

SIGN UP FOR SEWING CLASSES

Learn some new techniques, try some new fabric colors, play with threads & needles, and meet new teachers. Take a look at our great selection of classes. Sign up for any of them January thru March and receive a discount card good for any purchase of books, notions, embroidery designs, and fabric that you will need January 2 thru March 31, 2010.

Sign up for classes now and watch your discount grow!

1 class = 10% discount card

2 classes = 15% discount card

4 classes = 20% discount card

6 classes = 25% discount card

- All classes \$10.00 and over count toward the Class Discount card. The discount card applies to all regular priced items in the store and can be used for supplies for all classes including \$5.00 Quilt fabric yardage (does not include kits).
- Discount card is valid for any purchase of regular priced notions, books, embroidery designs, and fabric yardage. Expires March 31, 2010. Cannot be combined with any other offer or discount. Sign up early to earn the maximum discount.
- Machine, Embroidery, Serger, and Quilting Mastery classes do not qualify as classes because they are FREE with purchase of machine.
- If a class is refunded, the discount is charged back to the appropriate level on all purchases.

“Investments” & Suzi Seed

Friday & Saturday 10:00-4:00

Jan. 22 & 23, 2010 \$75.00

Many of you met Suzi Seed at our Sulky seminar in October and have expressed a need for “free motion” experiences that were shown in that seminar. Suzi has been teaching the art of free motion for embellishment for over 20 years as a free lance artist and as a thread & stabilizer expert for Sulky of America.. Many of you have met her in classes at the Houston Quilt Festival. Spend 2 full days with her and learn so many things that your sewing machine can do even if you do not have any embroidery capability or experience. This is all about “you” the sewing machine driver. Sign up early as this class is limited in space. Displays are available in the store. The 3-4 projects planned are designed for a vest/ jacket but could be incorporated into a wall hanging. You can sign up at www.creativesewingonline.com under classes

BERNINA Tips & Techniques

Have you owned a Bernina for a long time. Did you just purchase a Bernina? Do want to get the best use for the investment in your machine. Are you looking at a Bernina as a possible machine for purchase? These are the classes for you!

Machines will be available to “Test Drive” or bring your own Bernina machine.

BERNINA Tips & Techniques for Great Quilting

Monday February 15 10:00-12:00 \$5.00 Terry

What is the difference between controlled quilting and free motion quilting? How do I use free motion for straight lines? What is the difference between zigzag and straight stitch quilting? Will all Bernina machines quilt? Come find out using your machine or our machine. Reservations are necessary so that we have enough kits prepared for each student.

BERNINA Tips & Techniques for Great Applique

Monday February 15 1:00-3:00 \$5.00 Terry

Have you always wondered about how to create prize winning applique? These techniques will work with every Bernina I have sewn on-that is for the last 30 years. Never owned a Bernina and wondering what you are missing? Machines will be available for you to try or learn on your own wonderful machine. Register early so that we have enough kits prepared for each student.

BERNINA Tips & Techniques for Great Embroidery

Thursday February 18 1:00-4:00 \$10.00 Terry

Have you always wondered about how to do great embroidery for quilting, garments and tote bags. Come for 3 different projects and designs that you will take home FREE. Bring your own Bernina or if you do not own one, join us to “Test Drive” a Bernina. Register early so that we have enough kits and CD’s prepared for each student.



BERNINA Software Classes

Total class fee is \$30.00. These are hands on classes with the software installed on your computer. Open to all levels and versions of Bernina software— you will learn something different in every class even if you do not own V.6 Designer Plus.

Monograms Wed. Jan. 13 2:00-4:00

Learn to create Monograms with all levels of the Bernina software. After learning this way you will be able to use all the features of your particular level as we investigate size, array, borders, fills, and embellishments.

Cross Stitch Wed. Jan. 20 2:00-4:00

This features begins at Editor Plus. Have you loved the cross stitch that you see in many embroidery designs but want to create your own. Using the basic tools in your software we will “create” cross stitch from any design.

Automatic Digitizing Wed. Jan 27 2:00-4:00

This feature begins at Editor Plus. If you have wanted to auto-digitize but it seems “sew boring” this class is for you. Learn about the artistic features needed to have great auto digitizing.

