

Country Quilting News

November 2012

Hello Fellow Quilters

Another month has flown by and with November comes the start of stormy weather that keeps people indoors. When that happens, sewing is a great way to put in the time - all cosy and warm and in out of the weather. Of course, in order to do that you need to have projects to work on. So make sure you take advantage of the nice days and stop by the shop and stock up on supplies. A lot bolts of fabric were snatched up during the sale but even more have come in. There is no shortage of beautiful fabrics here for your new projects! IF you need inspiration, there are also new books in the store to help with that.

The fall classes are underway and going well. For those of you that didn't make it out to see the samples, fear not you can just go to the website, www.countryquilting.ca to see the classes that are being offered this fall. As always, if there is a class that you would like to take but the time doesn't work, please tell me—we can work together to find a time that best suits you. Small class sizes, means more flexibility.

Since it is now November that means that Christmas is just around the corner. For any of you that want to have something quilted for Christmas, there is still time to get it done. Just remember, the earlier I receive your project, the better the chance of having your quilted creation done in time for Christmas. I do my best to get everything, that comes in, quilted before the holidays but if I get swamped, the projects that come in

We have a winner

**Congratulations
Maribeth Boshart!**

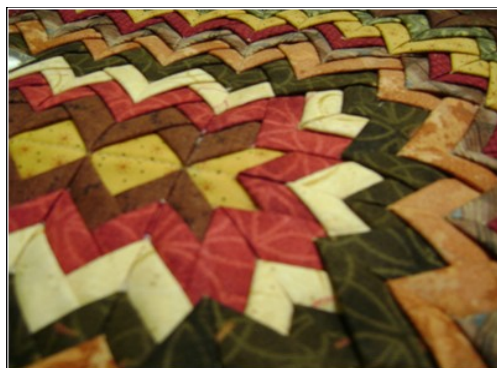
...your name has been drawn for the month of August. Her 6 fat quarters are on display in her sewing room, awaiting that next special project!

first get quilted first and last minute ones might miss out.

I also want to remind all of you that have loyalty cards that are full to come in before the end of the year to cash them in for your discount and get in the running for the year end draw. Its a good one— a Country Quilting \$100 gift certificate.

The winner of the August draw for 6 fat quarters was Maribeth Boshart. The winner of the October draw will be announced in the next newsletter. Stay tuned!

Eleven people have started this year's mystery quilt. October brings the first clue but they will be in suspense for awhile yet since the clues come once a month until the final clue in May. There is still time if you want to join the fun, email call or drop in and I can get you signed up.....the more the merrier.



New at Country Quilting I have some cute stuff in for making baby gifts and there are new notions come in and check them out. A new idea that I am trying to get started is a Stash Buster club. We would meet once a month to work on projects that use up your stash and small pieces. There will also be a stash swap, you put a piece in you take a piece out. I have the first project in mind it uses 3 1/2" and 3 7/8" blocks. There is no fee to join just a chance to get together with fellow quilters and use up our stashes. I am trying right now to set up times so please email, call or drop by if you are interested.

- Pam -

**Border Creek
Station Mystery
Quilt
is back!**

**There is still time to
sign up and get in on
the fun. Call, email
or stop in to get your
name on the list.**

It's a lot of fun!!!

Store Hours:

**Wednesday—Friday
10 a.m. till 5 p.m.
2nd Saturday of each month
9 a.m. till 12 noon.**

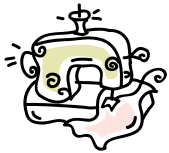
Homespun Happenings at Country Quilting!

Birthday Club

Country Quilting wants to
celebrate your birthday with
you!

Drop in, call or email and we will fill you in on
the fun details!!!

If you have not registered, don't delay!



Join the Stash Buster Club!

Country Quilting wants to help you use up
those odds and ends that are piling up at
home, be inspired by other quilters and enjoy
some social time!

If you are interested in joining in, call, email or
stop in at the store and find out more details.

Class Corner



HUNTER STAR TABLE RUNNER

Using the Rapid Fire Hunter's Star ruler,
we will make this beautiful table runner!

Fri Nov 2 and 9, at 9:30 a.m.



TOO MANY MEN

It's raining snowmen in this wall hanging/
small throw, perfect for winter!

Wed Nov 14 and 21, at 9:30 a.m.

Sign up today, you`ll be glad you did!

Contact us for the details or drop in to check
out our samples.

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Quilter Recipe Corner

Pumpkin Cupcakes

By Diana Rattray, About.com Guide

This fall season, enjoy these pumpkin
cupcakes with optional cream cheese
frosting.



Cook Time: 25 minutes

Total Time: 25 minutes

Ingredients:

- 2 1/4 cups all-purpose flour, sift before measuring
- 1 tablespoon baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon baking soda
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 3/4 teaspoon ground cinnamon
- 1/2 teaspoon ground ginger
- 1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
- 1/2 cup butter, softened
- 1 1/3 cups sugar
- 2 eggs, beaten until frothy
- 1 cup mashed cooked or canned pumpkin
- 3/4 cup milk
- 3/4 cup chopped walnuts or pecans

Preparation:

Sift together the flour, baking powder, baking soda, salt,
ginger, cinnamon, and nutmeg into a bowl. Cream butter
and sugar until light and fluffy; beat in eggs. Blend in
mashed pumpkin. Stir in the sifted dry ingredients alter-
nately with the milk, blending until batter is smooth after
each addition; stir in chopped walnuts or pecans. Spoon
batter into well-greased and floured or paper-lined muffin
pan cups. Fill about 2/3 full. Bake at 375° for 25 minutes,
or until a wooden pick or cake tester inserted in center
comes out clean. Frost with cream cheese frosting, whipped
cream, or leave plain. Makes about 24 cupcakes.

Quotes to Make Quilts By...

A Fat
Quarter is
NOT a
body part!

