

MARCH 2023

PVP DESCRIPTION OF CLASSES, ACTIVITIES and EVENTS

Announcements and SEW & TELL are held at 10 am on Tuesdays in the Club Room except on the day of General Meetings.

Club Room is available for Open Sewing during club hours unless a class, a special interest group event, or a General Meeting is scheduled. **Please check your calendar.**

THANKS to the Featherweight group for the lovely window display this month!



CHARITY QUILTS w/ Kimber Bellis

MARCH 1ST, 8TH, AND 15TH WEDNESDAYS 8-12 Piecemakers Room

Charity Quilts group meets the 1st, 2nd and 3rd Wednesdays of each month. Members work on making quilt tops, sandwiching and tying quilts to be given to various charities. We welcome ALL members to stop in and socialize while making quilts. This group is a great way to get to know other PVP members while making quilts for a good cause.

EMBROIDERY & HANDWORK GROUP w/ Linda Puttmann and Kathy Miller

MARCH 1ST WEDNESDAY 12-4pm Piecemakers Room

Meets the 1st Wednesday of each month 12-4pm

The group does handwork projects together (or optionally works on a personal handwork project), we learn techniques, and encourage each other. In 2023 our group projects will include English Paper Piecing, hand embroidery, and working with mediums such as colored pencils and color crayons. The group project is called, "Scrappy Animals". All PVP members are welcome. Linda sends materials via email.



HONOR BLOCK of the MONTH w/ Mary Roberts, Debbie Walsh, and Pam Boley

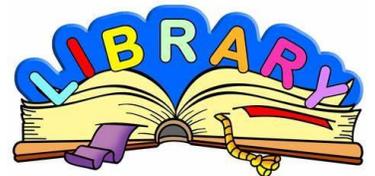
MARCH 2nd THURSDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

The Honor Block of the Month meets on the 1st Thursday of each month to make patriotic quilt blocks to be used in quilts donated to deserving veterans. Members will be given kits to make these blocks. Please bring your sewing machine and supplies. All are welcome.

LIBRARY CLEAN OUT – ALL DAY

MARCH 3rd FRIDAY 8AM-4PM

PVP volunteers will organize and clean out the PVP library.



CLASS: Beginner Needleturn Appliqué w/Ann Anderson

MARCH 6TH AND MARCH 13TH (two sessions) 8AM-NOON

The project is a Cutwork Appliqué Wall Hanging. We will make a small wall hanging (or pillow top) using two contrasting fabrics. We will use a cutwork appliqué process for simple, uncomplicated, and fun hand appliqué. No appliqué experience is necessary. You will learn to appliqué using the needleturn appliqué method. This beginner project will teach you the appliqué tack stitch, outside corners, inside corners, outside curves, and inside curves. We will also touch briefly on reverse appliqué.



ART GROUP w/ Jodi Davila and Elise Warren
MARCH 6th MONDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

Art Group meets the 1st Monday of each month from 12-4. The Art Quilt SIG will show completed Rock Stack, unfinished and finished, and wrap up what's in store for future meetings.



HAND APPLIQUE' GROUP w/Ann Anderson and Phyllis Samuelson
MARCH 7th TUESDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

This group meets the 1st Tuesday of each month. Ann and Phyllis have Hand Appliqued for many years and are happy to share their talents to help members improve their projects and hand skills. All interested in hand applique', stop by to learn and socialize.

FEATHERWEIGHT GROUP w/Lillian Schauer and Barb Childs
MARCH 8th WEDNESDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

The Featherweight Group meets the 2nd Wednesday of each month to discuss all things Featherweight. So, bring your machines and sewing supplies. If you are interested in joining Featherweight, please let Barb or Lillian know so they can add you to their email list. All members are welcome.



CLASS: WARMTH OF OUR STARS w/Fran Elliott continues
MARCH 9th 8-NOON Second Thursday of each month thru April 2023
Piecemakers Room

Members are continuing to make this beautiful quilt, section by section. Though the pattern suggests flannels, it can be made with any good quality cotton quilting fabric. Finished size is 88" x 88"
Purchase of the pattern will be required. Cost is approx. \$10, and details will be given upon class confirmation.

HONOR QUILT WORKSHOP w/Mary Roberts, Debbie Walsh, Pam Boley
MARCH 9th THURSDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

The Honor Quilt Workshop meets the 2nd Thursday of each month. Honor quilt group meets to assemble quilts using the "Honor Block of the Month" blocks. These quilts will be given at our Honor Quilt Presentations once a month (Oct – May) to combat veterans. All members are welcome.



GO GANG w/Mary Wandschneider and Jan Berndt
MARCH 11th SATURDAY 8-4 ALL DAY WORKSHOP Piecemakers Rm
We will be concentrating on making a House Wall Hanging for the Quilt Show Hall Way using the guidelines shown in instructions and sizes (as seen in our PVP room). As always, anyone can work on any project of their choosing. Suggest those attending bring food, drink, snacks and maybe something to share.

