

Jamboree Classes and Supply Lists

Applique the Appliquik Way

This is a wonderful method, especially good for small or skinny pieces, that can be used for both hand or machine applique. The class will provide a starter technique kit but you can choose your own project.

Supplies: Sewing machine and supplies, small iron and ironing mat, applique scissors, mono-filament thread or threads that match fabric.



Stack 'n' Whack Dresden Plates



Using a unique way to do stack 'n' whack quilts, you will end up with a beautiful and interesting quilt.

Supply list: Rotary cutter with new blade, cutting mat, sewing machine, acrylic quilting ruler, thread to match fabric. Template and heavy quilting thread will be provided.

Fabric for the plates: This is the most fun and the most frustrating part of the pattern. Choose a fabric that has a variety of elements in the fabric to make it different in each block.

Florals work well as do fabrics with animals, fish, fruit, etc.

Fabrics with a few different colors also add to this overall effect. Choose medium to large prints, small prints do not work well.

Once you have selected your fabric you need to determine how much to buy. You will need 12 repeats. Look along the selvedge edge until you see this same element again. Measure the distance between the first and second appearance of the element. This distance is the "repeat" of the pattern. You need to have 12 repeats for the blades of the plate. Repeats may be between 8" and 24". Multiply the distance in the repeat by 12. So if your repeat is 10", it would be a 10x12, or 120", or about three and a half yards. The larger your repeat, the more fabric you will need.

Note: do not buy background fabric at this time. You may change your mind once the plates are completed.

Quilted Postcards

Kits will be made available at the class. The possibilities are endless – and a lot of fun. You will construct in the morning and then tack down with your machine in the afternoon.

Supplies: Basic sewing supplies only.



Jelly Roll Bargello



Pointy 35" x 45"

Supply List:

- Highly Recommended: Jelly Roll Bargello book by Karin Hellaby
- One Jelly Roll (2 1/2" strips) You will only need 20 strips. You may pick and choose which strips to use, or if there are 2 of each strip, share with a friend. **see more info below
- Sewing machine in good working order — make sure you have power cord, piecing foot, pedal



Curvy 36" x 48"

- The “usual” supplies: thread, pins, scissors/snips
- Rotary cutter with new blade
- medium sized cutting mat
- ruler at least 14" x 6" or thereabouts—must have 1/4" increments

Preparation:

In choosing a jelly roll, please keep the following in mind:

- solids, small prints or textures work best — avoid large, “blotchy” prints
- you can create your own set of 20 and/or you can trade out strips and add others
- you will need 20 different fabrics—they should flow well and make sense together
- After you have chosen your set of 20, determine a pleasing order. Look at examples online to learn your personal preferences. Sometimes, taking a photo can help with decisions.
- Make a “swatch card”, assigning a number to each fabric. This will help you keep strips in order. In the selvage of each fabric, mark the number.