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Group rate: \$89/night + taxes Quote "Creative Festival 2017"

#### **SHOW ADDRESS**

**SPRUCE MEADOWS, EQUIPLEX** 18011 Spruce Meadows Way SW Calgary, AB T2X 4B7

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#### **FREE DEMOS & FEATURES**

**Husqvarna** 

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**PFAFF**°

The Steam Trunk • Maple Leaf Quilting

Remember to enter for your chance to win!

Fabulous

Hamels • Extraordinary Extras • Trapunto

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#### N. JEFFERSON

A definite must see! N. Jefferson will be on the show floor presenting free demos showcasing some of the new and trendy up and coming products.

#### **DAYS FOR GIRLS**

"Every Girl. Everywhere. Period."

Did you know that in many countries around the world, young women do not have access to healthy solutions to feminine hygiene products? This IS changing because of DAYS FOR GIRLS. Join us to learn how to sew kit components, and do your bit to be part of this amazing solution. **Visit www.daysforgirls.org** 



#### **QUILTS OF VALOUR**

Quilts of Valour are quilts made by quilters across the country for injured military personnel on their return to Canada and to our veterans. Thanks to the efforts of quilters, 3000 quilts have been delivered to our injured service members and to veterans.



#### KAREN BIALIK | The Fabric Addict

Karen has been quilting and sewing since her preschool years. She designs quilts for Northcott and Timeless Treasures in addition to running the "Fabric Addict" store with her husband Gary.

TRUNK SHOW

Fri: 10:45 – 11:45 and 1:15 – 2:15 | FASHION STAGE Sat: 10:45 – 11:45 and 1:15 – 2:15 | FASHION STAGE



#### LINDA MACPHEE | MacPhee Workshop

Linda MacPhee is a leader and innovator in the clothing design and home sewing industries. She is co-founder of MacPhee Workshop, one of Canada's largest design houses and pattern manufacturers. She has over 200 different patterns from outerwear to evening dress to casual. Her television series, "Sew Much Fun" and "Linda MacPhee's Workshop", are

currently shown on various networks in Canada as well as on PBS throughout the U.S. She is in demand in both countries as a speaker and teacher.

www.macpheeworkshop.com

#### **FASHION SHOW 2017!**

It's the FASHION SHOW that leaves you wanting more! Every year Linda and her team inspire you to take a chance and get sewing/embellishing again! Watch everything from her easy everyday sportswear....to" must have" spring coats and jackets...to what you can wear to all the wedding coming up in your life. Start with transforming some of what you already have or start fresh. There is absolutely something for everyone...even kids! It's an INSPIRATION

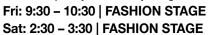


OVERLOAD!!! (besides it's a great time take a break to sit and enjoy your lunch!)

Fri: 12:00 - 1:00 | FASHION STAGE, Sat: 12:00 - 1:00 | FASHION STAGE

#### **UPCYCLING...DON'T THROW IT...SEW IT!!**

Find it in your closet or at a thrift store and with some clever reworking, it can become your favorite fashion or home dec. item! Linda loves working with sweaters, shirts, jeans, T-shirts, ties, and more! BONUS...She'll demonstrate her newest embellishment with bleach, dyes, foil and metals to enhance pretty well everything!





# SHAPES THAT ARE SEW SIMPLE, SEW SLIMMING, AND SEW STYLISH

Looking good is always on her mind, so Linda has come up with some great new shapes that can take you from the gym to that evening out...no matter your shape or size!! Her Tunics and Clever Cover-ups will get you going and get you sewing! Lots of fun and fast ideas for Christmas gifts too!

Fri: 2:30 pm - 3:30 | FASHION STAGE Sat: 9:30 am - 10:30 | FASHION STAGE



#### **FEATURE CLASSES**



#### **RON COLLINS**

Ron Collins is Canada's best known sewing personality and is adored as a designer, speaker and teacher. He is the first male Canadian Designer to have his own line of patterns with Vogue, which premiered in March, 2017. Sandra Betzina, Power Sewing icon, and Ron have produced 12 DVD's including a 5 box set series on tailoring for both men and women. Since 2009 they have filmed over 240 on-line web shows called Power Sewing which has received great reviews.

# BODICE ALTERATIONS AND CHOOSING THE RIGHT SIZE FOR THE CORRECT FIT

In this hands-on workshop you will learn how to identify the fitting problems and how to solve them. Ron will show how to correct fitting problems regarding sloping and square shoulders, large bust, high and low bust, removal of a bust dart, broad and round upper back, sway back, large upper arm and tight armholes. Every student will have an alterations package to take home with them showing all the alterations that they have done. Ron will give you the inside answer on what pattern companies run larger and which ones tend to run true to measurements. He will also explain on how wearing ease you need in all garments from close fitting, fitted, semi fitted, loose fitted and very loose fitted. Take the guess work out of trying to

choose what size garment by finding the "finished garment measurements" and not using the sizes on the back of the pattern envelope. See the difference in sizing charts in major pattern companies and how to choose the right size for you and how to avoid disappointment in fitting.

