

# Tomorrow's Treasures Quilt Shop

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Tomorrow's Treasures is proud to be your local BERNINA and HandiQuilter Sales and Service Center!

## HAVE YOU UPGRADED?

Is your 790 or 880 upgraded? No? Then come take a look at what the new upgrade does! We would love to show you!

## It won't quilt out!

When it comes to quilt-making, that last step, sewing on borders can have a huge effect on how your quilt turns out! Wavy borders are a quilter's most dreaded adversary. Rushing through it, or simply not knowing the best method can cause all sorts of problems. Here's how to keep from having wavy borders.

**Step #1** Square up your quilt. Like squaring up blocks, squaring the top is an often overlooked, but valuable step. It's pretty simple, especially if you are relatively accurate when piecing. Using a large square ruler, lay it on each corner and trim the corners so they are nice and square.

**Step #2:** With your quilt folded in half, use a new measuring tape to measure the length of your quilt at the fold. Take several measurements and take the average. Make sure you write down this measurement!

**Step #3:** The measurement you took in step #2 is a good representation of what your quilt length *should be*. This is the length you should cut your borders for the sides of your quilt. If the border strips aren't long enough, piece them together using a diagonal seam. I try to cut borders on the lengthwise grain if possible (along the selvage edge).

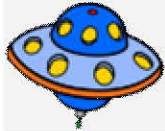
**Step #4:** Now ease any fullness you may have and spread that fullness across the length of your quilt. In order to do this you need to match up the borders and sides at corresponding intervals. Take each piece (border and sides of quilt) and fold it twice. Each fold will represent 1/4 of the width of your quilt. Place a pin to mark each section on the borders and on your quilt. Don't stretch as you sew. To make it easier use a walking foot.

**Step #5:** Repeat step 2—4 for the top and bottom borders. Your quilt is now ready to be basted and quilted...or sent to your favorite professional long-arm quilt artist!



# Classes

Tuesday, Sept 5th—**EMBROIDERY MASTERY FOR 5 SERIES AND 770**—10:00 to 2:00—Thread and stabilizers got you confused? Come learn all the ins and outs of embroidery with your new BERNINA embroidery machine! Cost: Free if machine was purchased at Tomorrow's Treasures, If not \$65.00.



Saturday , September 9th—**CEO Club**—10:00 to 2:00 — Bring in your completed project for a photo shoot. Month 2—Don't forget show & tell for big points!!

Tuesday, Sept 12th—**EMBROIDERY MASTERY 790 PLUS AND 880 PLUS**—10:00 to 2:00—You must have the Upgrade installed on your machine for this class. Cost: Class is free if machine and Upgrade was purchased at Tomorrow's Treasures, If not \$65.00.



Thursday, September 14th—**EMBROIDERY BASICS - TRAPUNTO**—10:00 to 3:00—Learn a fun and unique technique for creating Trapunto with your embroidery machine. You will fall in love with the dimension you'll achieve with this project! We will stitch a "CREATE" wall-hanging that finishes 7" x 36". Designs will fit in a 6" x 10" hoop. Cost: \$25.00.

Friday, September 15th—**BERNINA PLAY DAY—LETTERING CLUTCH**—10:00 to 3:00 — Brag about your BERNINA with this cute clutch. Using the lettering capabilities on your machine, we will make the clutch so much more interesting! Cost \$15.00.



Saturday, Sept 16th—**BERNINA 790/880 UPGRADE HANDS ON CLASS**—10:00 to 2:00—Learn the new features of your Upgrade. Undo/Redo, Pinpoint placement, group & ungroup, & more! You MUST have the upgrade installed on your machine prior to class. Cost \$25.00 includes kit.

Monday, Sept 18th—**SOFTWARE PLAY DAY — CUTWORK**—10:00 to 12:00 — Software 8 has the cutwork program built in. Lets investigate how to transform a scissor cutwork design into a cutwork tool design! Please bring your laptop and sewing machine if you plan to stay and make the cutwork project. Cost for this class \$25.00 includes embroidery designs.



Monday, Sept 18th—**EMBROIDERY PLAY DAY - CUTWORK**—12:30 to 3:30 — We will create the bottom section of this purse in class. If desired you can complete the remaining bag in BERNINA club on October 20th or on your own Cost:\$5.00

