

 **Quilt Beginnings** 
Jacobean Arbor Quilt
Supply List

Instructor: Pam Churches

Dates: Thursday, April 22nd, May 27th and June 17th, 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Note: You must have an embroidery machine with minimum stitch field 8"x10" in order to complete this quilt. **You will learn the basics of the multiple hooping technique used for the blocks and border.**

Required Pattern: *Jacobean Arbor Quilt* by Anna's Awesome Applique

Project description: Learn a unique "multiple hooping" technique as you create the blocks and borders of this beautiful 76"x76" quilt. Truly one of a kind!

Fabric requirements: batiks work exceptionally well

- Pre-purchased kit OR
- 7 yards background fabric - 3 yards required for the nine inner blocks, and 4 yards for the border
- 2 yards vine fabric used in border
- Fat quarters of purples, pinks, reds, blues, turquoises, greens, yellows, browns, and oranges - all in various shades
- SF101 - optional; iron SF101 to each background block and border strip before beginning the embroidery process
- Stabilizer for EACH hooping - each block has 4 hoopings; each border section has 10 hoopings - the pattern calls for sticky stabilizer; I used Floriani stitch and wash and will show you how you can make this stabilizer work.
- Embroidery threads to match and contrast with your applique pieces
- Pre wound bobbins
- Batting, Binding $\frac{3}{4}$ yards and backing 5 yards

Machine Supplies:

Embroidery machine, embroidery arm, power cord, embroidery foot and minimum hoop 8" x 10"; larger hoops are optional; I do not recommend using a magnetic hoop as precision is a must.

Sewing supplies:

- Applique scissors
- Pencil for marking thread colors on instructions
- 4-5 wonder clips for attaching border

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PLEASE SEE REVERSE FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Scotch tape - very helpful to tape a small snippet of fabric to instructions as you proceed through the embroidery process

chalk marker or frixion pen to mark cross hairs - I used a chalk marker on black background

straight pins to help stabilize fabric

seam ripper to remove cross hairs

Prior to Class:

As this is an extensive quilt, I highly recommend using a binder to keep your printed instructions well organized. If you plan on stitching the entire quilt, you will eventually need all of the instructions. We will create block 1 in the first class. When you look at the enclosed USB, cut files refer to anyone pre-cutting their appliques with a laser cutter. If pre-cutting your appliques, you will print "cut files" and LC (laser cutter) instructions. If you plan to do traditional applique (placement stitch, tackdown stitch, and finishing stitch) you will print "block instructions."

Everyone should print the "read me first" instructions.

Print instructions for Block 1 - alignment instructions and the four parts of block 1

Print picture of Block 1 in "pictures of blocks" file

Transfer your machine's file format of block 1 to USB; some machines will read the USB enclosed with pattern; other machines are unable to read the USB provided due to its size; make sure you can open the design in your machine.

Prepare your background fabric - PLEASE DO THIS BEFORE CLASS

Background fabric - the 3 yards for the blocks will be cut into (5) 20"xWOF; each strip will be subcut into (2) 20" squares yielding 10 blocks; nine blocks will be used in the quilt

Cut SF101 20"xWOF and iron on wrong side of background square; the block will be cut down considerably so don't worry if the SF101 does not completely cover the block - **SIMPLY CENTER SF101 on wrong side.**

Due to COVID19 restrictions, the class is limited to 12 participants, each utilizing their own table. Masks must be worn at all times in class; food is not permitted in the classroom. Since this is an all day class, we will break for lunch. You may sew during this time, eat outside or in your car, or pick up lunch; no instruction will take place during this time.

Please make sure you bring all of the pieces and parts for your machine as the store does not have an excess inventory of machine accessories.



LOOKING FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN CLASS!