

Workshop Programme

September to December 2024



Workshops

Fabric and Haberdashery

Sewing Machine Sales

Machine Repairs and Servicing

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Make a Cushion with an Invisible Zip

Wednesday 25th September 10am to 12noon (£20)

This session is suitable for complete beginners as well as those who can sew but want to learn how to insert a concealed/invisible zip. (A choice of fabric and zip included in the fee, but you will need to provide your own cushion insert - finished cushion approx. 40cm square)



Leek Embroidery Society

Friday 27th September 10am to 2pm 2024



As part of Leek Textile Week, I will be running a hand stitching workshop on the subject of 'The Leek Embroidery Society'. You'll learn a bit of local history and get a chance to try out the stitches which create these amazing designs. You'll find

tickets and details for this class here: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/leek-embroidery-society-workshop-with-lorna-knight-tickets-944573584017>



Knickers

Friday 4th October 10am to 1pm (£50)

Come and make a pair of knickers. learn how to choose suitable fabric; sew stretch seams on a sewing machine and attach elastic. A fun and informative workshop with a finished product to take home too!

Getting the Most from your Sewing Machine

Thursday 10th October 2024 10am to 12noon (£30)

You may have a new sewing machine or you'd just like to learn how to get more from one you've had for ages. This workshop will help you to understand how to adjust settings to achieve the stitches you need and offer solutions to some common problems.



Get to Know your Overlocker

Thursday 10th October 1.30pm to 4.30pm (£50)*

Whether you are thinking about buying one; have just bought one or have had one for years and never got to grips with it, this overlocking workshop is for you. We will look at maintenance, threading, tension adjustments and achieving balanced stitches. Also: rolled hems, lettuce edges and corners. (When booking please mention if you need to borrow a machine) *(only £40 if you bought an overlocker from us)

Chanel-Style Jacket

Saturday 19th October 10am to 4pm (£85)



A Chanel jacket is not made with the usual interfacings and canvases of a tailored jacket. It is a fascinating method of construction. Come along and make half a jacket to learn the techniques involved then use it as a sample to help when making your very own at Chanel-style jacket at home.

Beginners/Refreshers

Saturday 26th October 2024 10am to 1pm (£30)

This workshop covers using paper patterns and sewing seams and hems. You will make samples to take away and refer to so you can make lots more at home. Once you know the basics, you'll have the confidence to develop your skills at your own pace at home then come back and learn more when you are ready.

Machine Embroidered Flowers

Saturday 26th October 2024 2.30pm to 4.30pm (£20)

These flowers are made in the hoop then carefully trimmed and finished with beads. During the session make some flowers to make into brooches, decorate bags, shoes, clothes or hair accessories. There will be a choice of fabrics and colours. I look forward to seeing everyone's creativity.



Lined Curtains

Wednesday 30th October 10am to 1pm (£50)

This half day workshop explains how to make traditional, lined curtains in the most straightforward way. You will make a mini curtain sample and learn about measuring, cutting and how to choose heading tapes.

Workshop for Stellaire and Luminaire Owners

Friday 1st November 2024 (times and prices to be confirmed)

Make more of these amazing machines and learn to use its numerous features. Full details coming soon but if you think you might be interested, without committing yourself please let us know.

Workshop for Scan N Cut Owners

Thursday 14th November 2024 (times and prices to be confirmed)

If you think this might be of interest, without committing yourself please let us know.



Knitting and Stitching Show, Harrogate

21st to 24th November

Join us for a short overlocking workshop on Friday or Saturday if you are visiting the show.

Tickets and details here: <https://www.theknittingandstitchingshow.com/harrogate/>

Make a Christmas Cushion

Saturday 30th November 2024 (10am to 1pm) £60

Come and make a cushion for yourself or to give as a gift. Try some block printing, decorative stitching, applique and patchwork to discover how easy it is to be creative. Materials and cushion insert included in the fee.



Bring Your Own Project

Thursday 5th December (10am to 1pm) £30

A chance to sew your own thing with like-minded people. Choose a special dressmaking project or perhaps you'll decide to make some gifts for Christmas.

Baby Lock Open Day

Saturday 7th December (10am to 3pm) free

Katy will be here to demonstrate these wonderful overlockers and cover stitch machines. Special offers on the day.

Jennie Rayment's Fabric Bowls (Christmas themed)

Wednesday 11th December (10am to 12noon) £40

Come and make a pretty fabric bowl from pentagons and jewels from Jennie's Material Magic book. You'll take a free copy of Jennie's book home (£9.95) so you can make lots more later.



Embroidered Lace Tree Decorations

Saturday 14th December 2024 10am to 11.30am £10

Come and make a machine embroidered snowflake to decorate your tree this Christmas.

Patchwork Christmas Tree for Beginners

Saturday 14th December 2024 1pm to 5pm (£60)

If you've always wanted to try patchwork and quilting this is your chance to have a go. Learn to piece the pre-cut shapes then quilt and bind your Christmas-themed 12" mat.



To book a place on any of our sewing sessions, or for more information, please contact us:
info@lornaknight.com 07970 345628 or 01538 371682

As well as sewing workshops you'll find haberdashery items and a growing range of fabrics in the studio.

We are also official dealers for 'Brother' and 'Baby Lock' sewing machines, embroidery machines and overlockers so come and visit and we can help you to find the perfect model to suit you.

We also repair and service sewing/embroidery machines and overlockers

To Leek (23-16)



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to Ashbourne (13-16)

Opening Hours

We are open most days between 10am and 4pm but please ring ahead if you are coming specially, in case we are away collecting new supplies or running a workshop. However, if you are passing and the lights are on, we're open and you are welcome to call in. We hope to see you soon.

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