

Term 2 Class List

◆ PATCHWORK, QUILTING & SEWING

MACHINE QUILTING Michele Higgins \$50 per class	Walking Foot and Free-motion Foot Quilting Class - Do you know that there are many different ways you can quilt with a walking foot? In this class you will learn several different ideas that you may not have ever considered. You will also learn how to master quilting with a darning foot or free-motion foot. Once you learn how to free motion your imagination can run wild with what you will be able to do. You will be making samples for future reference.	Tuesday May 16 9.30am - 4pm
MIRABELLA BAG WORKSHOP Monica Poole \$40 per class <i>Plus bag requirements</i>	This versatile bag converts from a shoulder bag to a cute backpack. It has a secure zipper top closure, a set in zipper pocket on the front as well as pockets on the inside. I'll guide you through all of the steps as well as how to attach bag hardware for a professional looking bag. <i>Book early as the Bag Workshops always book out quickly. You will need to purchase your pattern and fabric.</i>	Thursday May 25 9.30am - 3pm
MYSTERY CHRISTMAS TABLE RUNNER Michele Higgins \$35 per class <i>Plus kit</i>	An exciting NEW Christmas Table Runner. Get something new ready for Christmas in July or nice & early for December. It will be a mystery until the day of the workshop. A wonderful surprise awaits! Morning tea included. <i>Please bring your sewing machine in good working order and all your sewing/patchwork equipment. There will be a kit to purchase on the day</i>	Friday June 30 9.30am - 1.30pm
JELLY ROLL OR LAYER CAKE SEWATHON Michele Higgins \$60 per class <i>Plus a Jelly Roll or Layer Cake of your choice</i>	Back by popular demand! Imagine all day of uninterrupted sewing whilst you whip up a fun and simple quilt top using a jelly roll. Michele will be offering a choice of 3 jelly roll quilt designs or a Drunkards Path quilt made from a Layer Cake. See our range of jelly rolls and layer cakes in store! The day includes a delicious morning tea, lunch and afternoon tea. The Hobbysew team are going to spoil you!	Friday June 16 9am - 4.30pm
FUN WITH STRIPES Michele Higgins \$50 per class <i>Plus fabric</i>	Levels upon levels, steps upon steps, these floating tile-like squares create a fun illusion of infinite depth. Upon looking at the quilt, it is like peering down at the earth while sailing amongst a sea of flying mats. This artistic optic illusion has been sculptured from one fabric, comprising of coloured stripes that have been cut and re-positioned to create a mosaic-like masterpiece. <i>When you book in for this class be sure to pick up a requirements list. Bring your lunch, morning tea will be provided.</i>	Friday May 19 9.30am - 4pm
BLUE HORIZONS 4 Michele Higgins \$35 per class <i>Plus kit (kit will be for the blocks ONLY)</i>	Quilt-as-you-go half square triangle sampler quilt. One of the most used quilt patches in quilts. Have some fun choosing a different layout for each of 8 blocks. This is the 4th class to learn how to complete this quilt. <i>You need to have done class 1-3 of the Blue Horizons class.</i>	Friday May 5 9.30am - 1.30pm
PERFECT CIRCLES AS PER KAREN KAY BUCKLEY Deb Cattanach \$25 per class <i>Fabric extra</i>	Circles are easy to sew when you know how. They can be used in the centre of flowers or on their own as a great way to use up scraps. This is a hand sewing method using Karen Kay Buckley's Perfect Circles. <i>Make sure you pick up a requirements list when you book into this class.</i>	Friday Mar 24 9.30am - 12.30pm
CANDLEWICKING Deb Cattanach \$35 plus \$15 kit	Come and learn the techniques for candlewicking. This is a hand sewing class where you will learn to master colonial knots, outline stitch and satin stitch, which are the basics stitches used in candlewicking.	Monday Mar 20 9.30am - 1.30pm
PIPED CUSHION WITH APPLIQUE Carmel Reidy \$35 per class <i>Fabric extra</i>	This class is a great way to learn more about your sewing machine, whilst making a fun cushion with Carmel. You'll learn the basics of machine appliqué from the correct needles to tension, stabiliser and stitch selection. <i>Please bring your sewing machine in good working order as well as all accessories, feet & instruction manual. Drop into the shop to pick up a requirements list and your fabric.</i>	Saturday May 20 9.30am - 1.30pm