3 Hour Workshop Fri: 9:15 – 12:15 | ROSE ROOM Class Fee \$60 | Kit Fee \$20





Learn how to alter your pant pattern for a perfect fit. Ron will explain how to do alterations for flat and low seat, full thighs, large waist, knock knees, bowed legs plus protruding derriere, full and high hip. Do you have a hard time or do not know how to measure yourself to help with pattern alterations? Part of this workshop we will take 28 body measurements: high bust, low bust, shoulder width, sleeve length, back waist length, pant and skirt length...plus more. These basic but essential measurements are crucial for a start to fitting your pattern. You will have an alteration package to go home with all your pant alterations and personal measurement chart.

3 Hour Workshop Fri: 1:00 – 4:00 | ROSE ROOM Class Fee \$60 | Kit Fee \$20



Ron is known for his "one of a kind" shirts. Come and see the latest construction techniques not found in pattern instructions. He will show you how to completely remove all bulk from the center front of the collar, making it much smoother and more tailored. This technique is constructed in a completely different method than ever before. Learn how to do clean edge facings with no visible stitches. along with seeing how to tame bias cut yokes, cuff and front plackets. Have you ever made a double yoke shirt and not like the results of your finished garment...not any more after this lecture, plus professional results working with fusible interfacings and other stylish details.

1 Hour Lecture Fri: 4:45 – 5:45 | ROSE ROOM Class Fee \$20



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**FEATURE CLASSES** 

#### **DESIGNER FINISHES**

Create 17 reference samples in this information-packed class! Do a total of 12 different seam finishes. Seven of them are nonserged, which includes Hong Kong, Bound, Flat Fell, French and Striped, along with a great way to finish off underlined pants with a Double French Seam. Learn also how to make 142" of continuous bias tape at 13/4" wide out of 161/2" square of fabric for some of these great seams. Plus, make a fake flat fell seam, reinforced seam, and a finished pressed open seam as well. Make an unbelievable dart and pleat using one thread on your sewing machine, using only your bobbin thread in your sewing machine; great for shear fabrics or a designer detail.

3 Hour Workshop Sewing Machine Required Sat: 9:15 – 12:15 | ROSE ROOM Class Fee \$60 | Kit Fee \$15

#### **POSH POCKETS**

(3 hours hands on)
Get the hands-on techniques on
two of the most recognized posh
pockets, welt pockets and invisible
stitch patch pocket. Welt pockets
are a trial for most home sewers if
you follow pattern instruction. Ron
has refined this pocket that it can
be constructed with a single welt,
double welt with or without a pocket
flap and with no bulk. Invisible



stitched patched pocket is a Rolls Royce when it comes to pockets and is rarely done in ready to wear unless it has a very heavy price tag. There is no visible stitching on the outside of the patch pocket and is fully lined on the inside to give the pocket strength with a show of first class.

3 Hour Workshop Sewing Machine Required Sat: 1:00 – 4:00 | ROSE ROOM Class Fee \$60 | Kit Fee \$12

#### **BIOS & SEMINARS**



ANNA ESPINDOLA SURE-FIT DESIGNS

Anna loves sewing and has since a very early age. She is a trained and certified Sure-Fit Designs™ distributor in Canada. Headquartered in Calgary, she services all of Canada and loves to work with others sewing, fitting and designing.

# SEW FOR YOUR SHAPE – BLOUSES, SKIRTS, DRESSES

Are you passionate about sewing clothing that actually fit? See how to take accurate body measurements and apply them to the Sure-Fit Designs master pattern which results in your perfect-fitting bodice and skirt sloper – your body blueprint. Easy for both beginner & advanced sewists.

Fri: 10:30-11:30 | LILAC ROOM Sat: 3:30-4:30 | TULIP ROOM

# SEW FOR YOUR SHAPE – PANTS THAT ACTUALLY FIT!

Would you like to sew pants that actually fit? See how to take accurate pants measurements and apply them to the Sure-Fit Designs master pattern which results in your perfect-fitting pants pattern with a crotch curve that fits uniquely you – your pants body blueprint. You'll learn how to design and create a multitude of different pant styles suited just to your unique body shape. From jeans to yoga pants to leggings – all is possible. Easy for both beginner & advanced sewists.

Fri: 2:15-3:15 | LILAC ROOM



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# BRENDA TOPLEY BLACK SHEEP DESIGN STUDIO

Brenda's mother was always teaching her new crafts and ideas. Encouraging her along the way. This sparked a life-long passion to express herself through the visual arts. Creating gives her a feeling of connection with spirit, the free expression of her feelings. She has owned several businesses and has had many successful adventures. Brenda says "The expression through art gives a person a sense of accomplishment and pride." Brenda and her husband also hold art retreats where people come to relax, enjoy meeting others while learning how to make a sculpture. Brenda enjoys these and says "it is fun to share your passion and to connect with beautiful people." She has a saying "How does it get any better than this?

