

# SEW WHATS NEW

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**O.E.S.D.™ SUPER SPREE**  
—an Event for—  
Embroidery Enthusiasts

**YOU'LL ENJOY:**

- Two days of instruction from an embroidery expert
- Six fun projects
- Goody Bag

*OESD's Super SPREE is a fun, hands-on event for all skill levels!*



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**Monday May 21, 2018**  
11a -1p

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**BERNINA** is celebrating 125 Years of Excellence in 2018! The Golden Foot and SEW much more is to come this year! Call to order your foot today in your Collectible Tin with Golden thread!



## O.E.S.D. Super Spree

Join us for TWO fun-filled days of embroidery with the NEW BERNINA 590E Sewing and Embroidery Machine! You will complete 1-2 projects during the event and receive complete instructions for six projects. Sale prices on notions, stabilizer, Isacord thread, OESD collections and machines!

**When:** Friday, April 20th and Saturday, April 21 both days 10a-5p.

**Where:** Crowne Plaza: 5901 Pfeiffer Rd, Blue Ash, OH 45242 (behind Bob Evans, off I-71)

**Cost:** \$129.99 for two days, \$200 goody bag, lunch, door prizes and SEW much more!! Call 513-891-5005 to reserve your spot today!



We have the Kids Camp again (due to high demand)...be sure to check it out on page 2. We have limited seating, so hurry!

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## Kramer's Sew and Vac Center

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[kramersews.com](http://kramersews.com)

## SAVE THE DATES

### The Original Sewing/Quilting Expo

Sept 20, 21 & 22  
At the Sharonville Convention Center!

### Our Annual AnitaGoodeign Embroidery Party

Oct 19 & 20  
at the Holiday Inn.

Looking for a new BERNINA or Brother? We will have the new 570QE BERNINA in classrooms in Sept and Brother machines on **SALE in Oct** plus more sales on machines and feet at the Quilt Show!

# CLASSES AND POLICIES

## CLASS POLICIES

### Sewing and Embroidery Classes

Currently you cannot sign up for classes or special events on our website. Please call Kramer's at 513-891-5005 to register. Unless noted, all classes are for adults 18 and older. Kramer's offers Kids Sew Camp for ages 8 and up.

#### Please bring your sewing machine in good working condition.

Be sure you have your cord, foot pedal, and accessories. Please bring your manual if you are not familiar with your machine. Class time is dedicated to the project at hand, not individual machine issues. If you would like to learn how to operate your machine, we offer Basic Sewing classes or you can schedule a private lesson. Bring basic sewing supplies to all classes such as scissors, straight pins, seam gauge and any other favorite sewing tools. If you do not own a machine, you are welcome to use one of ours.

- Payment is required at the time of registration.
- A full refund is given for any cancellation made 7 days in advance.
- Class enrollment below minimum requirement is subject to cancellation with full refund.
- If you are in need of a sewing machine for one of the classes, Kramer's will provide one. Please notify us at the time of registration.
- *Please notify us if you cannot attend a class; often, there is a waiting list.*

### Private Classes with Susan

Learn to sew something special or learn the ins and outs of your sewing/embroidery machine or serger, a private class might be a great option for you. We offer one-on-one private classes as well as small group lessons. Call Kramer's to schedule your class. **All classes need to be prepaid. Our cancellation policy will apply to all private classes.**

**Rates:** One-on-one sewing lesson \$100 for 2 hours.  
Group Class 2-3 students \$150 for 2 hours.  
Group Class 4-6 students \$240 for 2

### Kid's Sewing Camps **Only 4 people per class.**

Kid's camp is designed for girls 8-12 who want to learn to sew. We will make one to two projects each day building skill to construct a garment from a pattern on Friday. Includes supplies and machines.

