annual Christmas in July Sale

July 21st – 23rd

Back room filled with all kinds of markdowns. Fabric starting at \$3.99 per yard (one yard minimum cuts). Books, patterns, kits, lots of stuff!

New this Newsletter:

Let's go Green! Shop with your reusable shopping bag and be entered into a monthly gift certificate drawing.

Our first ever Mystery Quilt: Begins May 1st – Log Jam 4 month long program. \$4.00 to join. This does not include fabric. Quilt will finish to 54 ½" x 71 ½" with borders. Steps will be available from the 15th – 30th of each month. Stop in or ask any staff member for further details.

Clubs:

Saturday Sampler - Star Gazing: Begins Sat. May 7th 9 AM, first Sat. of each month at 9 AM. \$15.00 to join. Each month receive the fabric for your star & pattern, as long as you have completed the previous months at NO CHARGE! Miss a month? \$7.00 to catch up. PLUS you get to see the newest merchandise at the shop.

Quilter's in the Attic – 4th Wednesday of the month from 7 PM – 9 PM, \$5.00 per person. Our fun & educational club with refreshments and gifts.

May 25th , Preparing Back Basting for Appliqué with Linda

June 22nd , Buttonhole stitch by Hand with Joanne

July 27th , Prairie Points with Pam

Aug. 24th , Hand Quilting with Joanne

Space Cadets – Meets on the 13th of each month 10 AM – 2 PM. \$20 per month includes lunch. Open sew, UFO's, help with a special project? That's what this club is all about. Fri. May 13th , Tues. June 14th , Wed. July 13th & Sat. Aug. 13th.

Scrap Ability - Overloaded with stash & scraps. Then this is the classes for you. Gather up your fabric, take our cutting class, sign up for a project class and make use of all that fabric. Cutting class is required for project classes. If you have taken this at another shop or guild (Scrap Therapy), you are still eligible to participate here at Auntie's Attic. No pattern needed for these Project Workshops. Pam is our leader for this great scrap reducing club!

Cutting Classes Tues. 5/10 10 AM – 12 PM OR Wed. 6/15 6 PM – 8 PM \$8.00

Project Workshops: Disappearing Nine Patch Tues. 5/24 10 AM – 12 PM \$18.00

Little Twister Table Topper Sat. 7/9 10 AM – 1 PM \$24.00

Registration in advance requested for all clubs!

Auntie's Attic is proud to be introducing **Muriel Eley** to our teaching staff! She is bringing new fibre to us – YARN. Muriel is in demand as a teacher in several area yarn shops; we thought that you might like the opportunity to have her join our staff. She has expertise in many techniques – socks, scarves, shawls, sweaters, felting and much much more. She is “obsessed” with yarn and all it has to offer. All of us are excited to bring her knowledge to each of you.

Workshop Schedule

Fees: A - \$18.00, B - \$24.00, C - \$30.00, D - \$36.00, E - \$45.00

New at Auntie's Attic

Our “Let's Learn to” Series....each news letter we will be introducing new classes that will teach you new skills, techniques, methods and even crafts.

Let's Learn to Knit: Part 1 No knitting experience required:

If learning to Knit is something you have on your list of things to learn, this class is for you. In this class we will make a dishcloth and learn the basic "knit" stitch, decrease, increase and how to cast on. The first 2 hours we will learn and practice. The second 2 hours we will "create". So come into the shop and sign up to learn to work with a new "fabric". Wed. 5/11 & 5/18 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM (Fee B)

Let's Learn to Sew: Have a sewing machine, but not sure what to do with it? Want to make use of it and need help? Join Denise, as she takes you through the basics and you will learn to make a small toss pillow. Wed. 6/1 10 AM – 1 PM (Fee A)

Let's Learn to Piece a Quilt Top: Learn the basics of piecing a small (baby/crib size) top by machine with Denise. You will learn how to use the tools, match seams and do half square triangles. Wed. 6/15, 6/22 & 6/29 10 AM – 1 PM (Fee E)

Machine Quilting: This is not your average machine quilting class. In the morning you will learn about the different kinds of quilting you can do by machine, and when they are most effective. You will start some samples of quilting styles to keep as a reference. Also, covered will be ways to make your machine quilting achieve a hand-done appearance. Teacher: Ruth Ohol Sat. 5/7 10 AM – 4 PM (Fee D)

