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Supply List

April BOM - Stargazer Lily

May BOM - Morning Glory

June BOM - Foxglove Flutter

Instructor: Pam Churches

Dates: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m., Thursday, April 19th, May 10th, and June 21st.

This series of wall hangings by Anna's Awesome Applique is created in the hoop using a precise positioning technique with multiple hoopings. You must have an embroidery machine with a minimum hoop size 8" x 12" in order to complete this project

Project description: The April wall hanging features a large lily with a ladybug; May features morning glories with two options for leaves, with or without a caterpillar; June features bright flowers and butterflies. Each wall hanging finishes at approximately 25" x 29".

Required Patterns: Embroidery CD's by Anna's Awesome Applique

Stargazer Lily (April)

Morning Glory (May)

Foxglove Flutter (June)

Supplies needed each month:

- Embroidery machine, embroidery unit, embroidery foot, power cord, and minimum 8" x 12" hoop
- General sewing foot for your machine to add borders; foot pedal
- Neutral thread for sewing borders
- Scissors to clip threads
- Applique scissors to trim close to applique pieces
- Tear away stabilizer (pattern calls for Perfect Stick stabilizer; I used tear away and will show you how to make this stabilizer work)
- Several pins to pin fabric to stabilizer
- Embroidery thread to match and /or contrast with your fabric choices

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- Frixion pen or chalk to mark front of background fabric
- **1 yard Pellon SF101 or Sew Lazy fusible interfacing to back fabric**
- Prewound bobbins or empty bobbins to wind your own

Prior to class:

- Open the enclosed USB stick on your computer and print out the Assembly Instruction sheet (1 page). This can be found by opening "read me first" and clicking on "wall hanging instructions."
- Following the instructions on the Assembly Instructions page, cut out your background, border and accent fabrics:
 - Background 20" x 24"
 - Border - cut three strips 5" x width of fabric
 - Accent border - cut two strips 1" x width of fabric
- Print the "Block instructions" for the hoop you will be using:
 - There are two sets of instruction each month; the first set BOM1 has more pages than the other and is for the 8" x 12" hoop; if you are using an 8" x 12" hoop (more pages of instructions = more hooping). If you are using a 9 ½" x 14" hoop, you will print out the second set of instructions (BOM2) with fewer pages (and fewer hooping)
- Interface your background piece with either Pellon SF101 or Sew Lazy interfacing. Cut interfacing slightly smaller than the background piece so as not to mar your iron.
- Using a frixion pen, mark the vertical center line and horizontal centerline on the FRONT of your background piece of interfaced fabric.

BRING YOUR LUNCH OR A SNACK AS THIS WILL BE AN ALL-DAY CLASS.

If you need help with any of the above, please stop in the store prior to class and we will be happy to assist you.

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FABRIC REQUIREMENTS: This series of designs stitches out especially well with batiks. You will need various colors but they can be reused in the next months' designs. Although the pattern calls for fat eighths, most stores will not cut fabric 9" x 22 (a fat eighth). If you have fabric scraps, by all means, use them. Otherwise, the fabrics listed below will call for a quarter yard of fabric which can be used again in future months.

April, May, June each require:

- 2/3 yard background
- 1/8 yard accent border
- 2/3 yard border fabric
- $\frac{1}{4}$ yard binding
- 1 yard backing fabric
- $\frac{1}{2}$ yard fleece or machine batting

Applique fabrics: $\frac{1}{4}$ yard each is more than enough

- **APRIL**

- 4 shades pink: pale pink, pink, medium pink, dark pink
- 2 shades green: green, dark green

- **MAY**

- 3 shades green: pale green, medium green, dark green
- 3 shades blue: light blue, medium blue, dark blue
- Scrap of pale / light green for caterpillar
 - Black thread and white thread are also needed for caterpillar detail.

- **JUNE**

- 5 shades pink: pale pink, light pink, pink, medium pink, dark pink
- 2 shades purple: light purple, medium purple
- Light blue
- Off white
- 3 shades yellow: pale yellow, yellow, medium yellow
- 3 shades orange: pale orange, light orange, red orange
- 4 shades green: light green, green, medium green, dark green
- 4 shades brown: light brown, brown, medium brown, dark brown or black
- Black or dark gray