

Atlantic FABRICS

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discover your creative side

Creative Class Schedule Winter 2018 Dartmouth

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FOR THE LOVE OF SEWING



Atlantic Fabrics is the exclusive Nova Scotia dealer for Baby Lock Sewing Machines, Sergers & Embroidery Machines.

Come in, sit down & try one today!

Join us for

SEW SOCIAL

The classroom is available for you to create all day with like-minded individuals.

Drop in for a couple of hours or the full day.

This is a non instructor class.

Sundays 12:15 – 4:45

January 21, February 11

March 11, March 25

Mondays 9:15- 4:45

January 15, 22, 29

February 12, 26

March 19, 26

5.00



share the warmth

Join us for a day each month to get a jump on the
2018 Share the Warm Charity Quilts

Fridays 9:15-4:45

January 5

February 2

March 2

Baby Lock Owner Classes

One morning and one evening each month we are pleased to offer new owner classes for our customers who purchase a Baby Lock Machine.

Class is complimentary with purchase.

Mondays 9:00 am:

January 8, February 5

March 5, April 10

Thursdays 7:00 pm:

January 11, February 8

March 8, April 5



FOR THE LOVE OF SEWING

SEWING BASICS

Beginner Sewing

Fay Gunter

Learn how to choose a pattern, pattern terminology, threading and operation of your sewing machine, fabric selection, basic seam finishes and construction of pajamas, following a pattern.

Choose a series:

Wednesdays 1:00-3:30 or

Wednesdays 6:15-8:45

Jan 31, Feb 7 & 14

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Beginner Sewing 2

Fay Gunter

For those students who have completed Beginner 1, or who want to have a refresher course – choose a simple project and build your sewing skills.

Choose a series:

Wednesdays 1:00-3:30 or

Wednesdays 6:15-8:45

Feb 21, 28 & Mar 7

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Beginner Sewing 3

Fay Gunter

For those students who have completed Beginner 2 in the Fall Semester. Take your sewing to the next level and learn some advanced techniques. Graduate to independent sewing.

Wednesdays 6:15-8:45

January 10, 17 & 24

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Pick-a-Project

Fay Gunter

Join Fay to complete that project that you just can't wait to finish. Basic sewing skills required. Choose one of three series:

Mondays 6:15-8:45:

- January 8, 15 & 22
- Jan 29, Feb 5 & 12
- Feb 26, Mar 5 & 19

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Demystifying Your Machine

Fay Gunter

Over the three weeks you'll have an overview of your machine; explore the basic feet and their uses – blind hem foot, walking foot, rolled hem foot, buttonhole foot, sewing on buttons by machine, over-edge & appliqué foot. Then in the final class find out about all the specialty feet and attachments – zipper foot, invisible zipper foot, piping, cording, ruffler attachment, walking foot and other specialty feet that are available.

Ask for supply list when registering.

Tuesdays 6:15-8:45

Jan 9, 16 & 23

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

CHILDREN'S CLASSES

Children's Pick-a-Project

Diane Chase

Choose a project with the instructor's assistance, tailored to your skill level, and let her guide you through the process from start to finish. Six student maximum.

Saturdays 1:00-3:00

Four series of three sessions:

- Jan 6, 13 & 20
- Jan 27, Feb 3 & 10
- Feb 17, 24 & Mar 3
- Mar 10, 24 & 31

Non Member \$60/ Member \$50

Children's Crochet Club

Emily Hudson

Spend a few hours on Saturday mornings creating fantastic creatures & crafts with crochet!

Saturdays 9:00-11:00

- January 6, 13 & 20
- January 27, February 3 & 10
- March 3, 10 & 24

Three 2hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

March Break Sewing Series – It's in the bag...

Stephanie Jackson

Learn some basic machine sewing techniques creating these fun & useful projects. Ask for a supply list when registering.

- Monday & Tuesday: Travel bag - pockets, zippers, velcro; lots of storage, but rolls up nicely as a space saver.
- Wednesday: pillow case & circular "stuff" bag
- Thursday: hipster purse
- Friday: drawstring backpack

Monday thru Friday 9:00-12:00

March 12 -16

Five 3 hr sessions

Non-member \$120/ Member \$100

Little Dresses for Africa



Come join us to make simple little dresses and shorts for the millions of orphans in Africa. Over the last 4 years, we have sent over 2000 articles of clothing to Africa. Come for a few hours or spend the day. 10 AM – 4PM for our workshops. Patterns and most supplies are available. If you don't wish to sew, cutting out patterns would also be most helpful. If you don't wish to stay we would be very pleased to accept completed garments. Donations of clean cotton fabrics would also be most appreciated. For more information, please contact Waneta at grammieh2007@gmail.com. Hope to see you at one of our workshops!

