



Patchfinders

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Workshop List January - March 2012

Opening Hours
Monday to Saturday
9.30am - 4.30 pm
Closed Sundays and
Bank Holidays

£11.00 per half day
£22.00 per full day

Tuesday 10th January

Activity Half Day with Jan Otty. This is our 'Your Choice' Workshop, Jan will help you with any project, or give you ideas to get you started. Afternoon only 1.30pm - 4.30pm. Suitable for any level.

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Strip Patchwork.

Can be sewn by Hand or Machine. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Friday 20th January

'Star Trails' with Betty Croke. A combination of blocks, using snail trail and two other triangle based blocks, to make a really attractive wall hanging or lap quilt. The colour combination can really make this design stand out.
Machine Sewn. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm

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'Big Baggy Bag' with Jean Turner WOW!! A big softie measuring approx 20" x 18". Single padded shoulder strap and a drawstring closure through either eyelets or buttonholes. Features 3 inside pockets and an optional "security bag" for your purse and keys. This is a really great bag for showcasing fabrics. **Cutting out & some sewing to do before attending the class.** Suitable for confident beginners upwards.
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Thursday 26th January

'Square Dance' with Jean Turner. A more intricate bag with an unusual shape. It has a very interesting construction together with the added attraction of beaded handles. Fully lined with 2 inside pockets & a magnetic closure. **Cutting out & some sewing to do at home before the class.** Suitable for intermediate level upwards. Machine Sewn . All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

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American Patchwork with templates.

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Thursday 2nd February

'Paws for thought' with Betty Croke. This quilt uses a traditional Bears Paw block with a more contemporary pieced block to make a lap quilt or wall hanging approx. 45" square. Again it is the combination of colours that make the design work.

Machine Sewn. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Friday 3rd February

Rose of Sharon with Margaret Jenkins. Traditional block with contemporary variations. Learn about transferring designs and a needle-turn appliqué technique. Suitable for a quilt block or cushion front.

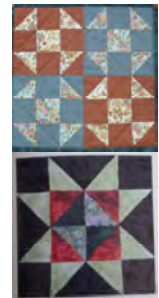
Hand Sewn. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Saturday 4th February

Machine Quilting with Betty Croke. Come along and spend a day learning how to use your machine and create a really professional look to your quilting. Betty will teach you the tricks of the trade. You will need a sewing machine, a walking foot and a free embroidery foot for this session. All Day. 10.00am - 4.00pm.



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Thursday 9th February

Crazy Patchwork with Margaret Jenkins. Have fun with this free-style block with embroidered embellishments. Suitable for a cushion or bag front or the beginning of a quilt!

Hand or machine Sewn. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

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Squares.

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'Strips 4' with Jan Otty. Themed on a traditional pattern, this quilt is very effective and looks more difficult than it is! **Some homework will be required before the workshop.**

Machine Sewn. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Friday 17th February

'Stripes and Something' with Margaret Jenkins. Make a lined bag with two types of pocket. Bag and pockets can be easily adapted to other sizes once you understand the principle of construction.

Best made by Machine but possible by hand. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Saturday 18th February

'Rather Pointy' with Betty Croke. This is a very dramatic wall hanging. Using contrasting fabrics to make a real statement piece! All done very accurately by foundation piecing on paper.

Machine Sewn. All day 10.00am - 4.00pm.



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Windfarm Cushion
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Windfarm Cushion with Jean Turner. Easy creation of windmill patterns using a cutting template - known as either tessellating or Flic Flac. Be careful with your preparation and you will achieve great results - it is very addictive!! **Some cutting out to do at home before attending the class.**

Suitable for those with a basic knowledge of patchwork piecing.

All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Friday 2nd March

Ribbon Maze with Betty Croke. Could be classed as stars or ribbons, depending on whether you are looking at the background or the foreground. It only takes three fabrics to make the maze pattern.

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Thursday 8th March

Garden for Any Season with Margaret Jenkins. Combination of machine appliqué and fabric folding make this a fun project for an experienced quilter. Can be made as pictured, or in a square format for a cushion cover.

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Stripped Patchwork

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Friday 16th March

Cathedral Window/ Secret Garden with Margaret Jenkins. An introduction to Cathedral Window, and its partner technique Secret Garden. It involves folding fabric and inserting contrast fabrics to peep through the windows. You will be able to make either two small mats or one larger one.

Hand Sewn with the option of some machine work.

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Curved Seam

Machine Sewn. All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.

Friday 30th March

Umbrella Wall Hanging with Jan Otty. An easy and fun wall hanging with some appliqué. Suitable for Beginners.

All Day 10.00am - 4.00pm.



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Umbrella Wall Hanging
Friday 30th March

**We will close for Christmas on Wednesday 21st December
at 4.30pm
And Re-open on
Tuesday 3rd January at 9.30am**

**Bookings will be taken
in person only
from 9.30am - 11.30am on
Tuesday 3rd January
From 11.30am by telephone and
in person**