

CLASSES

Thursday, May 9th
8:00 AM - 10:00 AM

36 * Questions About Your Statler Stitcher \$16

E *Paul Statler* **Lecture**
Own a Statler Stitcher? Ask the Owner/Designer questions that you may have concerning the use of a computerized quilting system. The class will feature some common questions that have been asked, like using the wizard, offsets, along with the questions you bring to class. Class size is limited.

37 * Create A Work Of Art Using Paints And Threads \$16

A/E *Dian Keepers* **Demo**
Create a one of a kind item. Whether it is a quilt, wall hanging, or garment, these methods work. Dian will share her technique of using paint and pens to achieve the illusion of color. She will demonstrate how she puts her design and paint to the cloth. She will share her quick drying method. Dian will share and demonstrate the thread she uses on these kinds of projects. By using these methods, you will not use as much thread (still having plenty of color) thus removing the chance of distorting the material. You will be pleased with the end results. This is easy and fun. Anyone can do this. All you need is water, paint and a little imagination.

38 Fill'er Up \$16

I *Dawn Cavanaugh* **Demo**
Stipple, stipple, stipple, snooze! Do visions of little worms or a one-million-piece jigsaw puzzle invade your dreams? Dawn's Fill 'er Up class will show you how to take away the boredom by introducing over 15 different background techniques you can use to spice up a quilt--from fake brickwork to garden vines and even paisley designs and an Egyptian maze! Designed for the quilter who is ready to move beyond templates and explore freehand techniques, Dawn has expanded this class to show you how to find designs everywhere you look, and how to design your own one-of-a-kind patterns. One lucky winner will take home the sampler completed in class, but everyone takes home a free pattern. You can create this attractive sampler to show your customers what you and your machine can REALLY do!

39 Fancy Feather Frenzy \$32

E *Linda Taylor* **Demo**
You asked for it! Linda will quilt over 40 different feathers in this one class. There's no question that good freehand feathers can really set you free in your quilting and increase your earnings on the quilting machine. When you leave this class, you should have feathered dreams! *Two class samples, one "Fancy Feather Frenzy" video, and 5 copies of Linda's new "Feather Frenzy" book will be given away as door prizes at the end of the class.*

40 Ins And Outs Of Pattern Quilting \$16

B/I *Dave Hudson* **Lecture**
Enjoy an exciting class in which I will give tips on choosing the right patterns to enhance every quilt. You will learn the types of patterns, the best way to use them, and how to off-set quilting designs. We will also cover interlocking patterns and how to begin and end your quilt with these designs. Learn how to do border patterns on each side of your quilt by turning the quilt. See how you can insert medallion designs into the centers of blocks and place large medallions in the center of quilts. I will be demonstrating all the tools I use to make quilting easier and more enjoyable.

41 APQS Maintenance Class \$16

E *Mike Moore* **Lecture**
Mike Moore will provide you with a better understanding of your APQS machine (including the Millennium) by taking apart a machine and identifying each of the components. Service and timing will be discussed. There will also be time for questions and answers. **Same as Class #50.**

42 Timesaving Tips, Tricks And Techniques For The Longarm Quilter \$16

E *Linda Mae Diny* **Lecture**
We all want more than 24 hours in our day! This class will teach you the time-honored tips and tricks from an experienced, award winning longarm quilter that will make it seem like you really added hours to your day. Remember, a minute here and there adds up to hours over time!! Learn about gizmos, gadgets and gotta-haves that make your job easier as well as save you money. Learn tips for organization of your studio, tips for making every aspect of your quilting job easier, tips for customer PR, tips on maintenance, pricing, brochures, and much, much more. Class handout reviewing tips included.

43 The Finishing Touch \$16

E *Pam Clarke* **Lecture**
Pam will offer her knowledge on preparing quilts for machine quilting. She will share methods of basting, marking, piecing backs and the batting. She will cover how to trim the quilt and demo several ways to attach and finish bindings, how to care for the quilt when it is completed by sharing her technique on how to clean and block a finished quilt. Loads of samples and slides.

44 A-1 Quilting Machines Service & Maintenance Class \$16

E *Stewart Plank* **Lecture**
Learn how to service and maintain your machine and learn what's new from this manufacturer.

45 *The Basics of Shortarm Quilting \$16

B/I/S *Aline Chan* **Demo**
Don't feel inferior to your longarm cousins. Shortarm machines can do anything they can do. Come and learn how to handle your shortarm machine like a pro. This demo on a shortarm quilting machine is for beginners, those who want to learn more about their machine and those who are considering the purchase of a quilting machine. Learn how to set up a quilt, do edge-to-edge patterns, straight-line stitching, free-style quilting, borders and insets. There is no limit to what your shortarm can do. Class limit 20. **Same as class #64.**

10:30 AM - 12:30 PM

46 * Going Around in Circles \$16

I/A *Jodi Beamish* **Demo**
This *demo* will show how circle attachments can be used on the longarm machine. It will include set-up and demonstration of the following attachments: Circle Templates, The Hartley Fence, Circle Ease, and The Perfect Pattern. The participant will benefit from this workshop by learning the skills to effectively work with these tools for longarming. For those who do not already own a circle maker, this is the perfect opportunity to preview these tools prior to purchase. Those who do have one of these attachments will gain valuable information on how to set-up and use the circle makers correctly and accurately and will learn how to try different techniques using them.

47 Fill'er Up Some More \$16

I *Dawn Cavanaugh* **Demo**
Second in Dawn's "Fill 'er Up" series, this class gives you over a dozen more background ideas for quilts to take the place of stippling. The sampler features a feather that wanders around the center area, and introduces butterflies, snowflakes, stars, angel wings, and more! An added bonus this year is a fun pattern designed exclusively for class participants that highlights our trade. It includes scissors, seam rippers, and more! The class project goes home with a winner, and everyone takes home two free patterns. When you create these samplers your customers will consider you a master artist--they don't have to know how easy it can be!

48 Refining Technical Skills \$32

E *Linda Taylor* **Demo**
Technical skills can not be neglected in the well-rounded quilter. By necessity, Linda is an efficiency expert on how to work a custom quilt. She will show you at least six different ways to quilt the border designs, how to stitch in the ditch, do 1/4" outlining, quilt diagonal lines, stitch around curves and applique, and rotate the quilt. Be sure of your skills to maintain the integrity of the piecing, whether you use patterns or do mostly freehand quilting. She will also cover some of the standards of quilting show quilts. *The class sample will be given away as a door prize at the end of the class, 9 of Linda's custom quilting patterns, and other wonderful surprises.*