CLEVER CROCHET AND CLOTH BAG Deb Cattanach \$60 for 2 classes <i>Plus materials</i>	This is a handy little bag in which a basic understanding of crochet is required. Week 1 is crochet week. Week 2 the bag is machined pieced together. Basic crochet skills are necessary to do this class. Call into the store for a requirements list.	Saturday Mar 18 & Apr 1 9.30am - 12.30pm
QUILTING FOOT CLASS Michele Higgins \$45 per class <i>Fabric extra</i>	Join this class to learn some different ways in which to use your Janome Convertible free motion foot with the quilt frame foot attachment. This class will really open up a whole new way of quilting. <i>Please bring your sewing machine in good working order and all sewing/patchwork equipment. You will need the Janome Convertible Free Motion Foot & Quilt Frame Foot to do this class. Be sure to pick up a requirements list when you book into this class.</i>	Friday Jun 2 9.30am - 3.30pm
BLOCKS, BLOCKS & MORE BLOCKS Michele Higgins \$25 per class <i>Fabrics extra</i>	Join this fun and friendly group. Each class we will be making a quilt block and learning new techniques. You can use your blocks for anything you wish e.g. a table runner, cushions or join your blocks together to make a sampler quilt. Alternatively, bring in a project of your choice that you would like to complete. This is an on going class that you can join at anytime. <i>Please bring your sewing machine and sewing equipment.</i>	Mondays fortnightly Apr 3 May 1, 15 & 29 Jun 26 9.30am - 12.30pm
BLOCKS CONTINUED Michele Higgins \$25 per class <i>Fabrics extra</i>	Join this fun and friendly group! Each class we will be making a quilt block and learning new techniques. You can use your blocks for anything you wish e.g. table runner, cushions or join your blocks together to make a sampler quilt. Alternatively, bring in a project of your choice that you would like to complete. This is an on going class that you can join at anytime.	Mondays fortnightly Apr 3 May 1, 15 & 29 Jun 26 1pm - 4pm
BEGINNER'S SAMPLER - MORNING Michele Higgins \$25 per class <i>Fabrics extra</i>	The best way to learn patchwork is to make a sampler quilt! This is a fun way to learn how to make different types of blocks. Michele will teach you basic skills in cutting and machine piecing. You will achieve a 6 block lap quilt top in 6 classes or you can keep going to make a bigger quilt. This is an on going class so you can start this class at any time. <i>Please bring your sewing machine and sewing equipment, pick up a requirements list in store.</i>	Mondays fortnightly Apr 10 & 24 May 8 & 22 Jun 5 & 19 9.30am - 12.30pm
BEGINNER'S SAMPLER - AFTERNOON Michele Higgins \$25 per class <i>Fabrics extra</i>	The best way to learn patchwork is to make a sampler quilt! This is a fun way to learn how to make different types of blocks. Michele will teach you basic skills in cutting and machine piecing. You will achieve a 6 block lap quilt top in 6 classes or you can keep going to make a bigger quilt. This is an on going class, you can join at anytime. <i>Please bring your sewing machine and sewing equipment, pick up a requirements list in store.</i>	Mondays fortnightly Apr 10 & 24 May 8 & 22 Jun 5 & 19 1pm - 4pm
QUILT AND SEW WITH MONICA - TUESDAYS Monica Poole \$40 per class <i>Patterns and fabrics extra</i>	Enjoy a fun and social day sewing in a light and bright friendly atmosphere. Monica has over 90 sewing patterns ranging from quilt-as-you-go quilts, handbags and simple clothing patterns for women and children, just choose one and she'll help you make it or complete a project that you've already started. This is an on going class that you can join at anytime. Bring your sewing machine and your sewing equipment. <i>Hobbysew stock a large range of Monica Poole sewing patterns. Drop into the shop to choose your pattern and fabric, perhaps get cut out and ready to sew. You can see all of her designs at moonshinebymonicapoole.typepad.com</i>	Tuesdays May 23, Jun 27 9.30am - 3pm

