

January 2018 Newsletter

YOUR DEDICATED SEWING CENTRE

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Hi Everyone,

We enjoyed our break even if the weather wasn't the kindest at times. That simply meant more indoor time for making samples ☺ And, of course finishing our 2018 Shop Hop Quilt.

2018 will be bringing some special moments including Shop Hop 2018, The Whangarei Patchwork and Quilters Club Exhibition and celebrating 125 Years of Bernina in various ways.

Shop Hop 2018

Over our break time I finished our quilt for Shop Hop 2018. I have called this one Sunset in Northland. The background is pieced bricks then the silhouettes of birds and flora are appliqued on top. This is an exclusive design from our design team, especially for Shop Hop 2018.



The Shop Hop Event runs from 12 May to 26 May. There is a flyer of information about the Shop Hop available from in the store. Registrations open 1st March, cost is \$60 per person. The official Shop Hop Blog site is

<https://northernquiltsshophop.blogspot.co.nz/> so keep an eye on it as all shops involved will be adding information about the event too.

UFO Group

Do you have some unfinished projects that you would like to complete this year? This group is specially created to help you get those projects out of the cupboard and being used.

Join this group for \$10 per month, beginning February 24th and will continue on a monthly cycle on the last Saturday of each month, 1:30pm till 4pm.

You will need to bring your project and everything you need to use along with a great attitude intending to have some fun while finishing those UFO's

Book in now as this group will fill up fast as there is a maximum of 10 people.

2018 Clubs

Autumn Beginner Sewist Club 2018

Are you a beginner sewist, owning a Bernina or a Bernette sewing machine? This club is a great start to learn your machine while creating projects from a provided selection. Learn basic sewing techniques while you also get to know your machine. You will choose which project or projects to be working on from approx. 12 options to suit your tastes, while learning techniques on your machine. Club cost is \$76 (\$10 per lesson + Bernina Inspirations), + project requirements. You will also receive a 10% discount on your project requirements during the Club.

You will have the choice of a club on either:

fortnightly Tuesday mornings beginning February 27th until 8th May; 10am till midday;

OR

fortnightly Thursday evenings beginning March 1st until 10th May; 5:30pm till 7:30pm

Minimum numbers required for each club to proceed is 6, Maximum number 10

Autumn Confident Sewist Club 2018

Do you own a Bernina or a Bernette sewing machine and feel confident using your machine? This club is a great way to extend your skills while creating projects from a provided selection. You will choose which project or projects to be working on from approx. 12 options to suit your tastes, while learning techniques on your machine. And getting to know your machine further. Club membership cost is \$76 (\$10 per lesson + Bernina Inspirations), + project requirements. You will also receive a 10% discount on your project requirements during the Club

You will have the choice of a club on either:

fortnightly Tuesday mornings beginning March 6th until 29th May; 10am till midday;

OR

fortnightly Thursday evenings beginning March 8th until 31st May; 5:30pm till 7:30pm

Minimum numbers required for each club to proceed is 6, Maximum number 10

(Both Autumn Confident Sewist Clubs will take a break during Shop Hop 2018)

Autumn Overlocker Club 2018

Do you own a Bernina or a Bernette Overlocker? This club is a great way to develop your skills while creating projects from a provided selection. You will choose which project or projects to be working on from approx. 12 options to suit your tastes, while learning techniques and getting to know your overlocker further. Club membership cost is \$76 (\$10 per lesson + Bernina Inspirations), + project requirements. You will also receive a 10% discount on your project requirements during the Club

You will have the choice of a club on either:

fortnightly Thursday mornings beginning March 8th until 31st May; 10am till midday;

OR

fortnightly Tuesday evenings beginning February 27th until 8th May; 5:30pm till 7:30pm

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(The Thursday morning Autumn Overlocker Club will take a break during Shop Hop 2018)

Machine Embroidery Autumn Club 2018

Do you own a Bernina or Bernette embroidery enabled machine plus embroidery unit?

This club teaches you hooping, demystifies stabilisers, threads and techniques. Beginning March 2018, Saturday 3rd, 1:30pm to 3:30pm. The club will continue fortnightly on Saturday afternoon's, ending 5th May 2018. The early finish in May is due to Shop Hop 2018. You don't need to have been involved in 2017 to join this group. Club membership cost is \$50. + kit cost each lesson.

We have completed our sample of a BOM (block of the month) embroidered quilt. This is BEAUTIFUL! Here's a sneak peak 😊



Workshop News

Nick is enjoying a well-deserved break during January and returns to the workshop 30th January 2018

Selected Overlocker / Coverstitcher Machine Sale



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bernette 42
coverstitch
was \$799

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NOW ONLY
\$899

bernette 48
coverstitch/overlocker
was \$999

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BERNINA L450
overlocker
was \$1,299

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Wool Sale



Sale ends at Anniversary Weekend

20% off Wool selected stock

No laybys on sale yarns

This is Amanda's first work in paper piecing – didn't she do well?

Are you interested in learning paper piecing too?
Come and register your interest so I can form a class.

We won't do quite such a complicated pattern though 😊



We are delighted with our new signage in the front of the shop, making it easier for people to find us.



Our January hours are 10am to 4pm Monday to Friday

Closed weekends

We will be closed during Anniversary Weekend

Normal hours resume 30 January 2018

Find us on Facebook and like our page to get the latest news first and to keep up to date with what is happening in the store. www.facebook.com/berninanorthlandsewingcentre

Happy stitching!

The Team @ Bernina Northland

Sandy, Amanda, Tim, Nick, and Tiffany

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