#### **SCULPTING WITH PAVERPOL**

Experience hands-on in this Paverpol starters workshop and how easy it is

to create your Garden
Art of Home Décor
object. Paverpol is best
known as the #1 textile
hardener, however,
in this workshop you
won't need fabric to
make this abstract
bird! It's a fun and easy
2-hour workshop!

Fri: 3:30 – 5:30 | VIOLET ROOM Sat: 9:15 – 11:15 | VIOLET ROOM Class Fee \$20 | Kit Fee \$25



CAROL WASYLIK
EXTRAORDINARY EXTRAS

Carol Wasylik has owned her store for 20 years and taught numerous classes. She runs a one-on-one instruction to anyone who wants to come in and learn new techniques.

# RULERS, 2 ½" STRIPS & TIPS TO CREATE BEAUTIFUL QUILTS

Learn tricks on how to use up your fabrics and put into beautiful quilts. Hints to create your two-colour bargellos. Make 2½" strips from your fabrics and put in different quilts.

Fri: 1:00 – 2:00 | LILAC ROOM Sat: 10:30 – 11:30 | LILAC ROOM



# **CAROLA RUSSELL**CAROLA'S QUILT SHOP

Carola is always searching for new techniques and can't wait to share them with you! She has been a sewing educator for over 25 years and derives as much pleasure from teaching a technique as learning about and executing a technique. Carola's Quilt Shop is located in Gibsons on the beautiful Sunshine Coast of B.C.





# FREE MOTION QUILTING FOR BEGINNERS - THE SECRETS TO SUCCESS

Are you ready to put aside the walking foot, drop the feed dogs and go wild on your quilts? Do it right by finding the Top Ten+ Steps to Awesome Free Motion Quilting at Carola's lecture!

Fri 3:30– 4:30 | TULIP ROOM Sat 9:15 – 10:15 | TULIP ROOM

# RULER WORK - FREE MOTION QUILTING WITH RULERS ON YOUR STANDARD SEWING MACHINE

What you need to know to get started on your machine. The foot, the rulers, supplies and techniques you must have for success. What an exciting way to add another skill and quality to your quilting. This lecture is suitable for all types of standard domestic sewing machines.

Fri 1:00 – 2:00 | TULIP ROOM Sat 11:45 – 12:45 | TULIP ROOM



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#### **SCRAP HAPPY STASH BUSTERS!**

Join the club. We all have scraps or someone is trying to give them to us. Let's turn discards into things of beauty. Patchwork, Appliqué, Tricks, Techniques and Tips to make scrap busting addictive! If you participated in the Snip and Rip class with Carola last year, join her in the Scrap Happy Stash Busters class for the Show & Tell of your finished project that we started at the 2016 Show.

Fri: 9:15 – 10:15 | TULIP ROOM Sat: 2:15 – 3:15 | TULIP ROOM







# CHRISTINE RICHARDSON FIBRE EXPRESSIONS QUILT SHOP

Christine owns Fibre Expressions Quilt Shop on the Sunshine Coast. She has sewn everything from wedding and bridesmaids dresses to draperies and home decor. Her passion now is quilting and everything that goes with it.

# DIFFERENT ZIPPER APPLICATIONS ON BAGS

Do you have Zipperphobia? Are you not making all those beautiful bag patterns because you are afraid of putting in a zipper? There are many simple ways to insert zippers and finish that bag with a professional look.

Fri: 10:30-11:30 and 2:15-3:15 TULIP ROOM Sat: 9:15-10:15 and 3:30-4:30 LILAC ROOM





DOROTHY JOHANSEN TRAPUNTO CANADA

Dorothy has been instructing small groups in making sewn items for over 10 years.

#### **ITSY BITSY BAG**

Dorothy will teach you how to make a small lined bag with handles. The technique can be used to make any size bag in the future. You will receive information on how to design the pieces to suit the size of the bag.

Fri: 3:30 – 4:30 | LILAC ROOM Sat: 2:15 – 3:15 | LILAC ROOM



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#### ERNIE OHLAND YOUR SEWING STORE

As a quilter and fabric store partner, it was a natural progression to sewing and quilting for Ernie. What started out as being a helper to catch overloads and assist with fabric repairs, turned into a full time hobby. An avid oil painter and hobby draftsman, Ernie found it enjoyably challenging to adapt all the colour and design options in fabrics. Soon the oils were retired and now his spare time is spent furthering his quilting hobby. Being naturally frugal drove him to reduce his waste and increase his quality with the use of pre-cut fabrics.