June	25 -29	2p - 4p	\$175
July 30	Aug 3	2p - 4p	\$175

### Overlock Basics **Only 4 people per class.**

Learn how to thread your overlock correctly, trouble-shoot tension, and how and what are all those dials? **Need to bring your overlocker and 4 cones of thread, plus stretch thread (Kramer's has many different colors)**

June 28	Thurs	10a - 12	\$50
July 26	Thurs	10a - 12	\$50

## Classes with Susan True

### Sewing Machine Basics

This class will cover the basics of using a sewing machine. Learn how to thread your machine and wind a bobbin plus explain the function buttons on your machine and sample some presser feet. If you have never really known what your machine is capable of, this class is for you! You will leave the class feeling confident to start your first sewing project or re-start sewing again.

**Hands-on class. Bring your machine in good working condition, thread and basic sewing supplies. Only 4 people per class.**



May 3	Thurs	10a - 12 or 6p - 8p	\$50
July 5	Thurs	10a - 12 or 6p - 8p	\$50
Aug 2	Thurs	10a - 12 only	\$50

### Learn to Sew – Zipper Application -Easy!

Master 3 zipper applications in this hands-on class (center, lapped and invisible). You will be shown some tips to make this an easier application. Supplies needed: 2- 9 inch zippers, and 1- 9inch invisible zipper, your zipper foot and invisible zipper foot. (Don't have them? Kramer's has them for most machines.) **Only 4 people per class.**

Aug 23	Thurs	10a - 12 or 6p - 8p	\$35
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### Learn to Sew – Hem of all Kinds

Good review or for new sewer, learn some methods of doing some of the most common hems- blind hem, hemming jeans and double needle hems. (Supplies needed, 4mm double needle, jean-a-ma-jig, blind hem foot and your machine with thread and basic sewing supplies. (Don't have them? Kramer's does!) **Only 4 people per class.**

Aug 30	Thurs	10a - 12 or 6p - 8p	\$35
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### How to Applique **Only 5 people per class.**

Learn the ins and out of how to set your sewing machine to do a pretty satin stitch, how to turn curves and corners and so much more. We will also cover the blanket stitch, how to do a folded edge applique and what products to use for fusing. **You will need your sewing machine, an open toe foot, and your many questions. I will have fabric and stabilizer (Don't have them? Kramer's does!)**

April 26	Thurs	1p - 4p	\$40
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### Heirloom Techniques **Only 5 people per class.**

Heirloom sewing is such a beautiful look. Learn some of the basics such as lace shaping, pintucks, wing needle work and some special stitches that make this technique so special. **You will need to bring your machine, a wing needle 100/16, double needle 2mm wide and white 60# thread. I will have the fabric and lace.**

May 24 & 31	Thurs	1p - 4p	\$40
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# SUSAN TRUE CLASSES

## Ongoing Education and Embroidery Education

### Virtual Classes and Project Classes

Kramer's Sew and Vac offers virtual classes in sewing, embroidery and serging that are open to all makes and models.



**Do not bring your machine.**

Machines may be set-up for you to try the different techniques discussed in class. Enjoy fellowship with other enthusiasts and learn new tips and ideas. You will also receive a CD of the program.

#### **Bernina Sewing Club** **\$15 each (no limit)**

**All machines welcomed. (virtual class, not hands on)**

This year we will be showing feet and accessories that can improve your sewing skill set with fresh, modern inspiration and a technique recipe card for future reference. We will be using the store's machine for samples.

Fri	Apr 27	1p - 3p
Fri	May 25	1p - 3p
Fri	June 22	1p - 3p
Fri	July	No Class
Fri	Aug 24	1p - 3p

**"Upcycle"** No need to buy new, learn useful mending techniques to increase the lifespan of beloved wardrobe staples. **Darning Foot #9, Button Sew-On Foot # 18 and Overlock Foot #2**

Apr 27	Fri	1p - 3p	\$15
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**"Precision Patchwork"** Understand the difference between each of the BERNINA Patchwork Feet and how your patchwork can benefit from all of them. **Patchwork Foot #37/37D, #57/57D and #97/97D!**

