

Life's A Stitch Classes February to May 2012

To register call 254-3339, 1-866-570-2062 or send e-mail to info@lifesastitch.ca
Check www.lifesastitch.ca for changes to class schedule.

Colour Codes for Calendar- **Eileen**, **Karen**, **Lily**, **Marianne**, **Nicole**, **Patricia**, **Patti**, **Robyn**, **Wendy**

Owners Classes – For new owners of Husqvarna Viking machines that have been purchased at Life's A Stitch.

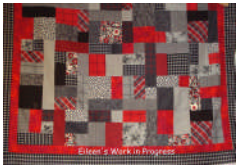
Sewing Machines Part 1 Saturday Feb. 11 1:00-3:00 This class is for all machines. Learn to correctly operate and clean your new sewing machine as well as the various features. If you plan to attend please call the store to register. (Robyn)

Sewing Machines Part 2 March 31 1:00-3:00 This class is for computerized machines (Emerald 183 or 203, Sapphires, Topazes, Designers). Learn the advanced features of your computerized machine including programming. If you plan to attend please call the store to register. (Robyn)

Sergers Part 1 March 10 1:00-4:00 Learn to correctly operate and clean your new serger. This class is for any serger that was purchased at Life's A Stitch or is one of the brands that we sell. If you plan to attend, please call the store to register. (Robyn)

Sergers Part 2 March 24 1:00-4:00 Learn to use the advanced features of your Huskylock 936, S21 or S25 in this class. (Robyn)

Designer Diamond Techniques Club Third Friday each month. If you are not already on the list, please let us know if you want to be added to the list for Designer Diamond Techniques Club. (Patricia)



Beginner Quilting \$5/hour Eileen is at the store on Tuesday afternoons for help with quilting projects. Please call ahead and let us know if you plan to come. Starting in March she will offer a Beginner's Quilting class with the Yellow Brick Road pattern (show here in reds and blacks). We are planning to do this class in the Tuesday afternoon time slot but there is a possibility that we will move it to another day. \$15/class (Eileen)

Beginner Sewing 9 to 90. Saturday April 14, 28 1:00-4:00. \$30 Anyone from age 9 and up is welcome to join this class. Learn to choose and read a pattern and create a simple pair of shorts or sleep pants. We will be using a Kwik Sew pattern and request that you please purchase your fabric at Life's A Stitch. (Karen)

Come and Sew Day Do you have unfinished projects piling up? Commit one day each month to finishing them up. Our classroom will be available the first Friday of every month. If there is enough interest we will schedule more days. April and May – changed to the second Friday due to Good Friday and Quilt Show. This is a great opportunity to meet new friends and share expertise. Bring your own machine. If you plan to stay all day please bring a lunch or enjoy one of the local eateries. Mike's Lunch (next door) always has a great lunch special. 10:00-4:00.

Creative Jacket Classes Thursdays 5-8 or Sundays 1-4 \$15 per class. Create and embellish a jacket using your favourite pattern as the foundation. Embellish your jacket using a variety of piecing techniques including seminole and bargello, braid application, and embroidery Call Karen if you are interested. She does have some pattern recommendations if you are not sure what you would like to do. (Karen)



Cupcake Apron Thursday March 1 10:00-2:30 (1/2 hour lunch break) \$20 Cupcake things seem to be the rage right now and we have a couple of projects that will make great gifts. You will need to purchase the pattern and supplies. (Eileen)

Cupcake Oven Mitts Thursday March 15 1-4 \$15 Make these cute cupcake oven mitts to go with your apron.. (Eileen)

Embroidery Club 10-12 or 5-7 Second or Third Monday of each month (depending on holiday Mondays, etc. (See Calendar for dates). Explore embroidery techniques while creating useful items that often include special sewing

techniques as well. You will need a programmable card if you have an embroidery machine that takes a card rather than a floppy disk or USB stick, or other computer media. If you have a brand other than Husqvarna Viking you will need to put the designs on the proper media for your machine before the class. Purchase the Embroidery Club CD (containing instructions and designs) for \$20 and the class is Free. (Patricia)

Embroidery Club Finish Up \$15. See Calendar for dates. 1:00-4:00 We are planning to run a finish it up class on the Saturday after each embroidery club. This is a chance to complete the embroidery club project for the month. (Patricia)



Fibre Arts Wall Hanging – Wednesdays February 22 (6-8), Feb 29 and March 7 (5:30-8:30) \$40+Supplies. Paint your own organza and cut it up to create a scene with 3D leaves. Create texture with Texture Magic and finish with free motion machine quilting. The first class will be painting only. We have Texture Magic in stock and will order paint. You may choose a different picture than Nicole's and she will help you to create it in fabric. (Nicole)

Grids and Grommets Bag. Wednesday April 18,25 1-3 \$20 plus pattern and supplies. Make a unique bag using 2-1/2" strips or your own quilted fabric. Patti will give you all the tips and tricks. Come and see her beautiful samples at the store. (Patti)



