

Lori's Pirs 'r Needles

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Store Hours:

Monday-Thursday 9:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Friday 9:00 a.m. - 8:00 p.m. Saturday 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Lines from Lori...

Summer Oh how quickly it goes! Hot weather-family reunions-picnics-county fairs-vacations-swimming-plenty of daylight hours and then school starts! Reality check for everyone—not just the school age. Hey, autumn can be fun! The

weather is cooler and at Lori's we have lots of great events planned for you. Take a look at this newsletter and you are sure to be excited about entering the new autumn season.

Special events include a three day Handi Quilter event and a two day Husqvarna Viking event plus loads of new products and fun classes. Check it all out in the newsletter

Happy Sewing, Lori

PS: This just in-we will be having a Handi Quilter Truck load sale starting in mid-September. Look for the HQ truck at our store and receive free shipping plus loads of other perks!



New Products



Button Snowman and Glee are brand new patterns from Happy Hollow!





New Fabrics-Checking them in and getting fabrics ready for you— Mary Kay & Beth



Funny Farm-this is one of the many new collections at Lori's. New quilt panel and fabric book. Stop in and check out the fabric selection!



Siesta Jewelry-You are going to love our new sterling jewelry. Quilt blocks as

pendants, charms or earrings. We have a great variety. These make perfect gifts for sewing and quilting enthusiasts.





AccuQuilt Go-new companion set cubes. As before these cubes are 6 inch, 8-inch, 9-inch, & 12-inch blocks. The GO! Qubes provide you with 72 block design options, but now with the new Companion Sets your design options increase to 144. Get ready to

purchase these companion sets on the release date of September 6. Stop in the store and reserve yours today.

Classes

UFO for Quilter's Class

Teacher: Janice Nicholson

Saturday, September 17, October 15 or November 19

9 a.m.-3 p.m.

Sign up for UFO (unfinished objects). This class is designed to help you set aside time to finish quilting projects. Bring something to share for lunch.



Beginning Quilting



Teacher: Janice

Friday, September 2, 9, 16, 23,

& 30; 5-8p.m.

Class Fee: \$50.00 plus

supplies

Do you want to learn to quilt, or maybe you are selftaught and would like some

pointers? Janice will take you through the skills of cutting, piecing, using borders, quilting and binding .In this class you will make a log cabin or rail fence wall-hanging or table topper.

Falling Leaves Table Runner



Teacher: Janice Saturday, September 24; 10

a.m.-4 p.m.

Class Fee: \$25.00 plus supplies Janice uses the new table runner book from Anka's Treasures to complete this beautiful project. You will enjoy the class, plus it will be just in time for your fall decorating.

Batik Rayon Tunic



Teacher: Marge

Saturday; October 8; 10 a.m.-

4 p.m.

Class Fee: \$35.00 plus

supplies

You are going to love this great tunic. It drapes beautifully in our new rayon batiks. Looks great with the ever-popular leggings, your favorite pair of dress slacks,

or your comfy jeans! Sign up for this class and be ready for cooler weather with this great addition to your wardrobe.

Christmas Stocking Workshop

Teachers: Mary Kay & Beth Friday, October 28; 5-8 p.m. Class fee: \$18:00 plus supplies Just in time for your Christmas decorating. Learn to make a Christmas Stocking including how to applique and finish a stocking. You should have your project close to completed during the class session.



Hearts and Stars Rag Quilt



Teacher: Marge Friday; November 4 & 18; 5-8 p.m. Class Fee \$35.00 plus supplies Learn how to make a rag quilt in this class.

Class.

This is a great gift item, perfect for graduates. You will learn how to cut and assemble the quilt, plus you will learn some basic applique

techniques. This is a fun project and you probably won't be able to stop with just one.

Serger Boot Camp with Lori

Wed. & Thursday, January 18 & 19th; 5-7:30 p.m.

Class Fee: \$40.00 plus supplies
Do you own a serger and would like
to learn more about using it? This
class will help you "make friends"
with your serger. You will learn more
about threading, differential feed,
adjusting tensions, and a variety of
techniques.



T-Shirt Quilts



Teacher: Peggy

Friday, January 20, & 27

5-8 p.m.

Class Fee \$40.00 plus supplies Are you planning to make a quilt using all those t- shirts that are keepsakes in the dresser drawer? This class will help you plan the quilt and create

a finished memory quilt, just in time for off to college days. Bring in your shirts and let Peggy help you with techniques and fabric choices, to help you complete your project.

Club Classes-Do you want to get involved?

Viking Club with DeAnn-meets the 3rd Monday and Tuesday each month 1:30-3:30p.m both days or 6-8 p.m. Tuesday. \$72.00 for 1 yr. or \$45.00 for 6 months.

Embroidery Club with DeAnn-meets the 1st Monday and Tuesday each month; 1-4 p.m. both days or 6-9 p.m. Tuesday \$72.00 for year or \$45.00 for 6 months Classes

Design Creating Club (Digitizing) with Jerri-meets the 4th Tuesday each month 9:30-11:30, 12-2, 2:30-4:30, or 6-8 p.m. 1 year \$84.00 or 6 months \$50.00

Extra Software Club with Jerri (for 5D or 6D Extra owners and beyond) new session starts in February. Meets 4th Thursday 9:30-11:30 a.m., 12-2 p.m., or 5:30-7:30 p.m.; 6 months \$50.00 or 12 months \$84.00

Details about Handi Quilter Event on October 20, 21, & 22. For times and dates on these classes. See the insert in this newsletter.

