

## Laura's Sewing & Quilt Shop

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Monday - Friday 10:00 - 5:00 Saturday 10:00 - 4:00



**Watch the website for current/updated classes: [www.sewwithlaura.com](http://www.sewwithlaura.com)**

### **Sign up for classes today!!**

Laura's has a wonderful group of talented teachers who love to share their expertise with you! But we need your help. When you see a class you are interested in taking, **email the teacher** and she will register you and send you the supply list and any other information needed to have a fun and successful class.

To help prevent cancellation for insufficient enrollment, students are encouraged to register early.  
Payment is by cash or check payable to the teacher.

### **Creative Classes**

#### **Beginning Quilting**

Teacher: Barbara Kahn email: [kahnb@bellsouth.net](mailto:kahnb@bellsouth.net)

Date: Thursday, January 24, Friday, February 1, Thursday, February 7 & 14

10:30 – 3:00

Cost: \$45 + supplies

Have you always wanted to learn or tried to make a quilt? Learn the techniques, tips and tricks to begin a successful journey into the world of beautiful fabrics and quilt making. Learn the basics from choosing fabrics to cutting, sewing, making a quilt sandwich, quilting, binding and labeling. It's a satisfying journey into the art of quilt making!!!



#### **Beginning Paper Piecing with Carl Stevens**

Teacher: Carl Stevens 561 281-4510 TXT email: [carl.stevens2288@gmail.com](mailto:carl.stevens2288@gmail.com)

Date: Wednesday, February 6

10:30 – 2:30

Cost: \$25 includes fabric & pattern

Skill: Beginner

Class size limited to max of 6

Have you ever wanted to learn the art of "Paper Piecing" to make quilts that are full of sharp points and stars, plus flying geese and circles that are the favorites at quilt shows? Award winning paper piecing quilter, Carl Stevens, will teach students how to overcome the challenges of paper piecing. This 4-hour class is designed for the **beginner** to learn the basics of paper piecing. The pattern for this class is a "New York Beauty". The sample pattern and material is supplied. Just bring your sewing machine and a few basic supplies.



About Carl: Carl Stevens began quilting five years ago. He jumped right into paper piecing and hasn't looked back since! Carl's quilts have won awards in quilt shows in Ft. Lauderdale and West Palm Beach, Florida, Elkin, Sparta, Asheville, and West Jefferson, North Carolina, and Floyd and Wytheville, Virginia.

Teacher: Barbara Kahn email: [kahnb@comcast.net](mailto:kahnb@comcast.net)

Date: Tuesday, January 15, 29 & February 12

10:30 – 2:30

Cost: \$45 + supplies

Are you afraid to do your own driving when stitching your quilt sandwich down the lane? **GIVE IT A TRY! SEE HOW EASY IT IS** to add this to your trunk of quilting expertise! Free motion quilting does take practice, but is well worth the doing! We will do several exercises to get you started. Then Practice at home!

### **The Big Shirt**

Teacher: Pat Cunningham email: [sewingtchr@bellsouth.net](mailto:sewingtchr@bellsouth.net)

Date: Monday, February 11 10:30 - 11:30 &  
Thursday, February 21 & 28 1:00 - 3:00

Cost: \$60 + supplies + book

This is a fun shirt with tons of possibilities for embellishment. Purchase "The Big Shirt" book from Laura when you sign up. I will have small, medium and large shirts I made that you can try on for size at our first class. I will also show you how to determine which fabric to go where and will give your ideas for embellishment. This is an easy shirt to make!



### **Seasonal Table Runner**

Teacher: Carl Stevens 561 281-4510 TXT email: [carl.stevens2288@gmail.com](mailto:carl.stevens2288@gmail.com)

Date: Tuesday, January 16 & Wednesday, February 20  
10:30 - 2:30

Cost: \$35 + pattern + supplies

Skill Level: This class is not for total beginners to paper piecing. You must have had some experience with paper piecing or taken the beginners class taught by Carl.

You just learned how to paper piece and want to try out your new skill? Or learned to paper piece a few years ago but never got around to making anything with it? This class is just right for you! You will be helped to make something you can be proud of with paper piecing.

The 1st class will be in two parts. In the morning you will be helped to pick out the fabric and get organized the Judy Niemeyer way. After lunch there will be an explanation of how to cut the pattern out correctly and then get started the piecing. Those that need a help with paper piecing flying geese, etc. will receive help in getting started.

The 2nd class is 10 days later so that you will have time to do your homework.

Now you will be ready to be shown how to put the sections together, how to make perfect centers when putting the sections together, and how to do an inside miter corner on the binding.



