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**Happy St. Patrick's Day**  
**March 17, 2010**



## Bernina Sewing Center

### March 2010 Newsletter

Dear Erinn,

March is a wonderful month at BERNINA Sewing Center. We're celebrating National Quilting Month, Swiss Fest and the Saving O' The Green - Luck of the Irish Sale. This month's newsletter has plenty of details about these events.

We will at the 2010 Home Expo Show at Magee Park Fairgrounds on March 5 & 6. Stop by our booth and experience our new machines and products. We love visiting with our friends during these events.

Bernina Sewing Center is receiving new spring fabrics! The fabric is absolutely beautiful and we're all getting excited for spring. You almost smell the flowers and hear the birds singing! Come in and get ready for warm weather.

We look forward to seeing you.  
Sincerely,

*Alberta*



#### Upcoming Events

Swiss Fest, National Quilting Month & Saving O' The Green - Luck of the Irish Sale

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#### March Class Schedule

**Mondays** - 1, 8, 15, 22  
8 Series Mastery

**Mondays** - 1 & 15  
Designer Software Mastery  
Class

**Tuesdays** - 9 & 23  
Artista Mastery  
**Tuesdays** - 2, 9, 16, 23 & 30  
Beginning Quilting  
**Tuesdays** - 2, 16 & 30  
Activa/Aurora Mastery  
**Tuesdays** - 2/23 - 3/16  
San Juan College Sewing Class

**Wednesdays** - 3, 10, 17, 24  
& 31 - Project Mastery  
**Wednesday** - 3, 17 & 31  
Machine Embroidery Mastery

**Thursdays** - 4, 18 & 25  
Quilting - Intermediate Level  
**Thursdays** - 4 & 18  
San Juan College Serger Class



**Test drive a BERNINA today to experience the unparalleled quality and precision of Swiss sewing craftsmanship.**

*Hurry in to receive your Scratch-Off Savings Card.*

**YOU COULD SAVE up to \$5,000!**

**Everyone saves at least \$100\***

\* Check with us for promotion details.

**In Celebration of National Quilting Month!**

**Learn Longarm Quilting!**

**Don't Miss this Great Opportunity to Sign Up!**



### Handi Quilter Workshop

Meredyth Rothlisberger

March 11 -13, 2010

This 3-Day workshop will get you well on your way to using and enjoying longarm quilting, whether you own a Handi Quilter or any other type of longarm machine - or you may be considering buying one! If you buy a Handi Quilter during this workshop, your registration fee will be applied to the purchase price of your new machine.

Here is a partial listing of the workshop topics.

- **Basic Handi Quilter Class**
- **Three "B's" - Backgrounds, Borders and Blocks**
- **Freehand Continuous Line** - learn the value of drawing freehand continuous line designs
- **Groovy Boards** - Learn how to place and use groovy boards.
- **Pantographs** - Discuss the tips & tricks of edge to edge pantographs and how to complete a continuous border.

**Register today! The class size is limited.**

**Cost:** \$350 + tax, includes lunches. This workshop is regularly \$700 at Handi Quilter Headquarters in Salt Lake City. Save \$400 in registration plus travel and lodging.

**Where:** Bernina Sewing Center

**When:** Thursday - Friday, March 11-13, 2010

**Time:** 9am to 5pm daily

**Friday - 5**

All About ME - Machine Embroidery

**Friday - 26**

Home Schoolers Kid Klub

**Friday - 19**

Pillow Case Challenge

**Friday - 26**

Virtual Bernina Club

**Saturday - 20**

Software Sampler

**Saturdays - 13 & 27**

8 Series Mastery Class

**Saturday - 20**

Cortez Mastery Class

**Saturday - 27**

Quilting

**Saturdays - 27**

Kids Klub

Visit

[www.berninafourcorners.com](http://www.berninafourcorners.com)

for a class times and a complete class description. Call today to register for each class.

**16th Annual Home Expo**

**March 5th & 6th**

**Magee Park**

Stop by our booth and experience our new machines and products.

**Don't miss this rare opportunity to have longarm training in your hometown.**

**BERNINA**

**Saving O'The Green Sale**

Join us for our St. Patrick's Day Celebration

The advertisement features three BERNINA sewing machines: a large Bernina 730E longarm machine on the left, a Bernina 920 in the center, and a Bernina 440CE on the right. A cartoon leprechaun in a green suit is playing a violin, and a shamrock is shown to the left of the machines. The text 'Join us for our St. Patrick's Day Celebration' is positioned above the machines. The BERNINA logo is at the top, and the title 'Saving O'The Green Sale' is in a green, stylized font. The entire ad is framed by a decorative border of shamrocks.

**Join us for our St. Patrick's Day Drawing, March 15th - 20th. Reach into the kettle - choose a coin that determines your for a one-time purchase, in-stock only sale. SAVE 15% - 40% on your entire purchase of accessories, notions, threads, fabrics and furniture.**

**Machine and software are discounted separately. Sale prices do not apply to special-order products. May not be combined with any other coupon offer.**

## Upcoming April Classes Offered by San Juan College

### Altering You Clothing - My Pattern Does Not Fit- The ABCs of Machine Embroidery

**Altering You Clothing** is "sew" easy. Clothing is too long, too short, too loose, too tight! What are you going to do? Enroll in this class and learn how to alter ready-to-wear garments to fit. Students may work on various garments, as time permits. Thursdays, April 15 - May 6 from 1 pm - 4pm. Call for details and how to register.

**"The ABCs of Machine Embroidery"** - You have asked "Why does my fabric pucker? What kind of stabilizer should I use?" Enroll in this class and find out all the answers. No experience necessary. Topics include design placement, types of stabilizers, quality of threads and correct hoping techniques. Fridays, April 9 - April 30 from 9am - 12 noon. Call for details and how to register.

**"My Pattern Does Not Fit"** - You're not a perfect Size 10! Enroll in this class and learn how to fit multi-sized commercial and private-label clothing patterns using easy alteration techniques. Topics include categories of fit and how to use standard body measurement to professionally fit a garment. Saturdays, April 10 - May 1 from 9 am - 12 noon. Call for details and how to register.

**For registration information call San Juan College at 566-3214.**

**JOIN US FOR THE PILLOW CASE CHALLENGE!**

**MAKING AND GIVING 1 MILLION PILLOW CASES TO LOCAL CHARITIES IN 2010**

In 2010 we are joining the national year-long challenge to create and donate one million pillowcases to give to local charities. Every pillowcase made can make a difference in our community. A pillowcase can provide comfort for a cancer patient, hope for a foster child, encouragement for a battered woman, or beauty for a nursing home patient.



Join us on the third Friday of every month to make pillow cases. We'll be sewing "The Challenge" on March 19<sup>th</sup> from 1p.m. to 4p.m. Watch for details throughout 2010, as we make a difference for people in our community. Check out the website below to watch all of us reach our local and national goal.

[www.allpeoplequilt.com/millionpillowcases](http://www.allpeoplequilt.com/millionpillowcases)

## Save 20% Bernina Sewing Center Email Coupon

This coupon must be printed and presented in person. The coupon is non-transferable and cannot be used in conjunction with any other sales, promotions or discounts. This coupon may be used one time. Machines and software are discounted separately and this coupon cannot be applied.

**Offer Expires: March 31, 2010**

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