

Academy 2009

November 5, 6, and 7th, 2009



Three full days of exciting classes

Thursday November 5th, your choice:

Stitching with Patti Dockus:

Discover how to use threads to turn an ordinary outline design into an extraordinary one! See how different a design can look when you go 3-D! A new way of embroidering that you have not seen or thought about will be introduced. You don't even need special 3D glasses to attend this class!

AND

Does trying to figure out what to do with a "blank" cause you a blankety-blank moment? Come to this class and let us fill you up with ideas! Complete a fun, personalized "blank" project using provided software. Never be blank again!

OR

Digitizing and EQ6 with Lynda Remmers and Annie Moody:

Lynda and Annie from Hoopsisters will take you thru Digitizer MB or Jr. by Janome. Get the basics of this amazing software! The Hoopsisters use this, and other brands of digitizing software PLUS Electric Quilt 6 to create EmbroidaBlock designs. Learn how to create your embroidery design in EQ, then how to digitize it using Digitizer MB!

Friday November 6th

Holiday Table Runner with the Hoopsisters!

Lynda and Annie will teach a Holiday Table Runner class using your choice of Hoopsisters blocks. Learn two great ways to join our quilt as you go blocks. You'll complete this project in class and take it home just in time to decorate for the holidays. A special block will be created just for Academy students!

Saturday November 7th

Angie will teach "Students Choice" at the Academy this year. Choose from 5 of her fabulous designs to stitch in class. We don't expect you to complete a quilt in just one day, but you will leave with an understanding of Angie's methods and a great start on a fun new project.

Patti Dockus

Patti opened Quilter's Destination in Arlington Heights, IL in September, 2006 after a long career in Corporate America as an information technology manager. She began sewing in third grade by hand, making her own Barbie clothes and by machine when her girlfriend taught her in 6th grade. She has experience in tailored sewing (think suits and coats), as well as home decor and fashion sewing. Her love in more recent years has been quilting. She can't think of a more fulfilling job than being a full time fabric buyer and seller!



Over five years ago, sisters Lynda Remmers and Annie Moody were at a sewing getaway with friends. While Lynda digitized a wall hanging for her family room, Annie worked on a crazy quilt pattern. Some late nights were spent discussing the possibilities of this new quilt technique. Lynda went home and began teaching the technique to her customers at Sewing Concepts in Woodstock Illinois and Annie, an Educator with Janome America, Inc. began teaching it across the United States. Everywhere Annie went her students wanted to know where they can get more patterns and Lynda's customers couldn't wait to see what she came up with next. Lynda and Annie decided these patterns needed to be shared with everybody and they were inspired to design more.



Angie Stevesen began sewing as a young girl thru the 4-H program. As an adult she rediscovered sewing and began her appreciation for quilting in 1990. Angie enjoys many of the aspects of quilting, but mostly design and color. After the purchase of her first embroidery machine she became fascinated with incorporating the embroidery function of the machine with quilting. "I have developed beautiful machine appliques with the machine doing all the work". Angie has been instructing others in quilting since 2004. She started teaching with her original quilt, Merry Christmas, and have loved every moment. Her two goals for students are for them to learn something new and to have fun in class. The Sunflower Quilt Design received the "Viewers Choice Award" at the Bernina University 2006.

The Chicago Sewing and Embroidery Academy

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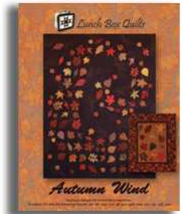
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Thursday's event Choose One
 Digitizing and EQ
 Stitching with Patti

Angie's Choice: Choose one below



Autumn Wind



Everything Baby



Halloween Fun



Hearts and Stars



Merry Christmas

Bring in or mail registration to:

Sewing Concepts
 110 S. Johnson St.
 Woodstock, IL. 60098
 (815) 338-7754

Register on or before October 15th \$379.00

Register after October 15th \$429.00

Fax (815) 338-7783

Total: _____

Academy Classes:

- Join Lynda Remmers and Annie Moody from Hoopsisters.com plus Patti Dockus from Quilter's Destination for 3 days of embroidery and sewing.
- Spend Saturday with Angie Steveson from Lunch Box Quilts
- Class Descriptions below.
- Some classroom machines provided
- Finish most of your projects in class! We hope!!

Academy includes:

- Great Projects and Fantastic Teachers
- Most fabrics, some threads, and great embroidery designs for all your projects
- Martini / Wine and Nibbles plus trunk shows Thursday night
- Continental breakfast, and lunch on Thursday, Friday, and Saturday
- Dinner on Friday evening, optional After Hours Sewing on Friday night - catch up time!
- EmbroidaBlock Quilt show - bring your EmbroidaBlock projects!
- Prizes and Give-aways

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This academy is sponsored by Sewing Concepts of Woodstock and Carpentersville
(815) 338-7754 or (847) 836-7800

and

Quilter's Destination of Arlington Heights
(847) 506-6410

Academy will be held in Woodstock Illinois at the Woodstock Square Mall.

A block of rooms are available at the Holiday Inn Express in Woodstock.
Book your room by October 5th to get the group rate of \$89.99 for a double room.

Mention "The Academy" to get the group rate.

Holiday Inn Express
1785 S. Eastwood Ave.
Woodstock, IL. 60098
(815) 334-9600

You will need to bring your own sewing machine and sewing supplies.
A list of additional supplies will be sent after registration.

General Class Supply List:

- Your Sewing Machine, Accessories and feet that came with your machine
- All your Hoops
- Don't forget your power cord and foot control
- Your own sewing tools, scissors, pins, rotary cutter, rulers, marking pens, etc.
- Optional: Your laptop computer loaded with your Digitizing software, don't forget the Dongle if one is needed.
- If you do not own a laptop, don't worry, a screen will be projected for all to see.
- A sense of humor and alot of enthusiasm

You do not need to bring:

- Rotary cutting mats - we have lots
- Iron
- Your husband (unless your name is Martha) or children

It would be GREAT if you brought:

- Any completed Hoopsisters projects
- Show and tells of every kind
- Pictures of your adorable grandchildren and pets

Academy Schedule

Thursday November 5th	Friday November 6th	Saturday November 7th
8-8:30 Lite Continental	8-8:30 Lite Continental	8-8:30 Lite Continental
8:30-12 Your Choice	8:30-12 Hoopsisters Runner	8:30-12 Angie's Students Choice
12-1pm Lunch	12-1pm Lunch	12-1pm Lunch
1-4:30 Your Choice	1-4:30 Hoopsisters Runner	1-4:30 Angie's Students Choice
6:30-9 Trunk shows and Cocktails	4:30-6:30 Dinner (optional)	Grand Prize Drawing and Goodbyes!
	6:30 - After hours sewing till 9pm	