

# Quilt Yourself News



## How are we doing?

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We are doing fine!

We have taken our spring break vacations to warmer weather. Sue on a cruise and Jeannette to Aruba. In May we attended the first annual SUGAR Conference. (Statler User Group And Representatives) At this conference we got training on the new software Creative Studio and talked to Statler users from all over the world. After the SUGAR Conference was the MQS Longarm Convention. It was very fun, informative and we have learned so many new things.

Sue & Jay

### Special points of interest:

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We are excited to announce the addition of a new quilting software!\*

Statler Stitcher has developed the most amazing

software for the longarm machines called Creative Studio. This is a new software package and will require a new certification class prior to your using it. The current Precision Stitch software is not going away and you are not required to learn the new software. Although with it's new awesome features we don't know why anyone would not want to learn it.

All certification classes from July 1, 2008 forward will be taught on the new software.

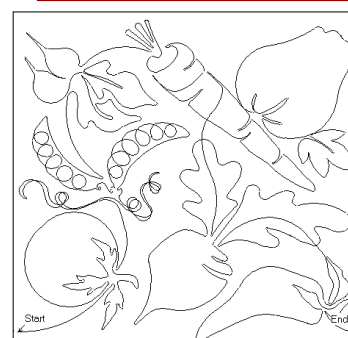
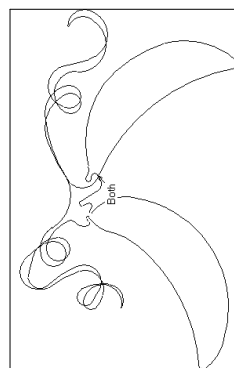
Certification Class will be \$ 150.00 and include a set of zipper leads and material for training project  
(First time certification students)

Recertification on new software \$ 100.00

(Second time certification students

Pre-requisite already certified on Precision Stitch)

customer will need to bring 1 yard by width of bolt of fabric attached to their zipper leads as a quilt back. QY will provide training quilt top and batting.



New Vegetable soup by Ann Bright

## Calendar of events

- ☐ Shop closed Friday June 27, 2008 We are going to Rochester for the Quilt Show Want to Come too?
- ☐ Creative Studio Demo Wednesday July 9, 2008 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
- ☐ Creative Studio Demo Saturday July 12, 2008 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm
- ☐ Creative Studio Demo Saturday July 17, 2008 6:30 pm - 8:00 pm
- ☐ Creative Studio Demo Wednesday July 26, 2008 2:30 pm - 4:00 pm



### Quilts of Valor

Quilt Yourself is proud to be a drop off location for QOV donation quilt tops.

**Talk to us about Volunteering to quilt a QOV quilt.**

**Volunteering to quilt a quilt for a wounded soldier allows you to practice on the longarm machine.**

**No hourly fee for QOV practice quilting.**

All we ask is that you add the binding and get it back to us within a couple weeks

REMEMBER US FOR GIFTS FOR YOUR FAVORITE QUILTERS

Quilt pins, jewelry, sun catchers, cards, tools, Gift Certificates

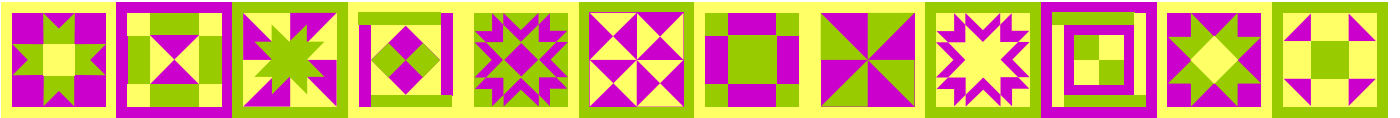


If you have purchased the Mary Ellen's Best Press Starch Alternative spray and your sprayer is empty, don't just

toss that spray bottle. **Refill it here!** We have

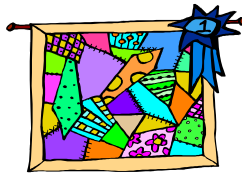
purchased the gallon jugs and will refill your bottle for the **low low** price of \$5.00. Retail price of a 16 oz bottle is \$7.50. You save \$2.50 per bottle and decrease the amount of plastic going to our landfills.





## Quilt Yourself Wall of Fame Quilt Show

Thanks to all of those who attended and participated in our quilt show during our anniversary week in February. It was a huge success. Our first year we had 18 quilts in the show this year we had 46. At this rate we will need to rent a space for next years show. The winners of the show are available for viewing on our website.



The penguin quilt was the favorite of the kids.

The Teen group had a 6 way tie.

The 20 - 52 group liked the same one as the Sue's age and older, The French Braid quilt.

Winners were presented with any of a number of the following gifts: free quilting hours, QY lapel pins, quilt backing, and batting.

Check out the website for pictures of the quit show quilts.

### Need a great gift idea?



How about helping someone Go Greener! Make them some bags! Patterns are available for quilted reusable grocery bags, lunch bags & purses. They make great teacher gifts! *(I know where were we a couple weeks ago)*



Also: Pillows, tree skirt, Christmas stocking, wine bottle bags patterns are now available.



### Road Construction in Burnsville & Savage

If you are taking Co. Rd. 42 from Burnsville west to get to us there may be some delays. A major construction project is underway to widen

Co. Rd. 42 to 6 lanes. From Co. Rd. 5 and west to Glendale Rd. is a mess.

Alternate routes include taking HWY 13 through Burnsville following as it turns south toward Prior Lake. Turn left at Co. Rd. 42 and you will get to us from the west side. Work

New stuff on the Certified quilters site!

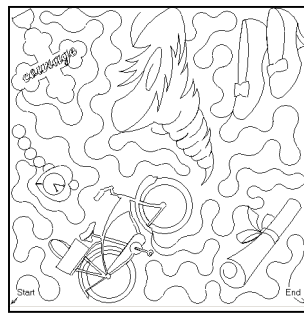
Must be certified to use the longarm to view

### Sympathy

We would like to extend our deepest condolences to all family and friends of Sam Wett who passed way in May. Sam co-owned Before U Quilt our quilt shop neighbor. Sam you are missed.

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### New Oz by Designs by Vicki



### Binding Class

Teacher: Sue \$10.00

Available upon request

We provide all materials for class. Class is 2 hours long. You will learn measuring, cutting and attaching of both straight of grain and bias binding.

## BOGO

Buy One Yard of Wide Backing Fabric

Get the Second for 1/2 Price

All in stock 108" - 120" fabric included

Continuous full yard cuts from same bolt

Not valid with any other offer

Offer expires 9/1/2008



### Did you know:

If you needed backing material for a queen size Yellow Brick Road quilt you would need to purchase 8 1/2 yards of standard width fabric., but if you purchased wide backing material you would only need to purchase 2 3/4 yards.

$$8\frac{1}{2} \text{ yards} \times \$9.00 = \$76.50$$

$$2\frac{3}{4} \text{ yards} \times \$13.99 = \$38.47$$

**You Save Using Wide Backing**



Quilt Yourself is a Sales Associate for Sew Batik.

Sew Batik has wide back batik backing material for your batik quilts.

Order your Sew Batik backing from us or go to [www.sewbatik.com](http://www.sewbatik.com) order using our Associate number

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