Hand Embroidery – Tuesdays starting March 6 for five weeks. 1-4 \$75 includes kit fee. Learn to do beautiful hand embroidery with Wendy McKenney. Please call Wendy 705 942-8881 for more information or to register. (Wendy)

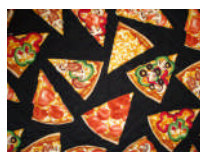
I'm Not Afraid of My Serger Saturday May 26 1-4 \$20 Learn serging basics in this introductory class. This class is for any brand of basic serger. We will concentrate on 3 and 4 thread techniques. (Robyn)



Little Wallet Saturday May 12 OR Monday May 28 1-4 \$15 Make this great little wallet that is perfect for holding a few credit cards and some cash. Great for those times when you don't want to carry your purse or your big wallet. (Patti)

March Break Messenger Bag Ages 9 and up. Wednesday March 14 1-4. \$15 Plus Kit Fee Make a simple Messenger Bag in this 3 hour class. (Karen)

Paper Pieced Wall Hanging \$45 plus supplies and book "Flying Colors" by Gail Garber. This three part class involves a variety of techniques - paper piecing, piecing curved seams, embellishing with decorative machine stitches, quilting techniques and bias binding. Come in and check out Nicole's beautiful sample. Please let us know if you are interested and we will try to schedule a time that works for everyone. (Nicole)



Pieced Placemats \$15 1-4 Saturday March 3 OR Wednesday May 2. Choose a theme fabric and some co-ordinating fabrics (or just use up some stash!) and whip up these fun placemats. The picture at the left is the front of the Patricia's sample and the one on the right is the back. This is a great class for beginners. (Patricia)

Quilt With Marianne This Saturday morning class is currently full. We will post when there are openings. (Marianne)

Slippers (Footprints or Softies) Saturday Feb, 25 1-4 \$15 If you have purchased either of these patterns and would like a class, this will probably be the last time it is offered as the pattern is no longer available. We are looking at replacing it with another. (Eileen)



Thimballina Bag – April 19, 26 1-4 \$30 Eileen's beautiful sample is on display at the store. This technique is similar to the Bali Bag but uses covered batting strips instead of clothesline. If more time is needed to complete the project we will schedule another class at \$5/hour. (Eileen)

Whimsy Wallet Wednesday May 16 12-4 \$20 This is a great little wallet. Why not make one to match your Grids and Grommets Bag? Would make a great gift! (Patti)



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February 2012

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			1	2 Jacket Class 5-8	3 Come and Sew Day 10-4	4 Quilt with Marianne 10-12
5 Jacket Class 1-4	6	7 Beginner Quilting 1-4	8	9 Jacket Class 5-8	10	11 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Sewing Machines Part 1 1-3
12 Jacket Class 1-4	13 Embroidery Club 10-12 5-7	14 Beginner Quilting -4 Happy Valentines Day	15	16	17 Designer Diamond Techniques Club 1-4	18 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Embroidery Club Finish Up 1-4
19	20 Family Day Store Closed	21 Beginner Quilting 1-4	22 Fibre Arts 6:00-8:00	23	24	25 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Slippers 1-4
26	27	28 Beginner Quilting 1-4	29 Fibre Arts 5:30-8:30			

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				1 Cupcake Apron 10:00-2:30 Jacket Class 5-8	2 Come and Sew Day 10-4	3 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Placemats 1-4
4 Jacket Class 1-4	5	6 Begin to Quilt (Yellow Brick Road) 1-4 Hand Embroidery 1-4	7 Fibre Arts 5:30-8:30	8 Jacket Class 5-8	9	10 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Sergers Part 1 1-4
11 Jacket Class 1-4	12 Embroidery Club 10-12 5-7	13 Begin to Quilt (Yellow Brick Road) 1-4 Hand Embroidery 1-4	14 March Break Messenger Bag Ages 9+ 1-4	15 Cupcake Oven Mitts 1-4 Jacket Class 5-8	16 Designer Diamond Techniques Club 1-4	17  Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Embroidery Club Finish Up 1-4 Happy Paddy's Day
18 Jacket Class 1-4	19	20 Begin to Quilt (Yellow Brick Road) 1-4 Hand Embroidery 1-4	21	22 Jacket Class 5-8	23	24 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Sergers Part 2 1-4
25 Jacket Class 1-4	26	27 Begin to Quilt (Yellow Brick Road) 1-4 Hand Embroidery 1-4	28	29 Jacket Class 5-8	30	31 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Sewing Mach Part 2 1-3

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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
1	2	3 Begin to Quilt (Yellow Brick Road) 1-4 Hand Embroidery 1-4	4	5 Jacket Class 5-8	6 Good Friday	7 Quilt with Marianne 10-12
8  Happy Easter!	9	10 Begin to Quilt (Yellow Brick Road) 1-4	11	12 Jacket Class 5-8	13 Come and Sew Day 10-4	14 Quilt with Marianne 10-12 Beginner Sewing Part 1: 1-4
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		1 Beginner Quilting 1-4	2 Placemats 1-4	3 Jacket Class 5-8	4 Come and Sew Day 10-4	5 Quilt with Marianne 10-12
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