#### **PRE-CUTS WITH PIZZAZZ**

The use of pre-cut fabrics for the borders and body of a quilt or wall hangers. Step-by-step demonstrations with props that will show the progress from raw fabrics pre-cuts to the finished blocks in easy to follow steps. How to use simple cutting and sewing techniques to bring out intricate and interesting blocks. The methods are designed to reduce waste and lower costs without sacrificing the end result. Presentation covers 10" x 10" tiles, 5" x 5" chips and 1½" strips and many ways to use them to assure their best results. (Picture taking is welcome in this class.)

Fri: 11:45-12:45 | LILAC ROOM Sat: 11:45-12:45 | LILAC ROOM



JANICE ASTON FITS SEW WELL

#### THE GREAT CLOSET CLEANOUT

Do you enter your closet at your own risk? Is it an adventure each morning? Most woman wear only 10% of the items in their closet 90% of the time. Have you ever wondered why? Find out how to tackle the problem following a step by step process and once again enjoy the clothes in your closet.

Fri: 9:15 - 10:15 | LILAC ROOM

# KNITS CAN STRETCH FROM WORK TO PLAY!

Knits are all the rage and are wonderful to wear. They come in fabulous fibres with beautiful drape including rayon, viscose, bamboo, silk, and even wool. They go from day to night, everything from workout wear to business wear to evening wear. Come for an overview of the types of knits on the market, what to watch out for, how to fit, and construction techniques. Janice has been having fun playing with all types of knits and keen to share what she has learned.

Fri: 4:45 – 5:45 | LILAC ROOM Sat: 10:30 – 11:30 | TULIP ROOM

#### THAT LITTLE BLACK DRESS

The LBD is a staple in every wardrobe but it really doesn't have to be black!
Consider alternatives like a sun dress or a great day dress for the office. Once you have a great fitting pattern you can create dozens of outfits by minor design changes and varying fabric choices.
Consider a shoulder princess seam as it is especially flattering on a fuller busted figure. In this hands on class you will learn the latest fitting techniques for a princess seam. Leave with a workbook of step by step instructions and the latest fit pattern from Palmer/Pletsch M7352. Kit Fee \$10 (includes workbook and McCalls pattern)

Fri: 1:00 – 2:00 | VIOLET ROOM Sat: 2:15 – 3:15 | VIOLET ROOM



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JOYCE BROWN
CANADIAN QUILTERS ASSOCIATION/ACC
TO JUDGE OR NOT TO JUDGE

Yes, Judging can be a positive learning experience! We will demystify the judging process to help clarify how competitions encourage and celebrate excellence and create greater public awareness of the art / craft of quilting. Understand the CQA/ACC National Juried Show and Quilt Judge Certification Program.

Fri: 9:15 - 10:15 | MY SEWING ROOM



KATHI EWEN
CANADIAN QUILTERS ASSOCIATION/ACC
THE WANDERING QUILTER

Kathi will share what can happen when you throw together a fledgling quilter, Middle Eastern fabric souqs, inspiring quilters and teachers from around the world.

Sat: 3:30 – 4:30 MY SEWING ROOM



LIZ THOMPSON

JANOME & ELNA CANADA

WWW.JANOME.CA

With more than 30 years of experience working in the sewing and quilting industry, Liz has a wealth of knowledge and information to share. She is passionate about all forms of sewing, especially quilting and garment sewing. Her biggest challenge is finding enough time to complete the many projects she has buzzing in her head or in her UFO stash! For the past 16 years, she has been traveling and teaching extensively across North America + in Japan. Liz is the

Education Supervisor at Janome and Elna Canada regularly visiting dealers stores & attending sewing and quilt shows across Canada. She is also the Managing Editor of the very popular blog: janomelife which offers interesting and informative sewing machine information to sewers and quilters around the world. http://janomelife.wordpress.com

#### **SERGER MAGIC 101**

Is your serger doing time as an oversized paper weight? Are you intimidated by threading; tension challenges and thread breaks? Liz will use her nifty camera to project onto the big screen so you can see exactly what she is talking about as she addresses these common serger frustrations. Whether you own a serger that you are just not using or you get frustrated when you try to use it OR whether you want to find out more about what a serger can do for you... this class has the answers.

Fri 10:30 - 11:30 | VIOLET ROOM



#### **SERGER MAGIC 201**

Liz waves her magic serger wand as you watch step - by - step projected onto the big screen as Liz serges up a storm: she will show how to make 3 different projects + you will also receive the links to project instructions to replicate these useful items at home with your new found serger skills. Liz will show how to make an infinity scarf; a shopping tote and a pair of comfy stretch pants. ...yes, all 3 items made on a serger during the 1 hour class! Sergers are simply the BEST for getting the job done fast + the great professional finish they deliver. You won't be disappointed by this fast paced project demo class!