### **Square in a Square Exploding Star**

Teacher: Aida Rodriguez, Certified Square in a Square Instructor,  
email: [aidaquilts@gmail.com](mailto:aidaquilts@gmail.com)

Date: Saturday, February 19 & 16 **OR**  
Monday, February 11 & Tuesday, February 12  
1:00 - 4:00

Cost: \$25 + ruler and book

Learn how to sew this beautiful wall hanging without cutting or sewing triangles using the Square in a Square technique. Your choice of color will determine the look of this wall hanging, it would be great in Christmas, patriotic or fall colors. During this class you will learn how to sew and cut the Option14™ of the Square in a Square system. You will also learn about other quilt patterns that can easily be made with this Option. Email me to register for the class and to receive the supplies list.

Square  
in a Square



### **Sweet Pea Tote Bag**

Teacher: Kathy Newbern email: [knewbern1@gmail.com](mailto:knewbern1@gmail.com)

Date: Friday, January 25 and Friday, February 25

10:30 – 3:00

Cost: \$25 each class + \$20 Kit for bag and lining

This beautiful Sewing Tote Bag is an in the hoop machine embroidery design. There are 8 different panels included in the design that you can mix and match them however you desire.



### **Owner Intro Classes for Laura's Machine**

**Owner Classes:** Make appointment with Shop staff. No charge for anyone who has purchased a machine from *Laura's Sewing & Quilt Shop*.

### **Embroidery Workshop** 4<sup>th</sup> Tuesday of each month

Teacher: Linda Cutting 561 523-9419 TXT email: [msnermal@bellsouth.net](mailto:msnermal@bellsouth.net)

Date: Tuesday, February 26

10:30 – 2:30

Cost: \$20 + supplies + Workshop design

Join us for the Anita Goodesign Embroidery Workshops. Each month you will participate in a hands-on embroidery project selected by the teacher.

### **Monthly Clubs & Classes**

#### **Beginning Sewing for Kids and Adults** Monday of each week

Teacher: Camille Perrin 561 386-1313 email: [fridaybird@aol.com](mailto:fridaybird@aol.com)

Date: Monday, February 4, 11, 18 & 25

Kids: 4:00 – 6:00

Adults: 6:15 – 8:15

Cost: 6 classes @ \$20 each class

Basic sewing for the beginner or the terrified- this is a fun skill building class: we will start with the basics to develop confidence and spark your creative side! Each week a project using a particular skill or technique will be presented and each subsequent class we will build on what has already been learned. Students must bring their own machine or make arrangements to borrow one from the shop. The whole idea is to have fun and learn solid skills at the same time!

#### **Art To Heart: Table Please Book One** – 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month

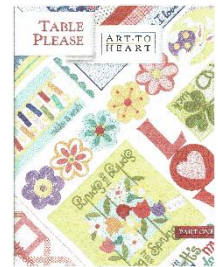
Teacher: Chris Dean email: [betsy1100@bellsouth.net](mailto:betsy1100@bellsouth.net)

Date: Saturday, February 2

10:00 – 1:00

Cost: \$20 + \$20 kit each month + book

These are monthly table runners and/or table toppers from the books by Art to Heart. I will be making kits for each runner and they will include a variety of methods including machine applique, piecing and work with templates. Kit fee is generally \$20.00 which includes all the materials for the top and binding (backing is separate).



#### **Applique Party: Little Quilts Table Runners** 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of each month

Teacher: Pat Cunningham email: [sewingtchr@aol.com](mailto:sewingtchr@aol.com)

Date: Saturday, February 2

1:30 – 3:30

Cost: \$20 + supplies

New Project Series! Each month the student will need to purchase the pattern from the Wooden Bear [www.thewoodenbear.com](http://www.thewoodenbear.com) Retail cost is \$8.95.

Contact the teacher for a pattern discount code.

In class we will be making the 12" x 36" table runner. These are sew cute!!!



**Scan N Cut Project** 1st Tuesday of each month

Teacher: Niki Patterson email: [niki781@msn.com](mailto:niki781@msn.com)

Date: Tuesday, February 5

10:30 – 12:00

Cost: \$20 Bring your Scan N Cut

Start with the Basics! Learn different functions of how to use the scan n cut.



**Serger Make & Take** 2nd Friday of each month

Teacher: Puddin Race 772 370-2193 email: [puddinrace@gmail.com](mailto:puddinrace@gmail.com)

Date: Friday, February 8

10:30 – 2:30

Cost: \$25 each class

Learn lots of serger techniques. Class size is limited so call or email Puddin and reserve a spot.

**\$10 Block of the Month** 2nd Saturday of each month

Teacher: Annette Reddy email: [reddy2teach@bellsouth.net](mailto:reddy2teach@bellsouth.net)

Date: Saturday, February 9 2nd Saturday (07/2018 – 06/2019)

10:30 – 11:30 OR 1:30 – 2:30

Pay \$10 for your first block, complete your block and your next block will be free; if you don't complete your block, you will pay \$10 for your next block.

