

"THE BUZZ"

May, 2025



Glory Bee's Sewing Center

Hello, to all our customers! With spring fully arrived (we hope!), the shop is brimming with new fabrics and projects on display. Stop in soon for inspiration and to let us know what new items you are working on now. Also, take a look at our class list here to see what is coming up.

NEW FABRICS!

We have recently received many new solid fabrics in a variety of colors that are sure to add a pop to your latest sewing or quilting project.



These bolts are arranged by color and are mixed in with corresponding blenders. Bring samples of fabric with you so that you can spot the exact color that you need. It is also a good idea to keep some solids and blenders in your personal stash so they will be on hand for new projects.

SERVICE CENTER SUGGESTION

Chuck, our Service Center Manager, wants to remind you to make certain the spool cap is flush against the thread on the spool pin as far as it can be, so it is secure. If it is not, the thread can become entangled on the pin which could cause thread breakage, uneven stitches, and tension problems. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to ask Chuck to explain the correct way to load the thread.

RECENT
EVENTS!

Our Sewing Club completed so many projects during the month of April's class. Below are a few items including Bunny Ear Gift Bags and Scalloped Fabric Bowls. Congratulations to our class participants who are learning new skills!



NOTION
OF THE
MONTH

This month's notion is **Triangle Tailor's Chalk** by Clover. This small piece of chalk fits easily in your hand, and the sharp edges will mark your fabric with precision for both straight and curved lines. We carry this item in both white and yellow. As always, please follow the package instructions concerning testing, using, and removing the chalk. Mention you saw this item in "The Buzz" and receive a **10% discount** off the price.





MAY CLASSES

CLUB CLASSES:

Thursday & Friday, May 1&2—Aveneer/Luminaire Club

Tuesday, May 6—Brother Embroidery Club #1

May 8--Thursday Sewing Club

Friday, May 16—Janome Embroidery Club

May 17--Saturday Sewing Club

Tuesday, May 20—Brother Embroidery Club #2

ADDITIONAL CLASSES:

Saturday, May 10—Bag of the Month. Come join us to make this attractive and practical “Recessed Zipper Tote Bag”. You choose your own colors, and we have ordered cork for the bottom fabric as an option. You will definitely want one of these for yourself, but it would also make a wonderful gift.

Tuesday, May 13—3 Yard Quilt. This month will be the “Daisies & Diamonds” quilt pattern from the Double Focus book. These 3 Yard Quilts are great skill builders as they introduce new cutting and piecing techniques. Both new and experienced sewists will enjoy making this quilt!

Wednesdays, May 14 & 21—Sit & Sew. Come join us in our relaxing classroom and work on that project you have not had time to finish. You may sign up for one or both days, and, as always, we are available if you have questions.

Thursday, May 15—Intermediate Free Motion Quilting. If you have free motion quilting experience and would like to try some new designs, this is the class for you. You will be making a sampler of patterns that will help you in deciding how to quilt your own creations.

Note: Please check the website as new classes may be added during the month. Also, make certain you have a supply list for any class you are taking.



MOTHER'S DAY SPECIALS FOR THE MONTH OF MAY

- Purchase any machine at \$2500 or more and receive a **free** Arrow Hydraulic Chair (any style in stock)
- **Brother 1700 E Embroidery Machine** (pre-owned, 5 months old) for \$1500 (only one).
- **Brother 1350 Sewing Machine** for **\$1499**.
- **Sew Magnetic Cutting System** by SewTites just **\$279**.



Gloria wants to remind you that when you are sewing a circular item or any item that allows very little space for maneuvering, most machines will allow you to remove parts such as accessory trays that are attached to the free arm of the machine. This will enable you to slide the item onto the arm for easier access to the presser foot.

We hope you will drop in the shop and see what is new on the shelves. Let us know about your personal projects, and if we can help in any way. We are always happy to assist you with pattern or fabric selection, new techniques, and general sewing questions.

HAPPY SEWING!

Ron, Gloria, and Staff

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