Sat 1:00 - 2:00 | LILAC ROOM



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# LYNN SWANSON BROTHER CANADA

Lynn Swanson combines her skills as a corporate trainer and her passion for stitching as an Educator with Brother Canada. Lynn has been developing training, sewing, quilting, and dressmaking all her adult life and four years ago Lynn discovered the joys of machine embroidery which has now added to her list of hobbies.

#### **EMBELLISHMENT EXCITEMENT**

When sewing or embroidering an embellishment is 'something' that adds design interest to the fabric, quilts, clothing or décor items. Explore free motion stitching and thread painting for home décor and fashion sewing Use the feet that came with your sewing machine or learn about other sewing machine feet and accessories that will let you create your own textures, stitches, designs, on fabric, suede, leather fabrics and so much

more? Join Brother Educator Lynn Swanson as she takes you on a fabric embellishment adventure with Brother.

Fri 11:45 – 12:45 | VIOLET ROOM Sat 11:45 – 12:45 | VIOLET ROOM





#### GO CRAZY WITH FONTS, LETTERING AND MONOGRAMS – WHY STOP AT YOUR INITIALS?

Monogramming, personalization and Word Art are 2017's hottest trends! You can create unique home décor and gift items for weddings, anniversaries, house warming, and seasonal occasions for everyone from kids to newlyweds to that hard to please friend or relative that will make them say WOW! Learn the tips and tricks to create customized subway art with a personal

feel, embroidered and stitched monogrammed pillows, throws, towels, totes, shower and bridal gifts that will warm hearts, etched glass champagne glasses and vases and many many more unique and coveted items. Join Brother Educator Lynn Swanson as she shows you what you need to go crazy with fonts, lettering and monograms.

Fri 9:15 – 10:15 | VIOLET ROOM

Fri 9:15 – 10:15 | VIOLET ROOM Sat 1:00 – 2:00 | VIOLET ROOM



## TURN YOUR PASSION INTO EXTRA INCOME

How can you earn extra income doing what you love?

Are you a pet lover?
Involved with sports teams (Hockey, Ringette, Rugby, Soccer etc)?
Involved with dance?

Involved with events and weddings? Are you involved with the equestrian community?

Let us show you how to earn extra income following your passion! Join us to learn how!

Fri: 2:15 – 3:15 | VIOLET ROOM Sat: 3:30 – 4:30 | VIOLET ROOM



# **USCHI GREINER**FIBRE EXPRESSIONS

Uschi loves wool hand embroidery and has been hand-dyeing her wool since 2004. She has woollies stitching groups that meet once a month in North Vancouver, Ladner and at Fibre Expressions Quilt Shop in Sechelt. She is one of the owners of Wool Penny Rugs Enterprises Inc. (www.woolpennyrugs.com) which specializes in selling her hand dyed wool and any supplies you need to finish your wool project to perfection.

#### MINI NEEDLE BOOK

You will learn the basics of wool hand appliqué, but be careful it may become your new addiction.

Kit Fee: \$ 7.50 – includes: handdyed wool, needle and threads. Fri: 11:45 – 12:45 | TULIP ROOM Sat: 1:00 – 2:00 | TULIP ROOM



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## Two different Make-and-Takes at

# (My Sewing Room)

Booth sponsored by

# brother at your side

Two of the cutest little gift ideas

Fun & Fancy Chicken Pin Cushion

BERNINA Zippered Pouch





\$10 kit fee/project Proceeds to Days for Girls









All the things you will find in our Demo Area and classroom will be:

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Q 20 sit-down longarm, rulers, quilting demos

Q 24 longarm, rulers, quilting demos

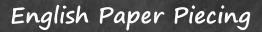
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In-the-HOOP Quilting



Brother



Tuffets

Fabric Collage

Wing Clipper ruler demos



#### ANNE DALE MY SEWING ROOM **HOW TO MAKE THE PERFECT ROUND TUFFET**

Please join Anne as she takes you step by step through making your very own perfect Tuffet. If you have made a tuffet on your own but struggled then you should come to this lecture. If you are curious about what it takes to make a Tuffet then please join us! We will have staged samples so every step will be shown. We will discuss how to personalize your Tuffet for everyone and every occasion.

Fri: 10:30 - 11:30 | MY SEWING ROOM Sat: 11:45 - 12:45 | MY SEWING ROOM



**KERRY FOSTER ENGLISH PAPER PIECING** 

Learn the traditional quilting art of English Paper Piecing (EPP). This "slow stitching" technique has regained popularity recently, and is a convenient way to craft on the go. This is a taster of the 3-hour class held at My Sewing Room.

