

HAPPY NEW YEAR!



FOR THE LOVE OF SEWING

ACCENT SEWING INC. BERNINA/BABYLOCK/HORN CABINETS

What's Happening At Accent Sewing!

Where did the year go? In just a few weeks we will be welcoming in 2008! As I look back over 2007, I think of all the changes we've made. We've added more fabric, including garment, new embroidery thread, the HQ Sixteen now with the Pro Stitcher, Kwik Sew patterns, and Anita Goodesigns! As our mission statement says, we want to provide you with excellent customer service and provide the sewing and embroidery products you need.

Bob, our staff, and I want to thank each and every one of you for your patronage and friendship. Without you, there would be no Accent Sewing!

We also want to thank those

of you who participated in our charity workshops. Not only did we have a great time but we helped some very worthy causes. We will continue these workshops in 2008 and hope you will continue to volunteer your time and energy.

For 2008 we have planned some great classes and some new teachers. We have a full schedule for this quarter and hopefully you will find a lot of classes that you want to take. I think we have a wonderful staff and really great teachers who are here to help you learn and grow in your sewing and quilting skills.

This is the time of year when we spend time with our families and friends. If you are traveling, I hope you have a safe journey to your destination and back home. May the joy and spirit of Christmas

fill all of our hearts and we remember the reason for the season. As I think about making New Year's resolutions, one of mine is to make sure that Accent Sewing is a fun and knowledgeable place for you and that you always want to come back. Happy Holidays and we look forward to seeing all of you in 2008!

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Store Hours
M, T, W, & F
10:00-5:00
Thur.
10:00-6:00
Saturday
10:00-3:00

News!

The new Baby Lock Quest is here! What a great machine for those who love to quilt and love the wider decorative stitches! The Quest has a larger throat space of 8 5/8", built-in dual feed, knee lift, holds larger spools, multiple needle positions, large acrylic table, and 1000

stitches per minute. The decorative stitches can be increased up to 8mm. It also has a front load bobbin system.

If you been waiting for a machine with a larger throat space, this is the machine for you. Stop in and see what

this wonderful new machine can do for you!



Have you been to Accent Sewing's website? If not, you should take a look! Our newsletter is published on the website along with other details about our store. We want to say a special thanks to David Ingram for doing such a great job! If you have any suggestions on how we can improve our website, please e-mail us or stop by the store. Don't forget that you can also register for classes on line!



Technique and Just Plain Fun Classes!

Dresden Twist

With the technique of the kaleidoscope quilts, you will create 16 different blocks and Jean has added a twist to this one. A quick, easy quilt to put together. Once you have finished one, you will want to make another. You can't believe your eyes. A terrific quilt in any size.

Taught by Jean Milstead

4 Weeks - 3 hr classes

Class Fee \$65.00

Plus Supplies

Wednesdays Jan. 9, 16, 23, & 30
10:00-1:00

Audrey's Roses

This is a stunning embroidered wall hanging using an Anita Goodesign CD. With this class you will learn how to multi-hoop and use templates.

Taught by Sheryl

Class Fee \$20.00

Plus Supplies and CD

Thursday Jan. 10 & 31 10:00-1:00

Vintage Accessories

This in the hoop project is a must to do. Put it on your list right away! We will be embroidering a small clutch purse, a scissor holder, a tissue holder, and an eyeglass case. And there is no additional sewing! Everything is done in the hoop. It is quite an ingenious project. The designs are beautifully Victorian with lace edges.

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$65.00

Plus Supplies

Thursdays Jan. 10, 17, 24, & 31
2:00-5:00

Learn How to Smock!

We will learn some history of smocking, the different kinds of smocking, how to pleat the fabric, and various stitches. We will work on a sample piece and progress to a smocked pillow. Everything you need to smock, finish a sample, and a smocked pillow will be included in a kit. You need to bring only your scissors to cut the thread.

Taught by Jacque Williams

Class Fee \$30.00

Kit Fee \$30.00

Mon. Jan 14 10:00-1:00 or
Fri. March 14 10:00-1:00

Mattie's Rose

Love the look of stained glass? Make this beautiful wall hanging using fabric, fusible appliqué, and bias tape. It truly looks like stained glass!

Taught by Jean Milstead

Class Fee \$45.00

Plus Supplies. Pattern included with class fee.