May 25	Fri	1p - 3p	\$15
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**"DIY" DIY or die!** These accessories will help you tackle basic upholstery projects for the home. **Leather Roller Foot #55, Double cord foot #59C and #60C and the Bernina Walking Foot #50**

June 22	Fri	1p - 3p	\$15
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**"Binding Hacks"** Binding is a great way to finish raw edges, on quilts, garments, all sorts of seams. Step up your machine binding game with accessories that do the work for you. **Binder Attachment #88, #95/95C, #71 Walking Foot #50**

Aug 24	Fri	1p - 3p	\$15
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#### **Bernina Embroidery Club**

This class will now be shown an hour before Embroidery project class. 12-1p \$15 (Students registered for only the video class - do not bring a machine.) Bring lunch.

#### **Embroidery Project Class**

Hands-on Class. Bring lunch. **Only 5 people per class.** Embroidery Club focuses on machine embroidery techniques, stabilizers and embroidery placement. Drop a USB stick off the Monday before class so the design can be programmed.

Kit fee may be applied and may vary with project. Bring embroidery machine in good working order, embroidery hoop, power cord and embroidery thread.

**\*Please note registration deadlines. No refunds or transfers are given after registration deadlines. Kit fees are non-refundable. No project class in April.**

**"The Joy of Giving"** Part of the joy of embroidery is to be able to give things you have made to family and friends. Make a project that is perfect for holding a small gift or gift card. Discover ways that you can make any gift special with a touch of embroidery.

Project	May 16 Wed	12 - 5p	\$40	*5/11
Virtual Only	May 16 Wed	12 - 1p	\$15	
Project	May 17 Thurs	12 - 5p	\$40	*5/11

**"Mini Things"** Making a design fit within a small area can be challenging. This class will give you guidelines on re-sizing and editing designs in embroidery software and in the Bernina embroidery machine.

Project	June 20 Wed	12 - 5p	\$40	*6/15
Virtual Only	June 20 Wed	12 - 1p	\$15	
Project	June 21 Thurs	12 - 5p	\$40	*6/15

**"On the Curve"** Sometimes we would like to embroider on a curve rather than in a straight line. This class will explore the options available to get a design perfectly placed.

Project	July 18 Wed	12 - 5p	\$40	*7/13
Virtual Only	July 18 Wed	12 - 1p	\$15	
Project	July 19 Thurs	12 - 5p	\$40	*7/13

**"Baby oh Baby"** We will delve into embroidering on baby and children's things as we create an easy flip and sew baby bib using pre-printed batting. We will also talk about successfully embroidering on a onesie.

Project	Aug 15 Wed	12 - 5p	\$40	*8/10
Virtual Only	Aug 15 Wed	12 - 1p	\$15	
Project	Aug 16 Thurs	12 - 5p	\$40	*8/10

# CLASSES & MORE

## Anita Goodesign Project Class

**(Hands-on class) Only 5 people per class.**

Love doing in-the-hoop embroidery projects? Every month features projects teaching new and fun techniques. You will receive designs and project instructions to make more. Kit fee may be applied. **\*Please note registration deadlines. No refunds or transfers are given after registration deadlines. Kit fees are non-refundable.**

	\$30/Class								
			(Kit fee varies with monthly project.)						
Thurs	Apr 12	9a - 12	O R	1p - 4p					*4/3
Thurs	May 10	9a - 12	O R	1p - 4p					*5/1
Thurs	June 14	9a - 12	O R	1p - 4p					*6/5
Thurs	July 12	9a - 12	O R	1p - 4p					*7/3
Thurs	Aug 9	9a - 12	O R	1p - 4p					*7/31
Fri	Apr 13			1p - 4p					*4/3
Fri	May 11			1p - 4p					*5/1
Fri	June 15			1p - 4p					*6/5
Fri	July 13			1p - 4p					*7/3
Fri	Aug 10			1p - 4p					*7/31

## Serging with Susan True



### Capsule Serger Class

Discover ways to integrate the overlocker into everyday sewing while creating a capsule wardrobe. Quarterly lessons will focus on creating two or more seasonal pieces in conjunction with Indie pattern designers and Bernina ambassadors. Intro is only a video class. Do not bring serger to first class.