Fri: 1:00 - 2:00 | MY SEWING ROOM Sat: 10:30 - 11:30 MY SEWING ROOM



LYNDA DANILUK TIPS AND TRICKS FOR MAKING A FABRIC COLLAGE QUILT

Fabric collages are the 'hot' quilting technique! Lynda will show you techniques to fabric selection, preparing your fabric for fusing and fabric placement. Handout will be available. Fri: 11:45 - 12:45 | MY SEWING ROOM

Sat: 1:00 - 2:00 | MY SEWING ROOM



**NANCY LONGSON** 

Nancy came from a large family and was taught sewing at a young age. She has found her niche in quilting 35 years ago and have been active in learning new techniques and instructing quilting classes for the past 25 years at My Sewing Room and previously at Quilter's Cabin. Nancy started the charity group Quilts from the Heart, who make and donate quilts for

children at the Sheldon Kennedy Child Advocacy Centre every month.

#### **SASHERS**

Join us for the exclusive launch in Canada of the Sasher Collection, a new tool from Australia. The Sasher Collection won the Industry Innovation Award in the 2015 Australian Craft Industry Awards. Designed to help make stunning sashings for Quilt As You Go Quilts from 1/8" up to 21/2" wide. With the Sasher Collection. you can make very fine bias strips for appliqué and Celtic designs, peepers to highlight sashings, sashings with corner stones, Bias strips for stems, double fold binding to bind qui quilts and more.

Fri: 2:15 - 3:15 | MY SEWING ROOM Sat: 2:15 - 3:15 | MY SEWING ROOM







ADRIENNE GALLAGHER

Adrienne joined the BERNINA of Canada team as an Educator in 2015. While her

professional background has been in publishing and small business, Adrienne has always loved textiles and crafts. After many years as a teacher, salesperson in various sewing stores and as an independent quilter, she is pleased to have found a home at BERNINA, sharing her passion for sewing with friends.

#### **BERNINA ZIPPERED POUCH**

Make a decorated zippered pouch. customized with your initials using the latest BERNINA sewing machines. See how the BERNINA hook system with its jumbo bobbin and integrated BERNINA dual feed can make your sewing better and faster! My Sewing Room Booth Make-and-Take - \$10 DFG donation will supply all items provided in kit. All proceeds will help Days for Girls bring dignity to another woman in the world.



#### **BARB SCHOLER**

Barb has been quilting for many years and currently runs the Longarm Department at My Sewing Room.

#### **ZENTANGLE MUG RUG**

Learn to use rulers and free-motion quilting to make a "zentangle" inspired mug rug that you can take home. My Sewing Room Booth Make-and-Take - \$10 DFG donation will supply all items provided in kit. All proceeds will help

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Days for Girls bring dignity to another woman in the world.

#### **BETTY LAMONTAGNE**

Deb Tucker's Wing Clipper Tool Betty will show you why the Wing Clipper is a must-have tool if you are making Flying Geese units for your quilt. My Sewing Room Booth Demo



**CATHIE SCHNARR** 

With more than 30 years of experience in sewing, embroidery digitizing and owning a multi-brand retail sewing store. Cathie now travels as an educator for Brother Canada sharing her passion of sewing, embroidery and software. With a strong background in embroidery, sewing and computers Cathie enjoys garment construction, quilting and crafting, integrating the newest sewing innovation and technology to create projects to inspire sewers.

#### **FUN & FANCY CHICKEN PIN CUSHION**

Create your own unique fabric with built-in decorative stitches and sew into a cute chicken pin cushion. This guick and easy project lets you experience

the many amazing features of the Brother NQ900 sewing and guilting machine. My Sewing Room Booth Make-and-Take. A \$10 DfG donation will supply all items provided in kit.



#### **MONA PETERS**

Mona started sewing at a young age of 3, on her mother's Singer treadle machine. Most of her sewing life has been focusing on clothing construction. She did sew simple quilts when her children were younger. Ten years ago, she found My Sewing Room and started taking many of their wonderful classes. She sewed many pieced guilts, but then discovered the many applications of an embroidery machine. She has worked on many HoopSisters guilts. both EmbroidaBlock of the Month and their annual Mystery Quilt. Currently, she is leading a group of people in HoopSisters' Elegant Elements.

#### IN THE HOOP QUILTING

Appliqué, piecing, quilting - this can now all be done in the hoop of an embroidery machine. Make a quilt. Any size. Make a wall hanging. Make a mug rug. HoopSisters is one of the more popular designers using this technique. Come in and see how easy it is to make one of their lovely guilts using the in-the-hoop method.

My Sewing Room Booth Demo



#### SHARON BLACKMORE LOVE SHACK QUILTS FOR MAPLE LEAF QUILTING

Sharon Blackmore is a Professional Long Arm Quilter, Designer & Educator. She was born in Toronto. Ontario but resides in Airdrie. Alberta. Sharon has been guilting on a Gammill Long Arm for the last 12 years and is passionate about sharing her love for free motion quilting with each encounter. Her quilting style ranges from traditional to modern, creating designs that flow with and compliment each quilt naturally.