Mon. Jan. 21 & 28 10:00-1:00

Bringing The Points Together

Do you have trouble making the points of your quilt blocks come together and match? This 3 hour workshop will show the tips of the trade and how to avoid the pitfalls. Space will be very limited so sign up early to reserve a spot!

Taught by Pat Farnham

Class Fee \$15.00

Plus Supplies

Fri. Jan. 25 10:00-1:00

Pajama Pants

Using a Kwik Sew pattern and our flannel backed satin, we will make a very simple pair of pajama pants. This is a great beginner class.

Taught by Sheryl

Class Fee \$15.00

Plus Supplies and Pattern

Wed. Jan. 30 3:00-6:00

Thread Library

Make a notebook styled organizer that will hold up to 72 spools of Metrosene or Guitemann sized spools of thread and make the tangled threads nightmare to away. Elastic will hold your collection securely regardless of the amount of thread left on the spool. You can combine bobbins and spools of thread in one handy place for travel to class or workshops and the thread tails aren't all over your other equipment.

Taught by Pat Farnham

Class Fee \$20.00

Plus Pattern and Supplies

Friday Feb. 1 10:00-2:00

Garden Fairy Doll

This is a great doll for beginners or experienced doll makers. You will learn how to create a beautiful face, construct the body, and embellish your fairy.

Taught by Barbara Potoczny

Class Fee \$35.00

Plus Supplies

Mon. Feb 4 10:00-4:00

Silk Ribbon Sampler

Learn the basics of working with silk ribbon to create sample pieces to use in future crazy quilt blocks. Silk ribbon can be used to enhance garments and accessories.

Taught By Barbara Potoczny

Class Fee \$20.00

Some supplies provided. See list for additional items needed.

Tues. Feb 5 10:00-12:00

Wild Iris Garden

Using the Embellisher or your Bernina Needle Punch Foot, create a wonderful garden of 3 dimensional flowers. Add a few beads to make it sparkle. If you own another brand of felting machine, feel free to join us, or if you are new to felting, talk with Sheryl about trying an Embellisher for the day.

Taught by Barbara Potoczny

Class Fee \$40.00

Plus Kit Fee \$20.00

Wed. Feb. 6 10:00-4:00

Ruler Revolution Class II

This class is designed to learn to use *The Sewing Revolution 6/8 and 5/7* rulers. You will learn perfect placement of embroidery templates. As a bonus, we will also explain how to use the rulers for circular sewing. If time permits, we will learn to use the *Bind-Aid Ruler* and *The Sewing Revolution*

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$30.00

Plus supplies

Thur. Feb. 7, 14, & 21 10:00-1:00

Simon's Folly Pillow

You will use Jenny Haskins' beautiful embroidery to create this pillow. You will learn perfect embroidery placement and the technique of stitch building. You will also learn how to make cording to decorate the edge of your pillow. If your machine doesn't have a large hoop, I will adjust the designs for you.

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$65.00

Plus supplies

Thursdays Feb. 7, 14, 21, & 28

2:00-5:00

Hand Appliqué By Machine

If you love the look of appliqué but don't have time to do needle turn or it just isn't your thing, here's the class for you. You will learn how to make an invisible stitch around the edge of your appliqué and can prepare your appliqué pieces while watching TV!

Taught by Sheryl

Class Fee \$25.00

Plus Book and Supplies

Fri. Feb. 15 10:00-3:00

Geisha Girl Wall Hanging

This is a very dramatic piece. She has all the splendor of the Orient and the beauty of the Asian women. The fusible appliqué pieces are cut accurately and the seams are put together with embroidery stitches on your sewing machine. You won't need your machine for the first class.

Taught by Jean Milstead

Class Fee \$40.00

Plus supplies

Mon. Feb. 18 & 25 10:00-1:00

3-D Mariner's Compass

This is a traditional mariner's compass with an exciting addition - it's 3 dimensional! Folding techniques make this complex design much easier to accomplish. This will be a fun class!

Taught by Jean Milstead

Class Fee \$65.00

Plus Book and Supplies

Wed. Feb. 20, 27, March 5 & 12
10:00-1:00

Beginner Quilting

If you've never made a quilt before and want to learn how. This is the class for you. Learn how to use a rotary cutter & ruler, create accurate 1/4 inch seams for piecing, make four different blocks, and add borders.