Lines, Outlines, & Quilting Effects Wed. Feb 3 2:00-4:00

You will need Designer Plus to use your software in this class. If you have signed up for the first 3 classes this is the determining factor or why you would want Designer Plus software.

Carving and Morphing and WHY? Wed. Feb 10 2:00-4:00

Using these new tools in V6 software expand the capabilities of your Design Plus software. Not only do we have 180 fancy fills and 30 different step fills but you can modify all of those.

Freehand Tools Wed. Feb. 17 2:00-4:00

Yes, we can do this in all levels of Designer Plus software but why with the new features in V6. New ways to shade, sculpture and layer are available— lets create.

Digitizing Tools Wed. Feb. 24 2:00-4:00

Now we are getting down to the essence of Designer Plus. Everything that you have learned so far is brought together to enhance your knowledge.

BERNINA Software Sampler

Learn to use your Bernina Software— which ever version or level you own Editor Lite, Editor Plus, 830E, & Designer Plus

Saturdays 9:45-11:45 \$15.00 \$15.00 for Design CDs
Feb. 20, Mar. 20, April 24, May 22, June 19,

The program consists of a web cast by Pat Jennings, a leading Bernina educator and a discussion time with samples of the projects or similar techniques. Each CD includes that month’s embroidery designs, handouts, pattern information, and step- by- step video class so that you can study the software, embroidery, and sewing projects at home.

Join Rosemary for her Cutwork Software and Cutwork Embroidery classes in March

Rosemary is a Bernina software artist whose accomplishments include magnificent large embroidery designs, huge cross stitch designs which include multiple hooping, commercial designs for her business and quilting creations. Now she is adding Bernina Cutwork to her list. She is will teach basics, intermediate, and depending on the time many advanced features in a one day “hands on” software class. She has a private agenda also, she owns hundreds if not thousands of Cutwork embroidery designs. She, like you, is cutting applique & piecing shapes and will show the use of the cutwork tool for this art form.. We will have samples for almost every use that we can think of.... Bring ideas! Digitize with the software on Friday. Embroider your Cutwork designs that were created on Saturday.



Bernina Cutwork Weekend

March 26 & 27 10:00-4:00 each day
\$100.00 for both days includes lunch both days
\$75.00 if you purchased your Cutwork software at CSC

Basic Computer Skills for hands on classes

Brother & Bernina

Tuesday Jan. 12 10:00-12:00
\$15.00 Mara

There are many basic skills that will help you feel more comfortable in computer classes. Some of the things that you will learn are keyboard shortcuts, mouse tricks, the difference between clicking left or right, creating folders, finding designs, saving designs in multiple formats, opening CD’s, sending designs to memory sticks, and downloading from the internet. This is a great class before starting any hands on software classes.

Bernina Machine Sewing Retreat for Purchasers at CSC **Mar 15 & 16** 10-4 each day \$40.00

This is Spring Break and what better time for a teacher or student to learn her own Bernina machine. This class is specifically designed to investigate the features of the Bernina 180, 185, 640, 730, 820 and 830. These are 9 mm machines with wide decorative stitches. Heirloom sewing techniques will be highlighted in this class. The 6 projects can be used to make a shirt, tote, vest, or wall hanging.

Register early as space is limited.

Join Sharon Taylor for an all day hands on class on the Brother Quattro 6000D. Four Projects with each one showing a quadrant of the machine. Circular stitching, embroidery, quilting and crafting.

Sharon is a National Trainer and Sewing Educator for Brother International Corporation and has an extensive background in the business of sewing. She loves to teach and share her passion and enthusiasm in a classroom setting, inspiring students of all ages to discover and enjoy the fun of creativity.

Sharon has taught classes all over the country in basic embroidery techniques, all about stabilizers, sewing projects, computer software basics, serger projects, heirloom sewing, and many more. Her expertise, along the techniques she has developed over the years, enables her to provide fun and informative classes designed to bring excitement and enjoyment to the art of sewing



Brother Sew For Fun

Thursday	Jan. 28	10:00-4:00	\$25.00 (kits & lunch provided)	Machines provided or Bring your Quattro
Friday	Jan. 29	10:00-4:00	\$25.00 (kits & lunch provided)	Machines provided or Bring your Quattro

FREE Embroidery Designs

Computer to Machine to Embroidery Project with Ida

Tuesdays	Jan. 19, Feb. 16, Mar. 9	
	2:00-5:00	\$15.00 each class

Saturdays	Jan. 16, Feb. 20, Mar. 20	
	NOTICE Jan 16 is from 2-5 but the rest of the Saturday classes are from 1:00-4:00	\$15.00 each class

Can't see the design on your computer? Don't know how to send a design to the machine? In the first class learn to send the design from the computer to the machine with direct download, CD's, Memory sticks or cards. If you can't bring a computer we will have one in the classroom. Learn to use your computer with your machine whether you have software or not.

