

FACE MASKS



Cindy asked me (Linda Belford) to put something in the newsletter about making face masks. There are now many, many patterns for face masks out there. The purpose is to keep the person wearing the mask from infecting others. One of our doctors in Pittsfield recommended the very simple rectangle, pleated one with a flannel backing. That pattern can be found at turbanproject.com/patterns.

WORKSHOP APRIL 18



PLEASE EMAIL SUE IF YOU PLAN TO ATTEND. VERY IMPORTANT!

Magic Stars Table Runner
21 1/2" x 57 1/2"

Materials Needed

1 3/8 yards total assorted multi colored material (blocks)

1 yard white tone on tone (blocks and table runner top)

1/2 yard multicolored (binding)

1 7/8 yards backing fabric

CUT FABRIC BEFORE WORKSHOP

Assorted colors-25-3 1/2" squares and 200-2" squares

White tone on tone-108-3

1/2" squares

Multicolored binding 5-2 1/2" x 42"



SERIES QUILT 2020

BOTANICA PARK

Block assigned for April--Tulip Block



Block for May--Center Chaining Block
(see p. 6 for instructions)



2020 PROGRAMS

April 7 (postponed) -- Linda Muehring, Katie Rupp, Susan Fox & Pam Houghtby--Entering Challenges

May 5 -- Toni Steere--
"From Concept to Quilt"

May 6 -- Toni Steere Workshop

June 2 -- Sharon Wastenev
July 7 -- Carry-in Dinner & Challenge Program Committee

August 4 -- Karen Grover

September 1 -- Robyn Gragg

October 6 -- Merrie Ford,
"I Love Chocolate"

October 7 -- Merrie Ford Workshop,
Laura Heine sewing machine

November 3 -- Joyce Franklin

Dec. 1 -- Carry-in Dinner & Challenge Program Committee

Program Committee

BABYLOCK FOR SALE

I have a quilting friend in Quincy that is wanting to sell her Babylock Deluxe Crescendo. It's a little over a year old, and just serviced, price \$4200. If interested, call 217-617-8383. Thanks, Lois Oberg.



QUILT SHOW BOUTIQUE UPDATE

We will not be taking any Quilt Show boutique items until September.

This gives those who did not donate more time to thin their stash or make something for the boutique and if you are making something for the boutique make another for the bazaar that is in November. Thanks!

Boutique committee:

Barbara Bier, Sherry Kay Shaffer and Linda Bier

QUILT SHOW INFO

Be sure to put September 11 and 12, 2020, on your calendar, the dates for our 2020 Quilt Show! We'll all be ready to make up for lost time after our weeks of having to stay home. We hope and pray that you all stay safe and healthy.



NEWSLETTER BLOCK CHALLENGE

Make a quilt block of your choice in size and color depicting a Rabbit/Bunny

and bring to the May (we hope) meeting. Use a pattern you already have or look for one online. It will be interesting to see what everyone comes up with!



CATCH IT.



BIN IT.



KILL IT.



MAY 6 PROGRAM

Be sure to invite your friends to join us for Toni Steere's lecture "From Concept to Quilt" on May 5, 2020.

Non-member fee \$5.

The workshop on Wednesday, May 6, is full. For those who would like to purchase kits (see colorways at the right), or have any questions, please contact Jackie Williams at 217-285-4878 or jkw54202@yahoo.com. We will be collecting the workshop fee of \$25 and any kit/pattern fee at the May meeting. The table topper is approximately 40"x40".

WORKSHOP SUPPLY LIST:

Sewing machine, neutral thread
Pre-wind 2 bobbins

Basic sewing notions, pins, seam ripper, scissors...etc!

Iron & pressing mat

Rotary cutter & Mat (18x24 is big enough)

Ruler at least 18" long

Flying Geese Ruler. I (Toni) prefer the ultimate flying geese ruler by creative grids but will demonstrate the wing clipper from Studio 180 designs.

4 1/2" Creative Grids SQ

Lunch / water

The kits come precut. Those choosing their own fabrics will need to precut.

I (Toni) will have both the flying geese ruler and the 4 1/2" Creative grids rulers available for purchase the day of class. Members can try before they buy.

Precut kit/pattern/backing \$60

Precut kit/pattern \$50

Pattern \$6

See next page for cutting instructions if not purchasing a kit.

LONDON BLUE



TAPESTRY



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EARTH TONES (NEW)

JULY CHALLENGE VISION 2020

If you would like more of the challenge fabric, it may still be available from Peace and Applique in Rochester, IL. It is called Geekery-Spectacles by Sue Marsh for RJR Fabrics. Just give them a call 217-498-6771. I'm sure they will ship.