Taught by Jean Milstead

Class Fee \$65.00

Plus supplies

Sat. March 1, 8, 15 & 22

9:00-12:00

Blooming Nine Patch

Although this quilt looks difficult to make, it is actually very simple. It combines nine patch blocks with solid blocks. Your choice of colors is what makes this quilt so unique.

Taught by Sheryl

Class Fee \$35.00

Plus Book and Supplies

Mon. Mar. 3, 17 & 31 10:00-1:00

The Fun Continues!

Dresden Fans

We will use the Dresden Express method of cutting and assembling Dresden Fans. You never know what the fans will look like until you make them. The fans are sewn on the blocks with decorative stitches. This is a great class for seasoned pros and beginners!

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$65.00
Plus Supplies

Thurs. March 6, 13, 20, 27,
10:00-1:00

Ruler Revolution I

You've asked for this class again so here it is. We will be learning to make shapes with *The Sewing Revolution 5/7 and 6/8* circular rulers. You will learn how to make great shapes for quilting and block making.

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$45.00
Plus Supplies

Thur. March 6, 13, & 20 2:00-5:00

Radiant Star

Have you always wanted to make one of these quilts but thought it looked too complicated? Well, not with this strip pieced technique. This quilt is made using Eleanor Burns' *Quilt In A Day Radiant Star Book*.

Taught by Jean Milstead

Class Fee \$65.00
Plus Book and Supplies

Wed. March 19, 26, April 2 & 9
10:00-1:00

Duffle Tote Class

This class always seems to fill up so I'm offering it again. We have some really pretty pre-quilted fabric or you can quilt your own. This bag makes great gifts for everyone!

Taught by Sheryl

Class Fee \$20.00
Plus Book and Supplies

Sat. March 29 9:00-3:00

The Madeira Tulip Quilt

Madeira Appliqué is a wonderful heirloom technique. It has dimension and style like no other appliqué. This quilt takes time but the result is worth the effort!

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$80

Plus Supplies

Thurs. April 3, 10, 17, & 24
10:00-1:00

Decorative Stitches

Try using a variety of decorative threads and stitches to complete a small wall hanging that looks like you created a tapestry of woven plaid ribbons. This technique can be used to quickly decorate shirt fronts, jeans, and blankets to name just a few.

Taught by Pat Farnham

Class Fee \$25.00
Plus Pattern and Supplies

Fri. April 4 10:00-1:00
Fri. April 11 10:00-3:00

In A Clutch

Create this gorgeous clutch on an embroidery machine! Use Vicki Tracy's designs and create 13 purse and 2 coin purse designs. Of course in class, you will only be creating one! This could be addictive!

Taught by Sandy Zeleznik

Class Fee \$25.00
Plus Design CD and Supplies

Wed. April 16 10:00-4:00

Trip Around the World

Make this small wall hanging to learn the technique and then move up to a larger quilt! Color choices will make all the difference.

Taught by Jean Milstead

Class Fee \$25.00

Plus Supplies

Fri. April 18 10:00-2:00

Mystery Doll Workshop

Are you ready to get creative? Barbara is hosting a 2 day workshop to make an Art Doll. Everyone's creation will be different and absolutely wonderful! We will use fabrics, fibers, yarns, paints, doodads, beads, you name it! Be prepared to have some FUN! We will have a theme to get started. This workshop theme is Mardi Gras.

Taught by Barbara Potoczny

Class Fee \$65.00

Fabric and Embellishing Supplies Included. See list for additional doll making items needed.

Mon. April 28 10:00-3:00

Tues. April 29 10:00-12:00

Something Fishy

Make one or make a pair of fantasy fish wall hangings. We will be using Susan Carlson's fun and easy method from her book Free-Style Quilts. This is an easy appliqué method with simple free motion quilting. This is a wonderful way to practice your free motion work. The hangings are finished with some beads around the border for the extra special touch. This is a carefree no worries class. I'll bring the tulle and some beads to share.

Taught by Barbara Potoczny

Class Fee \$35.00

Plus Supplies

Wed. April 30 10:00-3:00

Fabulous Fibers - Felted Handbag

Machine felting for the beginner or experienced. Learn how to make your own base fabric using your machine felting. Then turn your fabric into an original handbag. You will love the look and feel with all the textures created with needle felting. As an added bonus, I'll show you how to make your own beaded buttons.