Each month you will get your block kit which will include the pattern, instructions and fabric needed. Then there will be a presentation giving you instructions, hints and tips to complete your block at home. Each month a new technique using great simple projects that will not add to your UFO stack.

**Serger Club** 3rd Saturday of each month

Teacher: Puddin Race 772 370-2193 email: [puddinrace@gmail.com](mailto:puddinrace@gmail.com)

Annette Reddy email: [reddy2teach@bellsouth.net](mailto:reddy2teach@bellsouth.net)

Date: Saturday, February 16

10:30 – 12:00

Cost: \$5

Join Puddin Race and Annette Reddy as they start this great new club. Each month they will demo and share tips and techniques using your serger feet, stitch variations, and a variety of threads. There will be Show and Tell from both the teachers and the participates, so bring your projects.

After getting involved with the Serger Club, we hope that you will get sew excited that when you get home you will dig out your serger, dust it off, and start sergering.

**Quilting on your domestic machine with Westalee Ruler - Advanced** 4th Sunday of each month

Teacher: Shirley Horton 786 566-3576 TXT email: [shrlhorton@gmail.com](mailto:shrlhorton@gmail.com)

Date: Tuesday, February 19 4th Saturdays through June 22 *Date Change this Month*

10:00 – 12:30

Cost: \$25 + supplies

This class is for anyone that has taken the beginner class and those that maybe have been playing with the rulers and need to be a little more challenged. We are going to start with a feather table runner and then move onto other templates on which the class decides. We also will be bringing in quilt tops and blocks that you want to discuss on how you are going to quilt them using the Westalee rulers and maybe free motion quilting. They go hand and hand



**Quilting on your domestic machine with Westalee Ruler - Beginner** 4th Sunday of each month

Teacher: Shirley Horton 786 566-3576 TXT email: [shrlhorton@gmail.com](mailto:shrlhorton@gmail.com)

Date: Tuesday, February 19 4th Saturdays through June 22 *Date Change this Month*

1:00 – 3:30

Cost: \$25 + supplies



Are you struggling to quilt your own quilts or getting tired of quilting the same old thing on all of your quilts? This class is for you. We will learn how to quilt on a domestic machine with the Westalee rulers. Longarm quilters have been using rulers to quilt with for many years and now you can quilt with rulers too on your domestic machine. We will do a small wall hanging with 9 blocks and also learn to put these blocks together with a quilt as you go easy method. You are going to love it. This is a beginner class, or for those that need a refresher. You will be required to bring your machine in on the first class. Then, we will be working on designs with paper and you will go home and stitch the designs. This has proven to be a very effective way to learn the rulers and you will not have to lug those big machines into class.

### **Community Outreach**

#### **Florida Sewing Sew-ciety** *1<sup>st</sup> Monday of each month*

Group Contact: Francine Kind *email: [fmkind@gmail.com](mailto:fmkind@gmail.com)*

Date: Monday, February 4

1:00 – 3:00

The Florida Sewing Sew-ciety is a sewing group organized for Florida sewing enthusiasts and their snowbird friends. We will focus on sewing, education, charitable activities - and fun. Come join us.

#### **Case for Smiles Charity Sew** *3<sup>rd</sup> Friday of each month*

Group Contact: Marilyn Degler *email: [marilynpbs@aol.com](mailto:marilynpbs@aol.com)*

Date: Friday, February 15

10:30 – 3:30

Join Case for Smiles Charity Sew at Laura's Sewing and sew up some smiles for the sick children at our local hospitals. Bring your machine or serger and come for the day or whatever your schedule will allow. There will be some kits precut ready to sew but we also need donations of kid themed all cotton fabric. No worries if you don't want to sew - we can put you to work pinning or ironing.

#### **North Palm Beach American Sewing Guild** *3<sup>rd</sup> Monday of each month*

Date: Monday, February 18

1:00 – 3:00

The American Sewing Guild (ASG) is an organization for people who believe sewing is a creative and rewarding activity, people who find sharing the benefits and joys of sewing almost as much fun as sewing itself. The Guild is a network of sewing friends from all levels of sewing experience. Come join us for a fun and rewarding time.

#### **Florida Sewing Sew-ciety Charity/Open Sew** *4<sup>th</sup> Monday of each month*

Group Contact: Francine Kind *email: [fmkind@gmail.com](mailto:fmkind@gmail.com)*

Date: Monday, February 25

10:30 – 1:00

Come and sew something for those less fortunate or bring something of your own to sew. Lunch – Bring your own or join us at Giovanni's

#### **American Sewing Guild Charity Sit and Sew** *4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of each month*

Date: Wednesday, February 27

10:30 - 3:30

Join us to work on your charity projects or help with our current projects. We supply a limited number of kits. Our current projects include pillowcases for Case for Smiles and placemats for Meals on Wheels. Bring your machine and a desire to help someone who needs a "hug". We take a break for lunch.