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PATCH N QUILT WITH MICHELE Michele Higgins \$25 per class Fabrics extra	Michele is our expert patchwork and quilting tutor and is happy to help you along your way with lots of guidance and an abundance of inspiration. <i>Please bring your sewing machine in good working order and general sewing supplies. Please note: This class is currently booked out but you can put your name on the waiting list.</i>	Fridays fortnightly Apr 7, 21 & 28 May 12 & 26 Jun 9 & 23 9.30am – 12.30pm
ALL THINGS QUILTING Michele Higgins \$25 per class Fabric and patterns extra	Come and join this friendly group and complete an unfinished quilting project; Or if you have seen a quilt that you would like to make but don't know where to start, bring it along to this class and let Michele guide you. <i>Please bring your sewing machine in good working order and all sewing equipment.</i>	Fridays fortnightly Apr 7, 21 & 28 May 12 & 26 Jun 9 & 23 1pm – 4pm

✂ SOCIAL CLUBS *Please bring your machine and sewing equipment*

SOCIAL QUILTING SATURDAYS Michele Higgins \$35 per class Plus fabrics	For all you ladies that are busy during the week we have "Social Quilting" with Michele fortnightly on a Saturday afternoon. Want to learn quilting but not sure where to start or need help finishing a project or perhaps you're just looking for a friendly quilting group and would like to learn some new techniques. Michele is our expert patchwork and quilting tutor and is happy to help you along your way with lots of guidance and an abundance of inspiration. <i>Keep up to date, LIKE our page: www.facebook.com/ErinaHobbysew</i>	Saturday fortnightly Apr 29, May 13 & 27, Jun 10 & 24 9.30am – 12.30pm
TUESDAY SOCIAL CLUB N/A \$15 per class	Come along for a day of social sewing and bring whatever you are currently working on. This runs once a month on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. <i>Please book in as there are limited places for this day.</i>	2nd Tuesday of the month Apr 11, May 9, Jun 13 9.30am – 3pm
THURSDAY SOCIAL CLUB N/A \$15 per class	Come along for a day of social sewing and bring whatever you are currently working on. This runs once a month on the 2nd Thursday of the month. <i>Please book in as there are limited places for this day.</i>	2nd Thursday of each month Apr 13, May 11, Jun 8 9.30am – 3pm

◆ HAND SEWING

HAND SEWING CIRCLE Deb Cattanach \$25 per class Fabrics extra	This group is for those that enjoy the peaceful satisfaction of hand-sewing. Deb is our expert hand sewing tutor and can teach sashiko, candle wicking, needle turn appliqué, English paper piecing and hand quilting. We are also pleased to offer The Dear Jane quilt in this class. You can join this friendly group at any time. <i>To make the Dear Jane Quilt, it is a requirement that you purchase the Dear Jane book.</i>	Monday fortnightly May 8 & 22 Jun 5 & 19 1pm – 4pm
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✂ MACHINE *Please bring your machine and accessories in good working order*

