

Bound To Be Quilting Retreat



Information Letter

Join the Bound To Be Quilting retreat hosted by Pat Syta, formerly of Armstrong Creek and a nationally known quilt pattern and fabric designer, instructor, and lecturer. Pat, along with business partner Mimi Hollenbaugh, owns Bound To Be Quilting pattern design company. They work with nationally known fabric companies designing patterns for their fabric lines. Recently they designed their own line of batik fabric called Stargazer and are currently working on their next line.

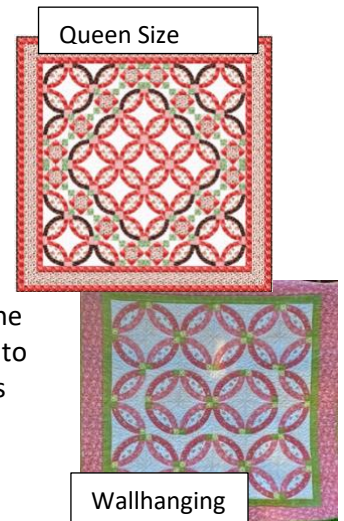
The retreat will be held October 12, 13, and 14, 2023 at the Armstrong Creek Community Center. Pat will be teaching two classes and finishing with a lecture/trunk show on Saturday starting at 3:30. Pat has taught for many years in Alaska, is teaching via zoom and in person in Colorado, Wyoming, and Nebraska this summer. She has been actively involved in numerous guilds, and Mission Quilters at her church. She takes quilting classes from other teachers whenever she can work it in. Quilting is sharing and that is what Pat likes to do best.



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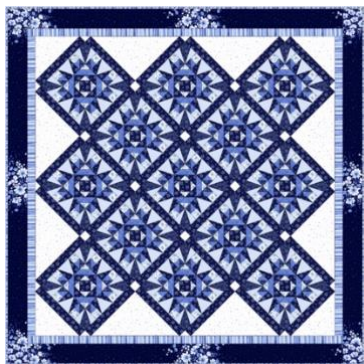
October 12th Class Curved Piecing Without Pins

Pat discovered these templates designed by Quilter's Paradise by accident and loves to share how easy curves can be to sew with them. They make Wedding Rings, Drunkard's Path, Glorified Nine Patch and many other curved quilt blocks come together easily and without "bad words"! Pat will teach the wedding ring pattern using the template set which is included in the price of the class. She will also demo other curved pieced blocks in class. You can choose to make a queen, lap or wall hanging in this class. Additional patterns and templates will be available to purchase as well.



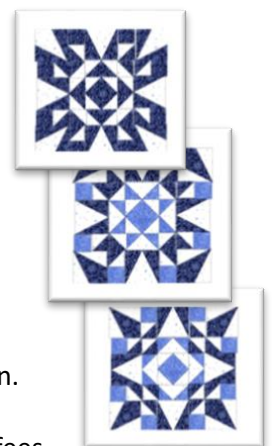
Queen Size

Wallhanging



October 13 & 14th Six Technique Quilt Block

Pat designed this block to teach different techniques for the most popular quilt block units quilters use. She teaches a variety of ways to make these blocks, but her first love is sharing the use of Studio 180/Deb Tucker rulers to make these blocks very accurate and a much faster way to assemble your quilt top. The beauty of this designed block is once you have your units sewn, you will be able to make dozens of different layouts and create your own personalize quilt top. You then have an original, made by you quilt! Rulers are discounted to Pat's purchase price just for the class. Pat receives no commissions on these rulers but loves to share new things with folks that make quilting more fun.



Fees are based on rental, lunch, products, and misc. retreat preparatory supplies. A portion of retreat fees will be donated to the Goodman-Armstrong Rescue Squad after expenses are paid.

Refunds: A 50% deposit is due upon registration to hold your place. If you are unable to attend it would be appreciated if you could find a replacement or check to see if there is a wait list. Refunds will be granted until September 15th and after September 16th only 25% will be refunded as a commitment will have been made for expenses incurred.

SET UP will start any time after 8:00 AM on the morning of class. Coffee, tea, water will be provided. If you want to bring a snack to share, please do so, or a special beverage. I prefer no alcoholic beverages be brought to class, but you may imbibe during dinner which is on your own expense. There are places in Armstrong and Goodman (5 miles away) to have dinner should you wish to come back for Open Sew.

Open Sew – will be held if five or more sign up. Otherwise, we will close and lock the building at 5 PM for the night.

Lodging: If coming from afar and want to just stay in the area, there are several cabin/houses AirBnB's to stay at. If interested I might be able to assist with a few names. There are motels about 30 miles away.

Lecture/Trunk Show: Pat will show several the business quilts designed during the past 7 years and speak to her journey through the design process. She will also touch upon how batiks are made in Indonesia and the time-consuming, labor-intensive process that takes place. She invites the quilters in the region to join in a show n tell of their own. This event will be fee based (registered class quilters will be free) with guests paying \$5.00 to enter and all funds will be donated to the Goodman-Armstrong Rescue Squad.

Questions/Comments: Email: info@boundtobequiting.com

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Time Zone: Mountain Time