Kit includes: Base fabric, an array of luxurious fabrics such as velvets, satins, wools, embroidered silk, silk dupioni, and more. Several embellishing items and fibers along with luxurious lining fabric and beaded button supplies to coordinate with your bag.

If you own another brand of felting machine, feel free to join us or if you are new to felting, talk with Sheryl about trying an Embellisher for the day. **Warning—once you try it, you will be hooked!**

Kits available in reds, cream/beige, or black. Please note your color choice when registering for class.

Taught by Barbara Potoczny

Class Fee \$75.00

Fabric and Fiber supplies included. See list for additional items needed.

Thur. May 1 10:00-4:00



Charity Workshop

I personally want to thank each and every one of our customers who has spent time, energy, and supplies for all of our charity workshops. Accent Sewing could not have accomplished all that we have without you. I would also like to thank Pat for the outstanding job she has done organizing these workshops, providing supplies, and the charities we are helping! Job well done Miss Pat!

Come and join us again as we make Teddy Bears for our project this time. We will be donating these bears to Project Linus. If you have any fur fabric or other items that you would like to donate, please let us know. Accent Sewing will be providing the stuffing and Pat has the pattern. We will need sewers, fabric cutters, and stuffers.

Come and join us for the day or just for an hour or two.

Tuesday, March 4 10:00-1:00



Tropical Paradise Block of the Month!

Dream of the endless tropical breezes as you create each of the 15 blocks in the 2008 Block of the Month, Tropical Paradise. Along the way you can learn a variety of techniques - block piecing, machine appliqué, and how to add embellishments to bring drama to your own creation of paradise. We have set aside 11:00 to noon on the second Tuesday of each month to discuss techniques for the current month's block. Then we invite you to stay for Open Sewing to work on your own block. You will receive all the material needed (excluding sashing and borders) to finish your own piece of Paradise measuring approximately 50" by 62".

Taught by Pat Farnham

Class Fee \$75.00 which includes material

Plus Book.

Second Tuesday of Every Month

11:00-12:00



Embroidery Classes

Embroidery I		Embroidery II	
Fri. Jan. 18	10:00-12:00	Sat. Jan. 26	10:00-12:00
Thur. Feb. 7	5:00-7:00	Thur. Feb. 21	5:00-7:00
Fri. March 7	10:00-12:00	Fri. March 28	10:00-12:00
Mon. April 7	10:00-12:00	Mon. April 21	10:00-12:00

Aurora Embroidery Classes:

Sat. Jan. 19	10:00-12:00
Tue. Feb. 26	10:00-12:00
Fri. March 28	3:00-5:00
Thur. April 3	5:00-7:00

When attending training classes, you should bring your own machine. Please bring all the accessories that came with your machine as well. If you want to take notes, please bring paper and pen. **Due to the number of people who have allergies, please do not wear perfume to class.**

Embroidery Club is the 2nd Monday of every month from 2:00-5:00. If there are enough participants, we will offer this class from 5:30 to 8:30.

Please sign up for these classes if you wish to attend.

Serger Classes

Serger I

Wed. Jan. 9	2:00-4:00
Thur. March 20	5:00-7:00
Thur. April 3	2:00-5:00

Serger II

Wed. Feb. 13	10:00-12:00
Thur. March 27	5:00-7:00
Thur. April 17	2:00-5:00

Bernina Stitch Regulator

If you have purchased a Bernina Sewing Machine and it came with the revolutionary Bernina Stitch Regulator foot, you will want to take this class. You will learn how to use Mode 1 and Mode 2 with and without the foot control.

Thur. Jan. 17	5:00-7:00
Fri. Feb. 8	10:00-12:00
Mon. March 10	10:00-12:00
Wed. April 23	2:00-4:00

New Class Policy:

You must pay at the time you sign up for a class! This will allow the teachers to make preparations for the correct number of students.

Please sign up for all classes even if there is no charge for the class. This is especially true if the class is held after store hours. You can call to register or register on-line.

If you must cancel a class, please do so as soon as possible. Class fees are not refundable but you can receive a store credit or apply the fee to another class.