**"Swimwear"** Discover how to handle the super stretchy and slippery textiles for swimwear.

**Virtual** Apr 11 Wed 1p - 3p \$15

### Overlocker Techniques

In this technique class we will be exploring the 3 threads overlock. Using stitch cards to be used in a binder, we will use the 3 thread overlock on stretchy fabric, do a rolled edge, blind hem and a flatlock. You will need your blind stitch foot and your regular overlock foot.

May 9 Wed 1p - 3p \$25

### Overlocker Techniques 2

In this technique class we will continue exploring the 3 threads in making and covering piping. You will need the Multi-Purpose foot or a Piping Foot.

July 11 Wed 1p - 3p \$25



## Software Classes

### General Software Class Guidelines

1. Please register for class. Registration closes a week before.
2. Install and test your software before arriving to class.
3. Print out your free workbook pages (if applicable) prior to class. Workbooks on CD are provided at time of purchase.
4. **Bring laptop, mouse, power supply, software dongle and workbook pages (if applicable) to all software classes!**
5. Arrive 15 minutes before class to set-up.

### PEP 1, 2, 3 Classes

Perfect Embroidery Professional digitizing software classes with Anitra Gardner will help you learn how to navigate your software!



6p - 8p Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class

Tues	July 10	PEP Software Class #1
Tues	July 17	PEP Software Class #2
Tues	July 24	PEP Software Class #3

### FLORIANI 1, 2, 3 Classes

Learn how to create designs from scratch and how to customize/edit existing designs.



Tues Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class

May 1	6p - 8p	FTCU Class 1
May 8	6p - 8p	FTCU Class 2
May 15	6p - 8p	FTCU Class 3

### FTCU to the Next Level Classes by Floriani

**Prerequisite:** You must complete FTCU 1, 2, 3 classes and be confident in navigating the software before attending these FTCU Next Level classes.

Need to edit a design or create a design from an Illustration? These two classes go in-depth with FTCU.

6p - 8p	Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class
June 11	Mon <b>FTCU Edit</b> Only Class
June 12	Tues <b>FTCU Digitize</b> Only Class

### PEP - Next Level Classes

**Prerequisite:** You must complete PEP 1, 2, 3 classes and be confident in navigating the software before attending these PEP-Next Level classes.

Need to edit a design or create a design from an Illustration? These two classes go in-depth with PEP.

6p - 8p	Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class
July 31	Tues <b>PEP Edit</b> Only Class
Aug 14	Tues <b>PEP Digitize</b> Only Class

# And CLASSES

## Quilting and More with Shanthi Rajan

### Bags of the Month:

#### Catch All Caddy #2

Join the class to finish your tote!  
See sample and purchase pattern at Kramer's. Click on "Classes" tab at Kramersews.com



Tues      \$25/Class  
Apr 10              10a - 1p              Caddy p2

### Open Wide Bag

Quick and fun to make. These handy zippered bags in 3 sizes for easy access to all your supplies. Binding on the Easy to install zipper and optional mesh. Oh my! Supply list on Kramer's Google calendar.



Tues    May 8              10a - 1p              Only

### Caravan Tote

Come in and join the class to make a tote! How Versatile! See sample and purchase pattern at Kramer's.



Tues    June 12              10a - 1p  
Tues    July 10              10a - 1p

### Beginning Free Motion Quilting

Learn how to pick the correct batting and backing that will complement your quilt top; how to correctly sandwich your quilt and prepare it for quilting. Learn how to adjust tension on your sewing machine, select the correct thread and finally learn to stipple (meandering design). Once you are comfortable with stippling, we will explore other quilting designs and talk about other resources.