1. Long Arm Boot Camp Basics

Does longarm quilting interest you, and you'd like to learn more about it? Or do you just need a review of longarm quilting basics? This class takes the mystery out of longarm quilting by explaining the basic terms, machine features, how to load a quilt, and the purpose of gadgets. Longarm machines come in a variety of sizes and configurations for every budget, and are designed by a quilter, for quilters – just like you!

2. 3B's Backgrounds, Borders, & Blocks

Blocks, backgrounds, sashings and borders – these are the basic components of every pieced quilt top, and there are tricks to quilting them differently while creating a cohesive overall look. Learn how to select and adapt designs to complement each area, and how to accomplish the quilting efficiently and easily. Tried-and-true fillers and go-to designs will be featured.

3. Custom Waves, Curves, and Circles

This class on circle templates and curved rulers presents a new world of design options. Learn how to read and use the markings on the templates, and the tricks for making half circles, flattened circles, and perfectly curved lines. Create beautiful quilting designs using swags, clam shells, ovals, arcs and half circles.

4. Fancy Footwork

The ruler hopping foot will always be the workhorse of machine quilting, but Handi Quilter has created new quick-change machine feet to take your quilting to the next level. Add surface embellishments easily with the Couching Foot, and use the Echo Feet to create impressive echo quilting in a variety of widths and designs. The Glide Foot enables quilting around surface embellishments and dimensional appliqué with ease. Come discover the fun you'll have with the new Handi Feet!

5. Moving On with Pro-Stitcher

This class is an extension of the basic Introduction to the HQ Pro-Stitcher. Focused on additional functions of the HQ Pro-Stitcher that go beyond the basics, this class also focuses on problem-solving typical situations you may encounter. Tips and shortcuts for using the many features and functions of the HQ Pro-Stitcher program will be included.

6. Crossover Quilting-Modern Meets Traditional

Modern quilts have several general characteristics: expansive negative space, contemporary designs, no borders, asymmetrical elements, and improvisational piecing. Learn how to adapt traditional quilt designs to modern quilts, using modern tools to create special effects with geometric shapes and updated design elements.

Great Buys on New Baby Lock machines

Baby Lock Destiny Regular \$14999.99

Special \$8999.00



Baby Lock Symphony

Regular \$3699.99 **Sale \$1899.00**

Baby Lock Sashiko

Regular \$3999.99

Sale \$1999.00

Prices on these machines are valid while supplies last

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What's Happening at Lori's!

- HQ Truck Load Sale
- Handi Quilter 3 day event October 20, 21, & 22. Details inside
- Husqvarna Viking Epic Adventure and What's New Event November 11, & 12. Details inside
- Husqvarna Viking & Baby Lock sewing machines and sergers on sale

Handi Quilter Truckload Sale!

Come in for a demo



September 18-October 2, 2016

Free Freight with any HandiQuilter machine purchase (promotion includes the HandiQuilter Long Arm machines and the Sweet Sixteen)

Plus your choice of:

- 36 months interest free OR
- a \$500.00 gift certificate toward regular-priced merchandise from Lori's







Amy Van Gurp-National/International Handi Quilter Educator-Amy's love for the Handi Quilter machines

and products is her passion. Amy has been quilting for more than 12 years. Come and learn from Amy as you embark on your own Handi Quilter options.

Join Amy and learn many tricks of the trade as she presents our Handi Quilter classes!

Thursday, October20; Friday, October 21;& Saturday, October 22

- ❖ Thursday, Oct. 20; 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Long Arm Boot Camp Basics \$35.00
- ❖ Thursday, Oct. 20; 1:30-4:30 p.m. 3B's-Backgrounds, Borders & Blocks \$35.00
- ❖ Friday, Oct. 21; 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Custom Waves, Curves and Circles \$35.00
- **❖** Friday, Oct. 21 1:30-4:30 p.m. Fancy Footwork \$35.00
- **❖** Saturday, October 22 9:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m. Moving on with Pro-Stitcher \$35.00
- **❖** Saturday, October 22; 1:30-4:30 p.m. Crossover Quilting: Modern Meets Traditional \$35.00

Sign up for all 6 classes \$210.00 value you pay \$175.00 Sign up for 5 classes \$175.00 value you pay \$150.00 Sign up for 4 classes \$140.00 value you pay \$125.00 Lori's Pins 'n Needles 1122 North Main St. PO Box 815 Paris, IL 61944 217-465-5541 loris@comwares.net



Husqvarna Viking presentation with Susan Ford, educator

Saturday, November 12; 10 a.m.-3 p.m. at the 4-H Multi-purpose Building

- Share a fun-filled day with friends who love to sew, quilt, & embroider
- Check out what is new-the latest and greatest products from Husqvarna Viking
- Demos you are sure to enjoy—sign up and plan to come for a funfilled event
- \$38.00 including your lunch

Join Susan for a Designer Epic Adventure on Friday, November 11; 9:30 a.m.-3:30 p.m. at the 4-H Multi-purpose Building



- Hands-on class you are sure to enjoy
- Sign up and come—no need to bring your machine, just sign up and plan to spend your day sewing on the new Husqvarna Viking Epic.
- Susan will show you great tips on making your projects, plus you will get to try out new techniques on the Designer Epic sewing machine by Husqvarna
- \$25.00 plus \$15.00 project kit fee. Your cost will include lunch.

