

Spontaneous Log Cabin

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9 a.m. – Noon (Zoom class will open at 8:30 a.m.)

Virtual Class

Class Description: Use your stash with this stress-free technique to create **FABULOUS** scrappy log cabin 12" or 15" square blocks! Unleash your creativity – no two blocks will be the same. Also, learn how to cut the finished blocks to create several other blocks! Michele will discuss how to make 7 different quilt sizes with this block adapting the quilt size to fit *your* bed!

Let's have FUN with your stash! This is a stress-free way to create a FABULOUS log cabin block (12" x 12" square or 15" x 15" square finished) in a creative non-traditional way. Make your squares from the same color family OR in light/medium/dark fabrics. Michele will discuss how to make 7 different quilt sizes with this block adapting the quilt size to fit *your* bed! There will be several variations of this block shown to create other quilts!

Class Requirements:

- * Be able to sew an accurate $\frac{1}{4}$ " seam.
- * Be proficient in rotary cutting.
- * Have your machine set-up, threaded, and ready to go so we can start the class on time!
- * Be ready to "put the pedal" (sewing machine, that is) to the metal, and have FUN!

Materials List - * yardage based on a 40" width

* 60+ assorted scraps and strips (combination of 2" - 4" squares, and 1 1/2" - 3" wide strips x 21" long (various colors, textures, prints) – the more the merrier!

Note: Bring more squares/strips if desired as I am planning on having you complete 3 - 4 blocks.

* One spool of 100% cotton thread - neutral color

* This is a SUPER way to use up spools of thread so any color that you have will be fine.)

* Rotary cutter (with a new blade)

- * Acrylic rulers - (1" x 6"; and 5" or 6" square); 4" x 14" ?; 6" x 24" ?; a 12 ½" square would be great !
- * Cutting mat
- * Basic sewing supplies
- * Sewing machine

As a quilting teacher, I love to teach, and share my “tried and true” sewing tips and techniques while encouraging my students to have FUN, try something new, and work at their own pace! There are many ways to the same end result, but I am here to help you enjoy and explore your creative artistic process while learning new skills.”

1. My classes are presented LIVE using Zoom.
2. Each student must be able to be seen and heard.
3. Everyone gets a front row seat in class from the comfort of their own sewing studio with all your tools and fabrics close at hand! You'll be able to use your best machine (instead of lugging one to a class); and have drinks and snacks whenever you like!
4. My classes will use 2 or 3 different camera set-ups for easy viewing on detail work so you can see exactly what I'm teaching.
5. I can schedule a 1-hour follow-up time slot 2 weeks after the class for any questions; and a Show 'n Tell if desired. Ann: Please let me know a.s.a.p. IF you want to schedule a ZOOM time for this part.
6. No audio and/or video recording or photographs are permitted of any kind during class because of copyright issues.
7. If you haven't used Zoom before, there are some great tutorials on Zoom. Please make sure you've checked your internet connections prior to the class. I am not responsible for the quality of your internet devices (computer, iPad, phone), internet quality and, connectivity issues.
8. **PLEASE NOTE: This is a LIVE class and will NOT be recorded.**