MINI Class Easy Striped Table Runner (or 60 degree Runner): Can't seem to let this one go. We just keep on filling this class, so join Pam after picking your favorite border stripe and learn this great technique. Sat. 6/4 10:30 AM – 1:30 PM (Fee A)

MINI Class The Little Something Jacket: You deserve a new spring jacket, so join Pam to make yours! You choose the jacket length and long or ¾ length sleeves. Wed. 6/8 10 AM – 2 PM (Fee B)

MINI Class Hot Cakes Oven Mitt: Add some cupcakes to your kitchen every day with the cute oven mitts. The whip up fast and make the perfect gift. Teacher: Pam Labushesky Fri. 6/10 10 AM – 12 PM (Fee A)

Planning your Quilting Design: Teacher: Ruth Ohol Sat. 6/11 10 AM – 12:30 PM (Fee A)

MINI Class French Braid Table Runner: Take this class and create a beautiful tablerunner for yourself or as a great gift. It uses one 2 1/2 inch strip for each braid. Teacher Judy Schryver Thurs. 6/16 10 AM – 12:30 PM (Fee A)

MINI Class Sweet Dreams Pillowcase: Top off every bed with a 2 color wave border pillowcase. Learn how to handle curved piecing with this quick & practical projects. Teacher: Pam Labushesky Fri. 6/17 10 AM – 12 PM (Fee A)

MINI Class Pockets to Go: Teacher: Cathy Newiswonger Sat. 6/18 10 AM – 1 PM (Fee A)

Dresden Plate: If you have ever admired a Dresden Plate quite, then join Pam in creating your own. The secret is in the ruler. No templates necessary. You will learn how to create one plate in this class. Thurs. 7/7 10 AM – 1 PM (Fee A)

Knitting - Part 2 "The Purl Stitch"

Prerequisite - You must know how to do "the knit stitch"

In this class we will continue in the "kitchen" theme and make a kitchen towel. You will have a choice of 2 designs - one a little more difficult than the other. We will learn how to cast on (begin) and bind off (end).

Stitches will include Purl stitch, SSK, and K2 tog. We will introduce how to read a basic pattern.

Teacher: Muriel Eley Wed. 8/3 & 8/10 6:30 PM – 8:30 PM (Fee B)

Hummingbird Two – Fabric Appliqué: This wall hanging uses two fabrics, a background & the top fabric, which is cut away to form the design. It can be done by hand or machine. Teacher: Cathy Newiswonger. Sat. 8/20 10 AM – 1 PM (Fee A)

Important Information

Please pre-register for ALL workshops. Minimum of 3 students is required for the class to be held. Space is limited and teachers need time to prepare sufficient materials. This will insure you a place and prevent class from being canceled due to insufficient registration.

Payment is due at time of registration. Phone registration accepted via credit card ONLY. Class supply lists are available at the shop with paid registration. 10% discount for all class supplies purchased. Supplies are not included (unless listed) in workshop cost.

Class refunds minus \$5 handling fee are given when you cancel a minimum of one week before start of class. Cancellations after that time will receive store credit minus the \$5 handling fee. Once class begins no refunds will be given. If a class is canceled due to insufficient registration, students will be given a full refund. Paid registrants only will be notified if a class is cancelled. During inclement weather, please call the shop at (716) 297-3636 to see if your class is being postponed.

Visitors and children are not allowed while class is being conducted. Cell phones are disruptive to the class, please turn them off or take outside of class. A microwave & refrigerator are available for lunch items for full day classes. Soda & Water are \$1.00 each.



You can still join our team the Klutzy Kangaroos!

What's in it for you?

- A chance to win 100 fat quarters (or 25 yards) as our League Champion
- A chance to win 25 fat quarters as either our Rookie of the Year or MVP
- Discounts at any participating QFL Shop
- 15+ Free patterns
- National and Shop prize drawings
- Super Bowl Championship Fun

Just \$20.00 to join for the season

April 1st – August 31st & you don't need to know anything about football!

Upcoming QFL Store Events

- Wed. April 13th - Potluck / Make your travel portfolio or open sew PLUS pre-anniversary sale for QFL Members @ 6 PM
- Sat. May 21st – Charity Million pillow Case Sewing Day All day
- Wed. June 8th – Demo Night @ 6 PM

Earn extra points by bringing a treat to any event, register your UFO's , take a class PLUS lots of other opportunities!