Friday, January 26

Friday February 22

SERGER

Beginner Serger

Fay Gunter

No previous serger experience necessary. Students learn how a serger works, how to correct stitch/tension problems on the Overlock stitch and how to use a serger effectively in garment construction. Ask for supply list when registering
Tuesday, Jan 23 6:15-8:45

One 2.5 hr. session

Non-Member \$25 / Member \$20

Intermediate Serger

Fay Gunter

Expand your basic knowledge with flat locking, rolled hems and other serger applications beyond the basics. Minimum Beginner serger required. Ask for supply list when registering.
Tuesday, Jan 30, 6:15-8:45

One 2.5 hr. session

Non-Member \$25 / Member \$20

Advanced Serger

Fay Gunter

The next step for beginners, take all of your skills from the first two classes and apply them to your tote, T-shirt or sweatshirt. Ask for supply list when registering

Tuesdays 6:15-8:45

February 6 & 13

Two 2.5 hr sessions

Non-member \$40/ Member \$35

Bathing Suit / Active Wear

Fay Gunter

Create your own swim suit for your winter escape!! Learn to work with two-way stretch fabrics, elastic applications and so much more.

Tuesdays 6:15-8:45

Feb 20, 27 & Mar 6

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

TRIUMPH

The Triumph conquers serging in a way you never thought possible thanks to RevolutionAir threading. Thread the loopers with just the touch of a button and then thread the needles automatically with the touch of another button! You'll have more time to focus on your creativity than worrying about setting up your machine. The Triumph also has all the features you've come to expect from Baby Lock Sergers that make all your creative dreams a reality.



TRY IT TODAY!



FOR THE LOVE OF SEWING

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Current Frequent Shopper Rewards Card Holder

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merchandise*

10% off Value Priced
Merchandise*

5% off Sale Prices, Classes*

Earn Rewards points

See in store brochure for full list of terms
and conditions.

*some exclusions may apply



EMBROIDERY

Machine Embroidery Club

Ken Grantham

Have you have made the investment into an amazing embroidery machine, but find you are not using it as much as you could be? Maybe you just don't know where to start and are overwhelmed.

Join us for this monthly information session on machine embroidery. We'll choose projects for the season or ones that feature a variety of techniques.

Fridays 10:00– 3:00

Jan 19, Feb 16, Mar 23, Apr 20

Four 5 hr. sessions

Non-Member \$100 Member \$80

Embroidery Machine

Edge to Edge Quilting

Fay Gunter

This is a class using your embroidery machine and an "Edge-to-Edge Quilting" CD giving you the results of long arm quilting but using your embroidery machine and hoops!! Ask for a supply list when registering.

Wednesdays 1:00-3:30

Jan 10, 17 & 24

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

HOME DÉCOR

Smocked Throw Cushion

Emily Hall

Learn the basics of smocking while you create a stylish throw cushion (likely one of many). Ask for a supply list when registering.

Friday 6:15-8:45

February 2 & 9

Two 2.5 hr sessions

Non-member \$40/ Member \$35



HQ Simply Sixteen™

MACHINE FEATURES

- Ergonomic front handlebars with touchscreen control
- 1,800 stitches per minute
- LED light ring
- Handi Feet mount with quarter-inch ruler foot installed; open-toe foot included
- Two modes of HQ stitch regulation: Precision and Cruise
- Manual mode with two customizable preset speeds
- Consistent stitch quality from 4 to 18 stitches per inch
- Needle-stop positioning control
- High-speed rotary hook with large-capacity M-class bobbin
- Easy needle change with ergonomic thumb screw
- Five large-capacity M-class bobbins, 20 needles, sample thread pack
- Quilting alarm and project timer
- Built-in diagnostics

FRAME FEATURES

- Innovative quilt clamp management system: 6 Easy-Grasp Quilt Clamps, 1 HQ Super Quilt Clamp, and 6 Hold-Tight Clamps
- Accommodates any size quilt
- 5-foot free-standing frame
- Adjustable legs for easy height customization
- Easy-assembly professional-grade system made of high quality steel
- Leveling feet adjust to floor surfaces

Book your demonstration today!

