



Greetings from The Quilt Cupboard

Well we are down to the last few months of Krista's pregnancy, She is due on May 19th, expecting a boy. Not sure of a name yet. They keep tossing around names but nothing has stuck yet! This Grandma keeps calling him "Baby Boy"! Latest name is Shawn, Krista is a snowboarder. I like it! She and her boyfriend have been remodeling her house and are finally moving in this week-end, although they aren't quite finished yet. AND, I finally have an empty nest again, after 3 years of kids living here again. Actually, I will gain my sewing room back, although I usually sew at the shop now.

And speaking of the baby, we will be running a special contest in the shop. Come in and put your guess in our jar - Date of birth,time, weight and length. (I'll give you a clue for those of you who haven't met my daughter - Krista is a natural redhead and stands about 5 ft tall and her boyfriend is about 5' 6'). Baby is due May 19th so you still have time to put in a guess. The winner who comes the closest of the actual birth date, time, weight and length wins a 15% Rewards Card, good for a year! Enter as many times as you'd like.

By popular demand, we have now opened another day during the week for our Beginning class. The new class will start on Thursday, March 4th from 11 AM - 2 PM. I'm also working on another evening class as well.

Those of you who participated in our last year's BOM, please make sure you pick up any missing months as well as the last month's pattern for either the "Seams like Murder" - see the completed quilt in the shop - or Hazelnut Hall. Remember, March 31st is the last day you'll be able to pick up any missed months. After you see the completed quilt, I know you won't want to be missing any of the patterns.

2010 Civil War BOM - since our Civil War Club has been such a success, we are now offering a daytime Club as well as the evening one - still the 2nd Fri but the time is 10 AM - 1 PM.

Fri, Feb 26th - PMS, 6 - 11 PM, Call to reserve your space, bring a munchie and some sewing and have a great time. (I put the wrong date in the last e-mail - sorry).

Since February is Heart Health Month, we are setting aside this week-end, Sat & Sun, Feb 27th and 28th as our Heart Health Sale. All fabric that is at least 50% pink or red is on sale at 25% off (1 yard min, excludes any clearance fabric, which is 35% off anyway) You also have another chance to purchase flannel at \$5.00 per yard and shop our \$1.00 fat quarters.

We are planning a "Scrappy" day at The Cupboard - Sat, March 13th is the day from 11 AM - 4 PM. For \$20, you can use our scraps to create a pieced or appliqued quilt. Return your completed project to the shop by April 10th, We will then display the quilts in the shop from April 10th to May 9th where they will be voted on. Winner gets a 15% Rewards card! Not only that, you will go home with a bag of scraps to help on your project. It will be a day of fun, food

(always chocolate)and quilting! Join us, sign up now as space is limited!

Pillow Cases - the holiday pillow cases that we donated to the Assisted living facility across the street were loved by the residents. I got a wonderful Thank You card from them and one of the residents came and thanked us. Since then we have also sent 21 pillow cases to the Ronald MacDonald House in Orange and also received a really nice Thank You card as well.

Well it is now official! Singer Sewing Center will be moving into our shop within the month! The build-out will be starting, hopefully, this week. Soon you will be able to purchase a new Baby Lock machine; or get your sewing machine repaired or serviced. For those of you who know Steve, he and his staff are excited about the move and we are really looking forward to being able to offer that service to our customers. Now when you are in class and your machine starts to act up, it can be fixed on the spot! How's that for service!

There will be a little construction going on but the shop will be open full service with all our regularly scheduled events as well as new classes and activities.

We have been getting some deliveries in the shop lately. Come in to see all the new stuff! We have received Robyn Pandolph;s "Beach Cottage" a beautiful shabby sheek line from Moda. And the new RJR's Caterwauling is almost gone! If you love cats, these whimsical guys are a must have! Come see the panel while we still have some. Then, of course, if you are like my granddaughter, the frogs have invaded from Wilmington Prints. We hve a wonderful sample hanging in the shop. And you have to check out our new front window display! For all you beginner's we just got Vol 1 of Quilter's Academy, a perfect reference book for every beginner. Look for Vol 2 soon!

SAVE THE DATE: SPRING FLING SHOP HOP IS COMING! Fri, Sat & Sun, March 26, 27, 28. Volunteers needed. Just give us a call.

Check out our booth at Friendship Square's Quilt Show at the La Habra Community Center on la Habra Blvd and Euclid in La Habra next week-end, March 6th and 7th. And then we will also be at the Glendale Quilt Show March 19, 20 & 21.

Then the very next week-end is the Spring Fling Shop Hop! What as month for quilting!

Remember every day is a great day for quilting, and if it isn't, then it ought to be!
Sheri, Theresa, Kristy, Diane & Annie



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