Tues              \$50  
June 26              10a - 1p  
July 31              10a - 1p

### Ruler Quilts

Ruler work is all the rage. Enjoy this block a month sampler; learn to quilt with Rulers! This ongoing class is for current students only.



Sat              \$25/class  
Apr 14              10a - 1p  
May 12              10a - 1p  
June 9              10a - 1p  
July 14              10a - 1p

### T-Shirt Memory Quilt

Gather your T-Shirts and join me to make a T-Shirt Memory Quilt top for yourself or someone special! We will learn how to design the quilt, correctly stabilize your T-Shirts, cut them accurately and how to sew them to avoid stretching.



Wed              \$45  
May 23              10a - 3p

## B.O.M Block of the Month

### Quilter's Patch

Quilt a beautiful garden Edyta style! We will be working on two blocks each month for 12 months. This is a skill builder. There are enough new techniques to learn without being overwhelming. It is a great scrap buster too! Meets first Tuesday or Friday of each month. Supply list is on Kramer's Google calendar. Pick the day that suits your schedule. Sign up early to reserve your spot.



Tues or Fri              \$25/class  
Apr 3 or 6              10a - 1p  
May 1 or 4              10a - 1p  
June 1 or 5              10a - 1p  
July 3 or 6              10a - 1p

## Beginning Quilt Piecing



Learn the basics of rotary cutting and machine piecing as you make this stunning quilt top. We will cover how to read a quilt pattern, select fabrics, correct, safe and accurate cutting techniques of using a rotary cutter and acrylic ruler, choice of threads, how to stitch accurate seams, pressing techniques and finally how to put it all together. Contact me if you need help picking out fabrics and tools.

Tues              \$50  
Apr 24              10a - 1p              P1  
May 22              10a - 1p              P2

# with Shanthi Rajan

# ERRICA'S CLASSES

## Barbed Wire

This is a Jelly Roll friendly quilt that goes together easily. Level: Easy



2 classes \$50

Tues May 21 10a - 1p

Tues July 24 10a - 1p

## Ribbon & Roses

Learn to make this gorgeous quilt. Dimensional curves without curve piecing! Level: Advanced.



3 classes \$60

Tues April 17 10a - 1p

Tues May 15 10a - 1p

Tues June 19 10a - 1p

# ERRICA'S CLASSES



## Software Classes

### General Software Class Guidelines

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3. Print out your free workbook pages (if applicable) prior to class. Workbooks on CD are provided at time of purchase.
4. **Bring laptop, mouse, power supply, software dongle and workbook pages (if applicable) to all software classes.**
5. Arrive 15 minutes before class to set-up.

## Bernina V7/8 Software - Workbook Classes



Learn how to get the most out of your software and create one-of-a-kind embroidery designs using your Bernina V7/8 Designer Plus or Editor Plus. Beginner Level.

1:30 - 3:30	Wed	Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class
April 4	Wed	Bring Workbook 1
May 2	Wed	Bring Workbook 2
June 6	Wed	Bring Workbook 3
July 25	Wed	Bring Workbook 1
Aug 22	Wed	Bring Workbook 2

## Bernina V7/8 - Virtual Club Software Inspired

Get more creative inspiration through video presentations from Bernina. Written instructions are provided along with a CD and designs. Intermediate Level.



**\*Note registration deadlines. Review class policies.**

10a - 12 Wed \$15 Per Class

Apr 4 \*3/28 **Leave Your Imprint**  
Focus: Learn about Elastic fancy fills.

May 2 \*4/25 **Picture This**  
Focus: Explore Corel Photo-Paint.

June 6 \*5/30 **In An Instant**  
Focus: Explore more Auto Digitizing tools.

July 25 \*7/18 **What Goes Around**  
Focus: Learn about Outlines and Offsets.

