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April 27, 2015 Update

I was called out of town last week and missed the whole Saturday Schoolhouse event. I heard rave reports of how well the event was and the staff at the store did a phenomenal job without me. Wow, they all pitched in and it went off without a hitch. Thank you to all who attended. I always look forward to it as it's such a fun event to get ready for. If you didn't make it to the event our quilt—Carnival Glass—is on display and patterns are available for purchase.



When I got back it was time for the big Midwest Prairie Bus tour. A huge thank you goes out to my "bus mamas" Wilma and Debbie. You guys did a great job.



While I was gone the UPS guy brought in a huge load of new goodies for you. Here is just a small sampling of all these new treasures.

We got in our first shipment of crochet thread and it is BEAUTIFUL. There are lots of rich colors and they would work up beautifully in Tammie's crochet edgings class.



We have several classes knitting and crochet classes scheduled for next month.

- On May 6<sup>th</sup> is the Aluvia bag
  - May 9<sup>th</sup> the Herringbone scarf
  - May 27<sup>th</sup> is the Elise Shawl
  - The first Beginning Crochet class filled up so we have scheduled a new one for July 15<sup>th</sup>.
- There are only a few spots left in these classes so call us today to get your spot reserved.

Karen had such a good response to her Crazy Quilt Embellishing class that we have scheduled

- Machine Embellishing on May 14 or 21
- Hand Embellishing on May 12 or 19<sup>th</sup>.

For a complete list of classes and descriptions please check our website at [www.picketfencequiltcompany.com](http://www.picketfencequiltcompany.com)

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I just love any fabric with vintage things on them. This line is called Vintage Gadgets from Exclusively Quilters. The one with typewriter keys on it reminds me of my mom's old typewriter that she gave me several years ago. It's truly vintage as she actually used it when she worked in an office in the late 1940's.

This new line from Moda is Union Blues from Barbara Brackman. There are some really beautiful reproduction pieces in this line.



If you are looking for some good small prints to work into a scrappy quilt this line Scrap Happy from Exclusively Quilters is perfect. The really great thing about this fabric is there's a panel that is printed to look like pieced stars. I think it is wonderful for a quick easy quilt and I better get some fast before it's all gone!



Thank goodness it has finally warmed up as I am really tired of the cold blowing weather. My patio is now covered with plants that just wanted to come home with me. Many of those little guys are now happily tucked away into flower pots. Now the struggle is to go outside and plant or stay indoors and sew. What a dilemma. Have a great week and happy stitching! ~Lisa