Visit Sharon on her website www. loveshackquilts.com.

#### COMPLIMENT ANY QUILT: FREE **MOTION BACKGROUND FILLS**

Learn how to make your guilting shine by adding background fills that add interest and dimension. Learn Sharon's tricks to pair motifs with different backgrounds for effective & stunning combinations.

Fri: 9:15 - 10:45 | LILY ROOM Sat: 11:45 - 1:15 | LILY ROOM Class limit 12 people

#### **CONFIDENCE WITH RULERS: CREATE** STRUCTURE & DEFINE SPACE

Take your guilting a step further by adding ruler work to your designs. Sharon will show you how to use rulers with confidence to add structure to open spaces, so you have more room to play.

Fri: 11:45 am - 1:15 pm LILY ROOM Sat: 2:15 pm - 3:45 pm | LILY ROOM Class limit 12 people

#### A SIMPLE START: EXPLORING FREE MOTION DESIGNS FOR A NOVICE **QUILTER**

Sometimes just knowing where to start is half the battle! Try your hand at several simple & beautiful quilting motifs. Sharon will share tips and tricks for smooth curves, crisp points and get you stitching in the right direction!

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## **SEMINAR SCHEDULE** | FRIDAY, September 22

	- LOCATION -				
	LILAC	TULIP	LILY		
9:15 am to 10:15 am	The Great Closet Cleanout Janice Aston Fits Sew Well	Scrap Happy Stash Busters! Carola Russell Carola's Quilt Shop	9:15am 10:45am Compliment Any Quilt: Free Motion Background Fills Sharon Blackmore Love Shack Quilts		
10:30 am to 11:30 am	Sew For Your Shape  - Blouses, Skirts, Dresses - Pattern Fitting Made Easy Anna Espindola	Different Zipper Applications on Bags Christine Richardson Fibre Expressions	for Maple Leaf Quilting		
11:45 am to 12:45 pm	Pre-Cuts with Pizzazz Ernie Ohland Your Sewing Store	Mini Needle book Uschi Greiner Fibre Expressions Kit Fee \$7.50	11:45am – 1:15pm Confidence with Rulers: Create Structure & Define Space Sharon Blackmore		
1:00 pm to 2:00 pm	Rulers, 2 ½" Strips & Tips to Create Beautiful Quilts Carol Wasylik Extraordinary Extras	Ruler Work - Free Motion Quilting with Rulers on YOUR Standard Sewing Machine Carola Russell Carola's Quilt Shop	Love Shack Quilts for Maple Leaf Quilting		
2:15 pm to 3:15 pm	Sew For Your Shape – Pants that Actually Fit! Anna Espindola	Different Zipper Applications on Bags Christine Richardson Fibre Expressions	2:15pm – 3:45pm A Simple Start: Exploring Free Motion Designs for a Novice Quilter Sharon Blackmore		
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm	Itsy Bitsy Bag Dorothy Johansen Trapunto Canada	Free Motion Quilting for Beginners - The Secrets to Success Carola Russell Carola's Quilt Shop	Love Shack Quilts for Maple Leaf Quilting		
4:45 pm to 5:45 pm	Knits Can Stretch From Work to Play! Janice Aston Fits Sew Well				

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9:15 am to 10:15 am	To Judge or Not to Judge Joyce Brown CQA/ACC	Go Crazy with Fonts, Lettering & Monograms – Why Stop at your Initials Lynn Swanson Brother Canada	9:15 am – 12:15 pm Bodice Alterations and Choosing the Right Size	9:30am – 10:30am UPCYCLING Don't throw it Sew it!! Linda MacPhee		
10:30 am to 11:30 am	How to Make the Perfect Round Tuffet Anne Dale My Sewing Room	Serger Magic 101 Liz Thompson Janome & Elna Canada	for the Correct Fit Ron Collins Class Fee \$60 Kit Fee \$20	10:45am – 11:45am Trunk Show Karen Bialik The Fabric Addict		
11:45 am to 12:45 pm	Tips and Tricks for making a Fabric Collage Quilt Lynda Daniluk My Sewing Room	Embellishment Excitement Lynn Swanson Brother Canada	0	12:00pm – 1:00pm Fashion Show 2017! Linda MacPhee		
1:00 pm to 2:00 pm	English Paper Piecing Kerry Foster My Sewing Room	That Little Black Dress Janice Aston Fits Sew Well Kit Fee \$10	1:00pm – 4:00pm Pant Alterations and Knowing Your Body Measurements Ron Collins Class Fee \$60 Kit Fee \$20	1:15pm – 2:15pm Trunk Show Karen Bialik The Fabric Addict		
2:15 pm to 3:15 pm	Sashers Nancy Longson	Turn Your Passion Into Extra Income Lynn Swanson Brother Canada		2:30pm – 3:30pm SHAPES that are SEW SIMPLE,SEW SLIMMING, and SEW STYLISH Linda MacPhee		
3:30 pm to 4:30 pm		3:30pm - 5:30pm Sculpting with Paverpol Brenda Topley Black Sheep		3:45pm – 4:45pm Quilts of Valour - Canada Lezley Zwaal		
4:45 pm to 5:45 pm		Design Studio Class Fee \$20 Kit Fee \$25	4:45pm – 5:45pm Men's Shirts or Women's Blouses Ron Collins Class Fee \$20			