INFORMATION SESSION - JANOME MC9400QCP & SKYLINE S9 Isabella Ceravelo FREE	FREE information session on the 2 newest Janome models, the Skyline S9 (Embroidery & Sewing) as well as the amazing new Quilting machine MC9400QCP. Come & see what these 2 machines are capable of as well as the fabulous new features. This presentation will be done by Isabella who is the Janome educator so knows these machines exceptionally well. <i>You will need to book into this information session as we need to know numbers well in advance for seating.</i>	Wednesday March 15 10am – 12pm
FOOT TECHNIQUES Liz Daniel \$30 per class	This class is designed to teach you all about your feet, some of which may come with your machine already. We will concentrate on 1 particular foot each month. This will be a fun class where we will explore the possibilities of your machine as well as your feet. You can create a reference book with these samples. <i>Book in early as this will be popular as it is a new class.</i>	1st Tuesday of the month Apr 4 (No classes in May and June) 9.30am – 12.30pm
GET TO KNOW YOUR SEWING MACHINE STAGE 1 Carmel Reidy \$35 per workshop Includes kit	In this class you will learn general maintenance and features/functions of your sewing machine. You will also learn the correct use of feet and accessories that came with your machine. We will go through different techniques of your utility stitches, using straight stitch, zig-zag seam and overcast, (overlock) blind hem and buttonholes. After this class you will feel competent in using your sewing machine and ready to move onto Stage 2. <i>Please bring your machine and accessories in good working order, manual, and ALL accessories.</i>	Apr: Sat 8, Thur Apr 20 Apr: Sat 3, Thurs 15 9.30am – 12.30pm
GET TO KNOW YOUR SEWING MACHINE STAGE 2 Carmel Reidy \$35 per workshop Includes kit	After you have completed Stage 1, you will be ready to learn how easy it is to sew neat zippers including dress and invisible zips. You will also learn different twin needle applications, appliqué techniques, easy strip quilting techniques and more using some of your decorative stitches. <i>Please bring your machine and accessories in good working order, manual, and ALL accessories.</i>	Wed Apr 5 May: Thur 4, Sat 6 Jun: Thur 22 9.30am – 12.30pm
KNOW YOUR OVERLOCKER STAGE 1 Carmel Reidy \$35 per workshop Includes kit	In this class you will learn all the basics plus tips and tricks of your overlocker. We will cover maintenance, threading, tension, understanding your balanced stitch as well as differential feed. We will also cover overlocking techniques for starting and finishing garments, inside and outside corners and edging curves. <i>Please bring your overlocker in good working order plus your instruction manual & all accessories.</i>	Mar: Thurs 16, Sat 25 Apr: Wed 12, Sat 22 May: Thur 18 Jun: Sat 17, Thur 29 9.30am – 12.30pm
KNOW YOUR OVERLOCKER STAGE 2 Carmel Reidy \$35 per workshop Includes kit	After completing Stage 1 you are now ready to tackle some creative tasks like narrow hem, rolled hem, pintuck, picot hem, flat lock hemming, flat joining patchwork using decorative threads as well as elastic application. You should be able to complete most tasks with your 4 thread overlocker. <i>Please bring your overlocker in good working order plus your instruction manual and all accessories.</i>	Mar: Thurs 23 Apr: Wed 19 Jun: Thur 1, Wed 21 9.30am – 12.30pm

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DAYS FOR GIRLS TRAINING DAY Teachers from the Days for Girls Avoca Beach Team FREE Registration required as a 6 person class limit applies	This is a FREE training day. Learn how to make reusable feminine hygiene kits for the Days for Girls program, helping to empower girls and women worldwide with access to quality, sustainable feminine hygiene (learn more at daysforgirls.org). Students will be provided with a DFG training kit consisting of a shield and pocket pattern template, sufficient precut and washed fabric shields ready for assembly (2), flannelette liners and hot spot inserts. Volunteers needed for this training day will have an interest in continuing to make these kits at home. <i>Please bring your own sewing machine.</i>	Wednesdays monthly Mar 29, Apr 26, May 31, Jun 28 9.30am – 12.30pm
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----- BOOKING POLICY -----

• A 50% minimum deposit is required when booking a workshop. Cancellation of any workshop classes, needs to be at least 10 days prior to commencement of class, cancellation within 10 days will incur loss of deposit. Any cancellation after commencement of classes, a full fee is applicable, as this affects other attendees who have already bought product to attend class program. Balance payable before commencement of first session. Once workshop has commenced no payments will be refunded.

- Unless otherwise stated, in any classes using sewing machines, it is assumed you have a working knowledge of your own machine and all the parts required for that class. Please check that you have the power cords when you pack.
- Times and dates of classes may be subject to change. All classes are offered in good faith. A minimum class size must be reached before any class can go ahead. Please check with the shop 7 days before the class is due to start. It is very important to us that you do not invest a lot of money in class supplies until we are sure that the class will go ahead.