QUILTING

Bring Your Own Quilt Project Series

Ken Grantham

Choose from:

Tuesdays 10am – 3pm

- Jan 16, 23, 30 & Feb 6
- Feb 13, 20, 27 & Mar 6
- Mar 10, 27, Apr 3 & 10

Thursdays 10 am – 3 pm

- Jan 18, 25, Feb 1 & 8
- Feb 15, 22, Mar 1 & 8
- Mar 22, 29, Apr 5 & 13

Four 5 hr sessions

Non-Member \$100 Member \$80

Bring Your Own Quilt Projects

Heather Brown

Bring your own projects old or new, to this great night of quilting, sharing and “sew” much more.

.Sundays 1:00 -3:30 pm

- January 14
- January 28
- February 4
- March 4
- March 18
- April 9

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60 Member \$50

Beginner Quilting Heather Brown

This simple block table topper will be a great start toward learning to quilt. We will learn to use a rotary cutter and mat, cutting, piecing, sandwiching, quilting and binding. Ask for supply list when registering.

Thursday 6:15-8:45

Jan 11, 18 & 25

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Beginner Quilting 2

Heather Brown

For those students who have completed Beginner Quilting 1, or who want to have a refresher course – choose a simple project and build your quilting skills.

Thursday 6:15-8:45

Mar 15, 22 & 29

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Quilted Pillow Projects

Anja Clyke

Learn some basic quilting techniques while creating some fun and attractive quilt block pillow projects. Ask for a supply list when registering.

Fridays 6:15-8:45

Jan 12, 19 & 26

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Triangle Quilt

Anja Clyke

You will be amazed how easily this beautiful quilt goes together!

Thursdays 6:15-8:45

Feb 15, 22 & Mar 1

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50



Calling All Knitters!

The IWK Health Centre is hoping to provide every newborn whose parents or caregivers receive education about the *Period of PURPLE Crying* with a purple hat to take home with them. In order to make this happen, we need volunteers to help us knit these hats. If you are a knitter, know a knitter or know someone who knows a knitter, please tell them about this project!

For a knitting pattern, additional knitting instructions and information on where to send the hat(s) once complete, please visit www.iwk.nshealth.ca and click on “Auxiliary of the IWK.”

Exploring Machine Quilting 1

Ken Grantham

Find out how to add an extra layer of depth and color to your next machine quilted project. Whether it is a garment, wall hanging, or quilt, you can change flat to fantastic. Explore easy to do free motion machine techniques, as well as examining machine guided methods. Fast marking procedures for those who don't have time to fuss. Also, quick no mark versatile borders with many design possibilities. You'll look at machine quilting in a whole new light and create your own quilting patterns in a fraction of the time that fit any space.

Ask for supply list when registering

Friday 10:00-3:00 Feb 9th

One 5hr session

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Exploring Machine Quilting 2

Ken Grantham

Take the next step in machine quilting with this class featuring feathers, ferns and fillers. Find out all of the fantastic things you can do with feathers, how they fit into any shape, from the classic to the playful, we'll try them all.

Ask for supply list when registering

Friday 10:00-3:00 March 9th

One 5hr session

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

CRAFTS

Hand Embroidery

Emily Hall

Learn some basic embroidery techniques and create some samplers. Explore independent stitching, running stitches and decorative knots. Ask for a supply list when registering.

Fridays 6:15-8:45

Feb 23, Mar 2 & 9

Three 2.5hr sessions

Non-member \$60/ Member \$50

Atlantic Fabrics Creative Class Terms & Conditions

Class Registration Information

- Payment in full is required upon registration in order to secure your space.
- Classes require a minimum of 4 students. Maximum varies based on the class.
- Class fees do not include HST, fabric and supplies unless otherwise noted.
- Upon registration you will receive a supply list outlining what you require for class.
- Sewing classes require that you bring your own sewing machine and/or serger (in good working order) and a basic sewing kit. Basic Sewing Kit consists of: needles (hand and machine), thread, seam ripper, scissors, straight pins, pencil/pen and paper. Additional supplies required, including fabrics, will be stated on your list.
- Basic sewing Kits are available for purchase. Sewing machines are available to rent for \$7 per session. Bobbin and needle included. Thread sold separately.
- Classroom is open 15 minutes before class – Please arrive early to get organized.
- Atlantic Fabrics Creative Classes are SCENT FREE due to severe allergic reactions. We ask that you please refrain from wearing perfumes and cosmetic scents, as well as using spray adhesives and other strongly scented items in class.

Class Cancellation Policy:

- One (1) week advanced notice required for a full refund of class registration.
- Students will receive one (1) week advanced notice and full refund on class fees should the class be cancelled due to insufficient registration numbers. Refunds will only be issued within 30 days of the original class start date.
- We suggest waiting for confirmation that the class has sufficient registrations to go ahead before purchasing fabrics and supplies, as some items may be non-refundable.