Sewing Machine Classes

Software Classes

Bernina I (Basics)

Thur. Jan. 10	5:00-7:00
Sat. Feb. 2	10:00-12:00
Thur. March 6	5:00-7:00
Wed. March 12	2:00-4:00
Sat. April 5	10:00-12:00
Wed. April 23	10:00-12:00

Baby Lock I (Basics)

Fri. Jan. 11	10:00-12:00
Sat. Feb. 9	10:00-12:00
Thur. March 13	5:00-7:00
Wed. March 19	2:00-4:00
Sat. April 12	10:00-12:00
Fri. April 25	10:00-12:00

Class II - Bernina & Baby Lock

(Seams and Hems)

Wed. Jan. 16	3:00-5:00
Thur. Jan. 31	5:00-7:00
Wed. Feb. 20	3:00-5:00
Wed. March 5	3:00-5:00
Sat. April 26	10:00-12:00

Class III - Bernina & Baby Lock

(Buttonholes and Zippers)

Sat. Jan. 12	10:00-12:00
Thur. Jan. 24	10:00-12:00
Sat. Feb. 16	1:00-3:00
Mon. March 31	3:00-5:00
Thur. April 10	5:00-7:00

Class IV - Bernina & Baby Lock

(Gathering, Pin tucks, & Wing Needle)

Wed. Jan. 23	3:00-5:00
Thur. Feb. 28	5:00-7:00
Sat. March 1	1:00-3:00
Wed. April 2	3:00-5:00

Class Va - Bernina & Baby Lock

(Pleats, Tucks, & Piping)

Thur. Jan. 17	10:00-12:00
Mon. Feb. 18	3:00-5:00
Fri. March 14	3:00-5:00
Wed. April 9	3:00-5:00

Class Vb - Bernina & Baby Lock

(Patchwork & Quilting)

Mon. Jan. 28	3:00-5:00
Wed. Feb. 27	3:00-5:00
Sat. March 8	1:00-3:00
Fri. April 4	3:00-5:00

Class VI - Bernina & Baby Lock

(Stitch Manipulations)

(630/640/200/730 & Ellegante/Ellageo)

Fri. Jan. 18	3:00-5:00
Wed. Feb. 13	5:00-7:00
Wed. March 26	3:00-5:00
Thur. April 17	5:00-7:00

Class VII - Bernina 200/730

(Directional Stitching)

Fri. Jan. 25	3:00-5:00
Mon. Feb. 25	3:00-5:00
Tue. March 25	10:00-12:00
Thur. April 24	5:00-7:00

Artista I

Editor Plus/Designer Plus

Fri. Jan. 11	2:00-4:00
Tue. Jan. 29	10:00-12:00

Artista II

Editor Plus/Designer Plus

Fri. Feb. 8	2:00-4:00
Tues. Feb. 19	10:00-12:00

Artista III

Editor Plus/Designer Plus

Sat. Feb. 16	10:00-12:00
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Artista IV

Editor Plus/Designer Plus

Tue. March 18	10:00-12:00
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Artista V - Designer Plus

Fri. March 21	10:00-12:00
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Artista VI - Designer Plus

Tues. April 15	10:00-12:00
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Artista VII - Designer Plus

Fri. April 25	2:00-5:00
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Artista VIII - Designer Plus

Sat. April 19	10:00-12:00
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FYI - Accent Sewing gives a guild discount of 10%. Just show us your guild card and receive 10% off your purchase unless the item is already on sale! Machines, cabinets, and software not included.

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TECH CORNER:

There is a new software update for the 730. You can find the information about this update on the Berninausa.com website. You will need to leave your machine with me for this update. This update is free.

Open Sewing!

Every Tuesday from 1:00-5:00 is "open sewing." You can come and get help with a project or just come and sew with us! We have enlarged and rearranged the classroom so more can come and participate.

There are two upgrades available for purchase for the Ellegante. The first is the embroidery and quilting package and the second is the continuous border frame package.. You can find information on these upgrades on the Babylock.com website.

If you need help getting your machine out of the car, Bob will be glad to help.

We will be closed Monday, December 31, 2007, and January 1, 2008, for New Year's.

See you there!



Our Mission Statement:

To provide excellent customer service, quality repairs, and knowledgeable training classes and have lots of fun working together with you!

TELL YOUR FRIENDS OUR SERVICES INCLUDE:

- Bernina/Baby Lock Sewing Machines, Sergers, and Handi Quilter.
- Artista , Designers Gallery, Master Works, and Explorations Software
- Horn cabinets
- Notions, threads, embroidery designs, books, patterns, and fabric
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- Sewing Machine and Serger Repair
- Classes

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