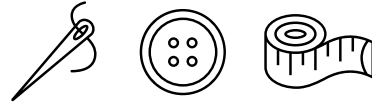


# October 2021



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Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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Witchcraft 					Go online to register for classes <a href="https://thesewinglabs.community">https://thesewinglabs.community</a> or call 816-888-3051 Materials are included in most class fees Advanced Registration is requested!!	

See back for class descriptions and pricing. For registration and/or more info visit - <https://thesewinglabs.community>



# October 2021 Activities & Classes



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## Guest Teachers & Special Workshops



**SEWcial- Who Do You Want to Hang Out with?** Are you a Sewist, Quilter or other Fiber maker and just want to gather with others with the same interest? Or just a supporter of TSL? Come check out Downtown SEWcial @ The Sewing Labs. Each month on the 3rd Friday from 6-9 an "open house" atmosphere where you can come to connect with kindred spirits of sewing and TSL. **And its FREE!!**

**Simple Sewing – Recycle Pumpkins** – Craft a unique festive pumpkin using a recycled plaid shirt from your thrifting. This is a KIDS FRIENDLY (under 12 yrs. please bring adult helper) Materials included are Assortment of cotton types of fabrics, trims, notions and buttons. You are welcome to bring your own choice of fabrics if desired. **1 session 2- 3 hrs. Fee \$20**

**Begin to Quilt** - You will learn and explore color theory, mastering 1/4" seam allowances, proper pressing and more. You will be introduced to piecing techniques while making a 4-patch pin cushion. Next you will learn about strip piecing and channel quilting while making a simple journal cover and stitching nine patches and binding for a hot pad. And finally learning cutting, piecing and quilt assembly while making a baby or wall sized quilt (approx. 40" x 49") Instructors - Annette Hosmann & Mary Nelson **6 - 2 hours sessions Fee \$150**

## Sewing - Domestic

**Open Sew**– Bring your sewing machine or use ours (first come, first serve). Use our tools & stash to practice your skills or start a project or bring your own project to work. No instructions are offered – you must have sewing experience but, volunteers are available to help. This is only available for domestic machines. **Class Fee - FREE**

**Sewing Machine Operator Basics** – Learn to use your new machine or refresh your skills. Bring your machine and all its accessories & tools. Workbook included. Sessions are scheduled during other classes or can be private. Robert Lackie - Instructor **1 session 2.5 hours Fee \$25**

**Basic Sewing –Part 1** Learn to operate a domestic machine. Learn to use the tools of the sewing trade for proper measuring, marking and cutting. Learn to sew on buttons and simple hand stitching. Use these skills to make several simple projects. Earn a certification thru testing, if wanted. All materials provided. **9 sessions of 2 hrs. Fee \$200**

**Basic Sewing – Part 2** Building on the skills learned in Part 1 or start where you are. You will learn seams and seam finishes and then apply this to simple projects. Learn hems types while making an apron and finally learn to apply buttonholes, hook and snap closures. Earn a certification thru testing, if wanted. All materials provided. (Sewing machine operation required) **9 sessions of 2 hrs. Fee \$200**

## Industrial

**Industrial Machine Operator & Safety – New to The Sewing Labs – if you are wanting to rent an Industrial sewing machine @ TSL you will be required** to take this 1 session course to review the basic operation & safety of straight & serger industrial machines. This course is held monthly, and it must be completed BEFORE machine rental is allowed. - next session will be in November **1 session – 2.5hrs. Fee \$50**

**Machine Rentals (Industrial)** - Do you need an Industrial machine to get your sewing business started but can't yet make this investment? You can rent an Industrial Straight needle or serger machine @ The Sewing Labs and take your business to the next level. **\*\* Pre-requisite of Industrial Operator Classes or Beginning Industrial Rental is in 4-hour increments for \$20**

## Job Skills Training

**Salon Sewist Training Program (SSTP)**- Prepare yourself for employment or entrepreneurship in the profession of sewing. **SSTP is a vocational training program** with a commitment of up to 30 weeks of hands-on sewing instruction on both domestic and industrial machines and entrepreneurial business training to support you. – Now taking applications for Spring Session

**Sewing Salon Entrepreneurial / Business of Sewing– October– “Insurance”** Each month learn different aspects of running a sewing business taught by local business professionals & learn from local creative professionals their stories of startup & running of their businesses. FDIC notebook provided. Zoom format - 2nd & 4th Tuesday, 6-7:30 pm. **Fee \$30 mon. or \$200/yr. (13mths.)**

## Community

**Volunteer Orientation**– currently held virtually. Do you want to volunteer @ TSL? Do you just want to know more about it? TSL requires all its volunteers to attend an orientation. This is a great opportunity to explore what is happening @ The Sewing Labs. Pre-registration is recommended.

**SEW Connected - Professional** - Are you a Sewn Product Professional looking to "find your people" Sew Connected is a face-to-face meet up where we gather for FREE to build conversations and connection about our industry. Each month we gather for coffee and a short talk about what is important to us and supporting the Industry of Sewing Professionals. See website for more details. You must register beforehand and reserve your spot!

**Literacy KC/Don Bosco – ESL Sewing is a Universal Language** - Basic Domestic & Industrial Sewing with English as a Second Language – These are entry level classes and are scheduled through Literacy KC

## Coming in November

STITCH MASTER – Laura Treas of Fashion Tech KC, Stack N Whack Quilt Workshop, Shibori Dye Workshop, and more!

*Thank you for choosing The Sewing Labs for your creative learning – we offer our classes for Community and for Workforce Development Your participation in our classes and workshops allows us to build this welcoming place for everyone that supports us all.*

*Please consider supporting The Sewing Labs with financial giving. Your generosity supports our students who cannot afford classes but should be allowed the opportunity to experience classes/workshop that they would never have seen or dreamed of due to lack of finances.*

*Thank you for being here!*

*We will continue to add classes to our schedule so follow us Facebook & Instagram and sign up for the newsletter on our website.*

*Limited scholarships are available to cover most fees and/or materials – Please ask for application \*\**

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