SHELTER BAGS w/Stephanie Scott

MARCH 13th MONDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

Shelter Bags group meets the 2nd Monday of each month. This group makes bags and totes for the New Life Center, a domestic violence shelter. All members are welcome to join in making totes for a worthy cause. Kits are also available for pickup in the club room.



SPRING LUNCHEON at PALM RIDGE SUMMIT ROOM

MARCH 14TH TUESDAY 12 NOON

The Spring Luncheon, *A Day at the Beach*, will be held on Tuesday, March 14, at Palm Ridge. Doors open at 11:30 and serving will be at noon. Ticket sales will continue every Tuesday morning until March 7. Luncheon tickets are \$15 paid by check only. Questions? Contact Judi at judilundstrom@live.com.

ROOM CLEANING w/ Bridget Crivello and Karen Clarke

MARCH 15th WEDNESDAY 12-2

Please consider helping out as we want the room to sparkle for the Honor Quilt presentation later that evening. If you are available to help, please contact Karen Clarke at 602-315-5561 so she knows how many to expect. The task only takes about 1 hour if we have a group of 4 or 5.



HONOR QUILT PRESENTATION w/Mary Roberts, Debbie Walsh, Pam Boley

MARCH 15th WEDNESDAY 6PM Piecemakers Room

Presentations are the 3rd Wednesday evening, Oct - May (excluding December) when we present quilts to veterans who have served in a combat zone. This is an evening where veterans are honored, and family and friends join us to show our appreciation for their service.

PVP members are encouraged to attend the presentation (guest welcome) and show their support and appreciation. PVP members are asked to bring cookies and snacks to share.

MINIATURES w/ Barb Shorty

MARCH 16th THURSDAY 12-4 Piecemakers Room

The Miniature Group meets the 3rd Thursday of each month. This group meets to work on small but wonderful projects. The group members will continue work on their mystery quilts. All are WELCOME.





EMBROIDERY BY MACHINE WORKSHOP w/Mary Roberts, Carol Sheler, & Jan Berndt

MARCH 18th SATURDAY 10-12 Piecemakers Room

This group meets the 3rd Saturday of each month to share machine embroidery techniques, resources, projects and inspire each other. Our learning topic for March is *All things Stabilizer and Threads* which will begin at 10am. We start gathering at 9:30am just to visit and be ready to start the meeting promptly at 10am. Members are encouraged to bring their projects and share with the group. For those that are

new to machine embroidery, we have lots of experienced help. We send out more detailed information via email to interested members. If you would like to be on our email list, please contact Mary Roberts at mustangmary2002@gmail.com.

MOD SQUAD REBELS w/Margaret Simmons & Sharon Root

MARCH 20th MONDAY 12-4PM Piecemakers Room

Mod Squad Rebels (MSR) is a group for PVP members interested in Modern Quilting techniques. This group meets the 3rd Monday of each month from 12-4. Boomerang (Trajectory) is a simple yet elegant block that lends itself to a variety of interesting layouts and color combinations. The project is made with 6" paper pieced finished blocks. It is scrap friendly with brights on a neutral/low value background. If you would like to be added to the email list for this group, contact Margaret Simmons at Dr.Simmons@cox.net.



Scissors Sharpening w/Mary Egan

MARCH 21st TUESDAY 8:30-10AM Studio A

Bring your scissors in for sharpening. Have your name on all scissors, must be clean, no curved-end or short-blade, small scissors. [Full guidelines can be found here.](#) We try to offer this service to members every 3rd Tuesday of the month. If Mary Egan cannot make it, Swanee Pringle will fill in.

CLASS: MIDI BAG w/Linda Gagnon

MARCH 21ST TUESDAY NOON-4PM

The Midi Bag is a medium-sized version of the larger Mondo Bag. The pattern calls for pre-printed fusible interfacing (which is included with the purchased pattern) and assorted 2 1/2" squares.





**PVP Wool Group w/Linda Puttmann & Marlys Stannebein
MARCH 22nd WEDNESDAY 12-4pm Piecemakers Room**

The group meets the 4th Wednesday of the month at noon. We work on projects as a group using wool, work on our own projects, learn techniques, and encourage each other. This year we will also continue working on hand embroidery stitches and creating our personal Stitch Guides. All PVP members are welcome. Linda sends materials via email.

**CLASS: MESH TOTE BAG w/Bonny Havican
MARCH 23RD THURSDAY 12-4pm Piecemakers Room**

Bonny Havican is back to teach another class for the popular Mesh Tote Bag. No pattern purchase is necessary. You will cut the pieces prior to class and Bonny will show you simple techniques to complete the bag. The tote makes a great gift for friends and family members and for you, a carrier to bring your Sew and Tell projects to PVP. A beginning quilter who has basic sewing skills can easily make this project.



**KUENTZ KAMP w/ Karen Justus & Bridget Crivello
MARCH 29th and 30th ALL DAY WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY**

Each Session is from 8 am to 8 pm each day. Members can bring their machines or do hand work. Attendees work on their own projects. Sign up **REQUIRED** to attend. Cost is \$5.00 for each session (checks please). If you drop out, payment is NOT refundable. If you have any questions, contact Karen Justus at imperialsweats@yahoo.com.