FREE OESD embroidery design with each class. There are many different projects and designs- you will know your machine very well after these classes.

Sign up for 4 classes and qualify for the highest discount for your embroidery supplies January thru March 31, 2010.

Brother PE Design

Tuesdays	Jan. 19, Feb. 16, Mar. 9	
	10:00-12:00	\$30.00 Mara

Join this hands on class for the Brother software. You are welcome to come to the class with any version or level of the software. It must be installed on the computer and running. This is not a trouble shooting class- this class covers the capabilities of the software. If you are unfamiliar software Mara has an excellent class on Jan 12 to help you prepare for other software classes.

Creative Sewing Center

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Brother Machine Sewing Retreat for Purchasers at CSC

Mar 17 & 18	10-4 each day	\$40.00	staff
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This is Spring Break and what better time for a teacher or student to learn her own Brother machine. This class is specifically designed to investigate the features of the Brother QC1000, NV1500D, NV2500D, NV2800D, NV4000D, NV4500D, NV6000D. These are 7 mm machines with wide decorative stitches and directional feed stitches. The 6 projects can be used to make a jacket, tote, vest or wall hanging.

Register early as space is limited.

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Start Your Own Embroidery Business with Embroidery Business Expert Melanie Coakley

Melanie Coakley is president and owner of EmbroideryFX located in Chattanooga, TN. She began her embroidery business over 20 years ago, specializing in company and corporate logos. Starting her business in her home, she quickly produced a loyal following from local business owners. She is recognized in the embroidery industry for her enthusiasm for education. She is a frequent speaker for trade shows and writes for industry trade magazines. Her inspirational success story takes her from a home based business to landing large corporate accounts. Her ideas and proven techniques will aid you in starting and developing a profitable embroidery business. Whether you wish to pursue additional income from your home or want to open a retail business; this is the class for you. With over 20 years in business she has the answers to aid you in turning your embroidery into profits. This is a seminar you do not want to miss.

Space is limited so register early to guarantee your seat.

Friday	Feb. 5	10:00-1:00	or
Saturday	Feb. 6	10:00-1:00	
\$20.00			

3 hr seminar reserved for those who do not already have a multi-needle embroidery machine

Owner Preview Friday Feb. 5 5:30-7:30

Only for those who have purchased an embroidery machine at CSC. Bring your show & tell for a question/ answer session with Melanie, and a THANK YOU party with light refreshments. Reservation due by Feb 1, 2010 and are \$5.00 each

Get the Most Out of your PR Series embroidery machine

Friday March 5 3:00-5:00 \$20.00

“Sew” you bought a Brother PR series embroidery machine (600, 600II, 620, 650) in the past and feel comfortable but want to take your machine embroidery to a higher level. Oh my, you bought a PR series machine and are out of control with all the work coming your way. You need to network. Oh gee, you bought a PR series machine and need more work coming your way but don’t know how to expand. Oh no, you bought a PR series machine and have not explored the accessories and capabilities of the machine. Michelle Gillmartin says “THIS CLASS IS FOR YOU!”



How To Go Into Business with Embroidery

**Friday Mar. 5
10:00-2:00 \$20.00**

Michelle Gillmartin is a member of the Brother International Education team. At the age of 20 she opened her first business- 30 years later she retired never having had a boss until now! She has been sewing with a passion since the age of 8 and seeks to promote the love of all venues of creative needle arts through teaching; machine embroidery and unique garment details are her specialties. She is a three time National Competition Winner. When not traveling with Brother she pursues her sewing obsession in Reno, NV.

Join us for this powerful seminar, try the various machines and learn new embroidery tricks on hats, boots, jackets and pant legs.

210-344-0791