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# **SEMINAR SCHEDULE** | SATURDAY, September 23

	- LOCATION -				
	LILAC	TULIP	LILY		
9:15 am to 10:15 am	Different Zipper Applications on Bags Christine Richardson Fibre Expressions	Free Motion Quilting for Beginners - The Secrets to Success Carola Russell Carola's Quilt Shop	9:15am 10:45am A Simple Start: Exploring Free Motion Designs for a Novice Quilter Sharon Blackmore		
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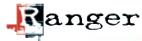




























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#### Suzanne Cannon

Suzanne is the busy-bee calligrapher and designer behind Quietfire Design. She creates stamps, craft dies, digital files and stencils for the crafting industry and teaches a wide variety of classes from calligraphy to bookbinding to art journaling and card-making. Suzanne can be found on her website www.quietfiredesign.ca





#### **Nicole Wright**

Nicole loves learning new techniques and sharing! She's a technique based crafter and she love's making 3D projects. Last year Nicole was voted North American Crafter of 2014 by her peers for Sizzix. While in California she toured Sizzix (including their craft room), made a few crafts and met the most fun and creative people! Needless to say she loves her Sizzix Dies to create dynamic projects. So, let's get inky! Please visit Nicole's blog at canadiannickelscrapn.blogspot.ca

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### Friday, Sept. 22 | Scrapbook Classes

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#### Bevy of Backgrounds for Christmas & More

Instructor: Cathie Allan

Time: 9:30am – 12:00pm (2.5 hours)

Fee: \$45.00

Let's take your stamping a "stamping step" further. In this class, Cathie will show you the evolution of a series of great backgrounds. In building these 3 unique, and beautiful "shaped" Christmas Cards we will progressively add layers from the first card to the third. Layer by beautiful layer, using stamps, stencils, pigment and metallic inks, resist ideas, faux water color techniques and more we will build backgrounds and create fun embellishments to grace your projects.

#### Mixed Media Double Page Collage Layout

Instructor: Nicole Wright

Time: 12:30pm – 3:00pm (2.5 hours)

Fee: \$38.00

This class is for scrapbookers looking for a double page layout to add a unique look to your albums. Nicole used Mixed Media elements to create this double page layout by layering paper, tags, stamping, gesso, distress crayons and stenciling. Bring your photos: 4×6 (2) and wallet sized printed on card stock so you can ink that too. Get a head start on your scrappy pages with mixed media influences.



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#### Hand-Stitched Book of Friendship

Instructor: Suzanne Cannon Time: 3:30pm – 5:30pm (2 hours)

Fee: \$35.00

Let's create a sweet little book and fill it with love. We'll stamp and stencil and write stories on the staggered pages. This is going to be a treasure that you'll be excited to give your friend.... And you'll love it so much, you'll have to make another for yourself! Although the theme for this book is friendship, it can be adjusted to family. Please bring about four small photos, no bigger than 2.5" x 3" or 64 x 76mm (or we can just insert placeholders so you may add photos at home) and a couple of short stories about your friend and the times you spent together.



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#### For your Unembossed Pleasure

Instructor: Cathie Allan

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Fee: \$45.00

Let's create a journal cover and a matching note card using embossing and unembossing techniques that will rock your world. Using stamps and stencils and a new palette of pigment colours from Clearsnap, we will custom design the background and add colour to our unembossed images in a unique way that requires no markers. All this and more in this technique rich class that is sure to inspire. These ideas and techniques will transfer beautifully to further scrapbook pages or art journal pages.

#### **Eclectic Collage Canvas**

Instructors: Nicole Wright

Time: 12:00pm - 2:00pm (2 hours)

Fee: \$45.00

Join Nicole for this mess making canvas. You will be covered in gesso and scribbling with crayons. For some added fun, you will collage some paper and a bunch of findings. Nicole will have emptied her stash and will bring it for you to sift through to create your own fun canvas. Just think about the possibilities of what you learn that will add uniqueness to your future projects.



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#### **Paper Whirlwind**

Instructor: Suzanne Cannon Time: 2:30pm – 4:30 (2 hours)

Fee: \$35.00

Let's make stuff! We all need cards and we love making them. Let's stamp and stencil, foil, colour blend, inlay, mask and create flying elements. You'll leave with finished cards and even more great ideas for variations to customize your next cards.





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