Aug 22 \*8/15 **Painter Essentials**  
Focus: Introduction to Painter Essentials program



## Brother - PE Design 10 or Next

Get to know your software. You can create amazing designs and fonts with this fully featured digitizing software. Digitize from a photo or illustration or nothing at all.

10a - 12	Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class	
Wed	Apr 18	Layout & Editing
Wed	May 23	Design Center
Wed	June 13	Font Creator Plus

## BES Lettering 3 or 4 Dream Edition with Power Pack

Completely customize your Monograms with this versatile software. The Alpha Mapping tool allows you to type-in pre-digitized fonts. True Type fonts can be converted to stitch files. You can also create applique cut files for your Brother Scan-N-Cut. Join us!



1:30p - 3:30p	Free for Kramer's Customer or \$50/Class	
Wed	Apr 18	Introduction to BES Lettering
Wed	May 23	Exploring Extra Features

# EMBROIDERY SUPPORT CLASSES & SCAN-N-CUT

## Embroidery Support Classes

All Bernina, Brother and Scan-N-Cut software classes require you to bring a laptop, power cord and mouse.



### Embroidery 411

**Help, they bought me an embroidery machine online! Now What?!** Learn the basics of navigating your new machine. This class is for owners of current model 4x4 or 5x7 Brother embroidery machines which are no older than 3 years and not purchased at Kramer's Sew and Vac. Machine must be in good working order. Bring embroidery machine, embroidery arm/module, 4 x 4 hoop, power cord, USB cable/stick and embroidery foot. Please arrive 15 minutes early to set up.

**\*Registration deadline. Review class policies.**

Wed	June 13	<b>*6/6</b>	1p - 3p	\$50
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### Design Transfer Class

How do I move designs from a CD or USB? What about moving them from my email or downloading from a website? This class will provide you with lots of practice on transferring, unzipping and organizing designs. Class is for Kramer's customers with current model Brother/Bernina machines purchased at Kramer's. **Please bring your laptop with internet capability, mouse and power cord. (Do not bring embroidery machine.)** Arrive 15 minutes early to set-up.



**\*Registration deadline. Review class policies.**

Wed	Apr 25	<b>*4/18</b>	1p - 3p	\$20
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Wed	May 30	<b>*5/23</b>	1p - 3p	\$20
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### Where Are The Classes For My Software?

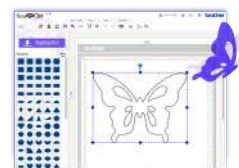
Do you own older software? We are happy to assist you with updating/upgrading and/or answering basic questions. Call Kramer's to schedule a refresher class on most older software programs purchased from our store: 513-891-5005

### Introduction to Scan-N-Cut Canvas

Using the free Brother Scan-N-Cut Canvas website will certainly help you create original cut files more easily.

This class will provide an introduction to the Canvas tools, practice with Font Converter, and importing.

**Do not bring your Scan-N-Cut machine to this class. Bring your laptop, mouse (not optional) and power cord.**



\*If you need computer assistance with establishing your Canvas account or installing Font Converter, you must schedule time with Errica **prior** to class: 513-891-5005.

Wed		\$20 / class	
Apr 25	10:30a - 12:30	Class 1: Basic Tools	
May 30	10:30a - 12:30	Class 2: Importing and Editing	

### Brother Scan-N-Cut

Learn the basics of this great crafting appliance.

1. Please register at least a week before class.
2. Arrive 15 minutes before class to set-up.
3. Bring Scan-N-Cut machine, power cord and all accessories to all classes.

**\*Note registration deadlines. Review class policies.**



9a - 11a	Sat	Free for Kramer's Customers or \$30 /Class	
Apr	4/28	<b>*4/21</b>	#101 Intro, Help & Maintenance
May	5/19	<b>*5/12</b>	#102 Patterns Plus
June	6/23	<b>*6/16</b>	#103 Direct Cut with Options



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Monday May 21, 2018 11a -1p  
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