



RIP N SEW

For Members and Invited Guests
Club Room: (623) 546-4050

April 2018

SUGGESTIONS

Does everyone know we have a suggestion box on the counter next to the monitor calendar? There are slips next to the box for your suggestion, they need your name and your phone number would be helpful for us to let you know the outcome of your suggestions. We read and act on all of them at our officer board meeting. We had several at this month's meeting so I will try to address the results in this article.

Several asked for new or different vacuums . It was felt the ones we have are adequate at the moment and once the new carpet is installed we will revisit this issue. At that time we will probably ask a committee to try various models and give us a suggestion for a model in a modest price range.

There were a couple suggestions regarding our rulers. Sue DeLucia and I went over all the rulers and felt our supply was adequate. 10x10 Plexiglas squares will be obtained from a local hardware store for a particular class that requires them. We have several on the upper shelves that are different from your square and rectangle rulers, so be sure you check all the shelves. We did order some invisi grip to put on the back of some of the rulers to keep them from slipping. Sue and I will be applying it when it comes in to the most frequently used rulers.

The teaching machine is not to be used except for lessons only! If we allowed for others to use it and it developed a problem we would be unable to teach our new members and that is what they are joining our club for.

It has been requested that we be open every Sunday afternoon and we are going to try a trial run of Sundays starting in Sept. and re-evaluate if enough people are interested to continue especially during the busy months. This also gives more monitoring spots for those who find it difficult to get their four required monitoring duties in. We will see how it goes.

It was also suggested that new members have a designation on their badge so we would all know they were new, so if you see someone with a star on their badge please welcome them and ask if you can be of help. Yet another way to make new members feel a part of our sewing family.

So if you have a suggestion, put it in the box and we will talk it over and we'll strive to let you know the outcome. All of these suggestions help our club function better.

Happy Spring everyone and to those who are leaving us, travel safe and we will see you when you get back. And don't forget to bring back new ideas!



Sara Javares, Co-President

April Classes



Apr 2	Mon.	Infinity Silk Tie Scarf Pt.1of 2	9:30-10:30
Apr 3	Tues.	MEG Demo	1:00- 4:00
Apr 5	Thurs.	Sling Bag Class	9:30- 3:30
Apr 9	Mon.	Infinity Silk Tie Scarf Pt.2 of 2	9:30-12:30
Apr 11	Tues.	Zippered Pouch & Kleenex Holder	9:30-12:30
Apr 13	Fri.	Intro to Strippling	9:30-12:30
Apr 16	Mon.	Quilted Bag P1 of 2	9:30-12:30
Apr 17	Tues.	Pillow Case Class	9:30-12:30
Apr 18	Wed.	Mesh Tote	9:30- 3:30
Apr 19	Thurs.	Market Bag Class Pt.1 of 2	9:30- 3:30
Apr 20	Fri.	Market Bag Class Pt.2 of 2	9:30-12:30
Apr 21	Sat.	Easy Placemats	9:30- 3:30
Apr 23	Mon.	Quilted Bag Pt. 2 of 2	9:30-12:30
Apr 26	Thur.	Waving Flag Wall Hanging	9:30- 3:30



May Classes

May 1	Tues.	Sassy Tote Pt.1of 2	9:30- 3:30
May 10	Thur.	Sassy Tote Pt.2of 2	9:30- 1:00
May 15	Tues.	Wonder Wallet 1699	9:30-12:30
May 24	Thur.	Potato Chip Bag	9:30- 3:30

Attention to ALL Monitors

Here is a new Procedure for PM monitors starting immediately:

- 1)** At the end of each day, take all but \$10.00 from the striped pouch which has backroom sales money that has been collected during the day.
- 2)** The money goes into the DATED BRIGHT PINK envelope that you will find in the bottom file drawer of the desk. It does not need to be counted.
- 3)** Leave \$10.00 in (singles and change) in the striped pouch.
- 4)** Deposit the dated pink envelope into the bank slot at the end of your shift. The dated envelope goes into the bank slot even if there is no money collected that day.

Thank you.....*Beverly MacGregor*.....Co-2nd Vice-President



Club e-mails are sent out weekly with announcements, invitations to specialty groups, neighbors' requests (\$\$\$), and other items of members' interest. If you are not receiving these e-mails, and would like to, send a brief e-mail to: ripsewclub546@gmail.com. Connie Wozniak will send you a request form to put you on the official mailing list.



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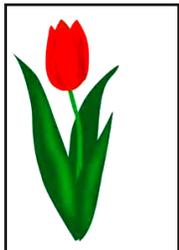
Did you find the hidden number? If it's your badge number, you are entitled to a free \$6.00 class. **



You can read this newsletter IN COLOR on our website:

www.ripsew.scwclubs.com

PLUS you'll get to read it early before the Thursday club meeting each month.



Remember we have the room open for open sewing on the second and last Sunday of each month from 1-4 pm, and also on Monday and Wednesday nights from 4-7 pm.

Please remember that Rip N Sew is a:

NO Scent
NO Animal Zone.

Consideration of your sewing sisters and brothers is greatly appreciated.



When using the badge scanner in the room, **PLEASE LOOK at the screen** to make sure your scan was received.

Thank You